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Guide to Higher Education Study

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Her Excellency
Kara Owen CMG CVO

British High Commissioner to Singapore

It is with great pleasure that I extend my warmest welcome to all those considering higher education in the United Kingdom. It speaks to the quality of British education that students like you who are seeking a top quality higher education are considering the UK as a destination.

Higher education has the ability to shape minds, values, ambitions, and futures. At its best, it equips individuals with the tools to navigate the complexities of the modern world, motivating them and empowering them not only to make their way in their chosen career, but also to make a positive impact on society. I firmly believe that your choice of university and program will play a pivotal role in realizing your career and life aspirations.

In this guide, the British Chamber has sought to provide you with not just factual information about some key participating UK universities, but also a spark of inspiration, to fuel your desire to study at a UK university. Our nation's higher education sector is second to none, consistently ranking among the world's best. The exceptional quality of our institutions, the innovative teaching methodologies they employ, and the brilliant minds that drive our academic landscape and the sense of international community are what sets us apart.

The success of UK graduates resonates far beyond our borders. They are eagerly sought after by employers worldwide. A UK education prepares you not only with academic excellence but also with the transferable skills and practical knowledge needed to excel in a rapidly changing global landscape.

Yet, what you will experience also extends far beyond the lecture halls and libraries. Our country blends diversity, cultures, landscapes, traditions, and religions. From the bustling streets of London to the tranquil beauty of the Scottish Highlands, each city and county carries its unique character, offering a vibrant array of festivals, art scenes, cultural events, and culinary delights.

Throughout my tenure as the British High Commissioner to Singapore, I have had the privilege of meeting extraordinary UK alumni who have transformed their lives and made a lasting impact in their chosen fields. At British Council's Study UK Alumni Awards held earlier this year, we celebrated the accomplishments of exceptional Singaporeans who have become trailblazers in science and sustainability, culture and creativity, social action, and business and innovation. Their UK education equipped them with the skills, knowledge, and networks necessary to drive positive change.

These outstanding individuals are not alone in their achievements. Countless Singaporeans have reaped tremendous benefits from their UK university education and are making their mark in diverse sectors. By embarking on your own UK education journey, you too have the opportunity to unlock doors to a world of possibilities, no matter where your ambitions may lead you.

In addition to the information contained within these pages, I encourage you to explore British Council's Study UK pages, which offer valuable resources to support your study choices. If you have a UK qualification, I also encourage you to join British Council's Alumni UK global network, and make use of the excellent resources and networking opportunities available to you to advance your career.

As you embark on this exciting chapter of your life, filled with intellectual growth, cultural immersion, and personal development, I wish you all the very best and success. May your UK university experience bring you intellectual growth, cultural immersion, turbo-charged personal development and fund and friendships.

Warm regards,

Kara Owen





David Kelly

Executive Director, British Chamber of Commerce Singapore

Welcome to the second edition of the British Chamber of Commerce Singapore's Guide to Higher Education Study.

The Chamber continues to have Education & Learning as one of our five pillars of our strategy. This is not only because future skills are important to business, but many of our members are Higher Education providers or linked to future skills required for industry, and therefore it is an important topic as we continue to be that conduit between academia and industry.

The UK offers many world-leading education providers, that provide you with the knowledge and skills to excel in your chosen career. There is access to internationally leading research - the UK is ranked second in the world for science and research. Higher education institutions are held to strict quality standards by the UK government with seven of the top 50 and 26 of the top 200 universities globally located in the UK. There is a huge range of courses available with teaching excellence that carries a strong emphasis on student-centered learning and interactive teaching methods.

And, it's not just about studying hard – with the UK full of historic cities and culture to explore across England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales, the student life experience you receive will be extremely enriching and thoroughly international.

Of course, for those who are keen to earn and learn, there are options available to students for long-distant degrees which are university accredited.

This publication provides students looking to study in the UK, or parents of students looking at various options, to have a simple guide on course and study options. Good luck, and please do let us know how you get on and we hope this guide is helpful.

Happy studying, and I hope the UK gives you the platform and experience to develop yourself to build a successful career.

For more information on the Chamber's wider Education programme, please visit our Education Hub at education.britcham.org.sg.

Higher education study in the UK

The Numbers



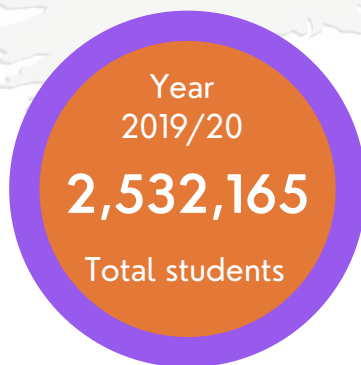
Undergraduate 2,042,310

Post-graduate 820,310



Undergraduate 2,008,525

Post-graduate 743,340



Undergraduate 1,890,020

Post-graduate 642,145

Highlights in 2021/22

- Higher Education and Further Education (FE) provider enrolments increased to 3,007,545 in 2021/22. Despite an increase in overall enrolments, those at FE providers have continued to decrease.
- FE providers represented 5% of all HE student enrolments in 2021/22. This has decreased from 6% in 2020/21.
- Enrolment numbers at FE providers decreased across all levels of study in 2021/22.

Higher education study in the UK

Subjects studied and statistics

Business and management was the most popular subject among students, with 19% of all students enrolling in this subject, up from 17% in 2020/21 and 16% in 2019/20. Of the 55,490 overall increase in Business and management, 42,350 was attributed to non-EU postgraduate (taught) enrolments (see Table 52 for a detailed breakdown of subject by domicile).

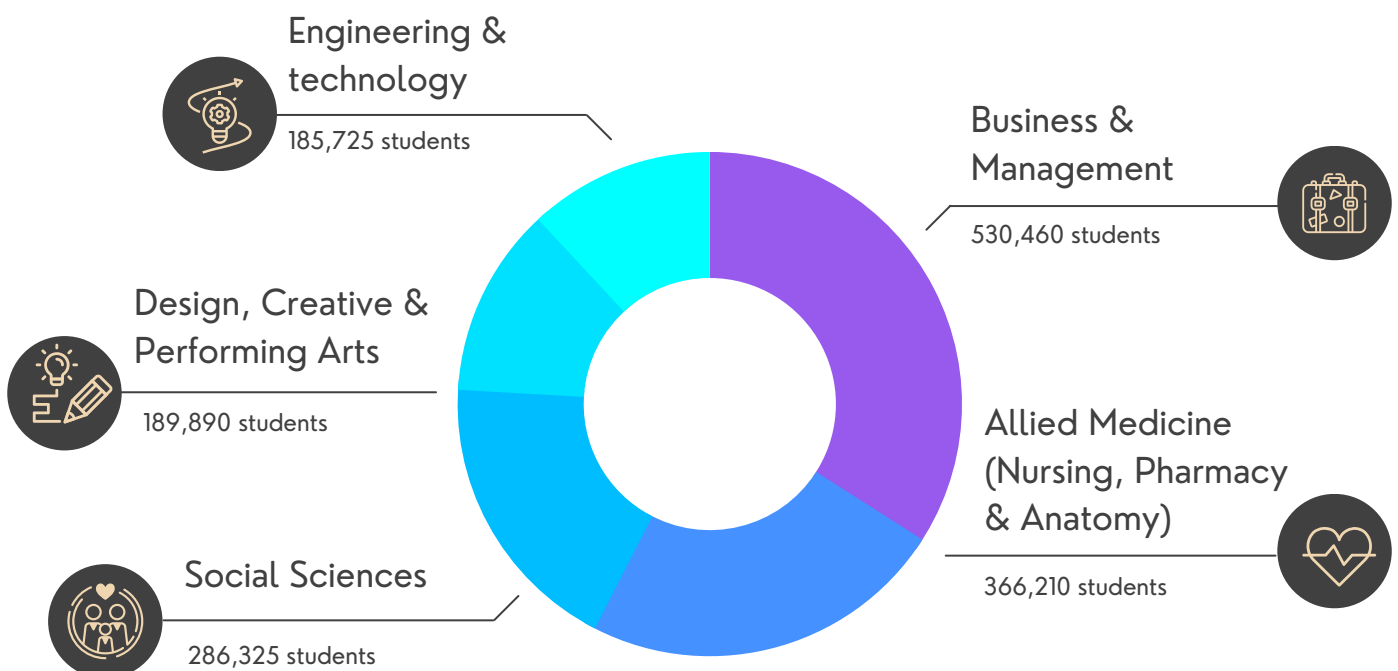
First year enrolments in business and management increased by 12%. Combined and general studies saw the second largest percentage increase with 11%.

Language and area studies is the only subject which had reduced enrolments in both 2020/21 and 2021/22. The number of students in language and area studies decreased by 5% compared with 2020/21.

While subject classification definitions pre-2019 are not directly comparable, we have previously reported a decline in the study of languages. The data indicate that this trend has continued.

The decline in numbers enrolled in language and area studies is seen at providers in England, Northern Ireland and Wales, but not in Scotland, where numbers have increased.

Top 5 subjects studied in 2021/22



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University of



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At the University of Dundee, you can join a welcoming community of over 14,000 students (including 4,000 international students), studying world-class research and courses to benefit society on a local, regional, national and global scale.

Dundee is a waterfront city on the east coast of Scotland, located on the banks of the River Tay and surrounded by some of Scotland's finest countryside. As well as being very friendly and cost-effective, Dundee is also one of the safest cities in the UK, ranked 2nd safest city in Scotland in the Complete University Guide 2022.

Our wide selection of over 500 courses and our diverse community of students attract leading academics from around the world to deliver outstanding teaching and research experiences in world leading facilities. They will inspire and nurture your passions beyond the classroom to have a positive impact on your future and the future of those around you.

Our range of scholarships can help support you financially on your career path. Our Global Excellence Scholarship rewards academic excellence and gives you £6,000 per year of study.



Dundee

We have some of the world's best researchers working with global industries, NGO's, public bodies and institutions, all with one purpose and vision: to transform lives locally and globally. You can play a key part in developing pioneering innovations that impact industry and change people's lives for the better.

For the second successive Research Excellence Framework (REF), we are the top University in the UK for Biological Sciences research (Times Higher Education). Our scientists are at the forefront of understanding the molecular pathology of human disease, with leadership bridging the interface of basic science and clinical medicine.

With links to global industry innovators and an Alumni network of successful business leaders, we open the door to successful careers. Our careers service will help you develop your employability skills, grow your network and connect with employers locally, nationally and around the world.

Our compact and self-contained campus offers you a home away from home in the heart of Dundee city. You'll be just a short walk from cultural attractions, cafes, restaurants, shops, and bars. The train and bus stations are also within a short walking distance, handy for those days exploring the best that Scotland has to offer, such as spectacular scenery and countryside, skiing, golf, hiking and watersports. Our Medical School at Ninewells Teaching Hospital and Nursing School at our Kirkcaldy campus are also easily accessible by bus and train.

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Discover the University of Dundee

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Choose from over 500 courses and study with leading researchers in world-class facilities

- Top in the UK for Biological Sciences research in the most recent Research Excellence Framework (2021 and 2014)
- Top in the UK for Graduate Prospects in Medicine (Guardian University Guide 2023)
- QS 5 star rating for teaching, employability, internationalisation, facilities, and overall (Quacquarelli Symonds 2022)



**University
of Dundee**

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Scotland, United Kingdom

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14,213

Students in the current
academic year

Awards

Top University in the UK for Biological Sciences research in the most recent Research Excellence Framework (2021)

2nd in the UK for Dentistry and 3rd in the UK for Medicine (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2023)

QS 5 Star rating for teaching, employability, internationalisation, facilities, overall, and Undergraduate Clinical Medicine MBChB (2022)

120th in the world for Biological Sciences (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2023)

Notable Alumni

Tim Eicke KC, Judge of the European Court of Human Rights

Sir James Carlisle, Former Governor-General of Antigua and Barbuda

Lord George Robertson, Secretary General of NATO

Sir Thomas Philip Winsor, Formerly Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Constabulary

Marcia Ashong, Executive Director of TheBoardroom Africa

Margaret Fairlie, Scotland's first female professor

Susan Philipsz, Turner Prize Winner





Featured Courses

BSc (Hons) Biological and Biomedical Sciences (joint degree with the National University of Singapore)

Study with two leading universities in the field of life sciences. You will gain a strong grounding in both biological and biomedical sciences, while having the unique opportunity to learn and experience the culture of two very different countries.

Your first two and a half years will be spent at the University of Dundee studying genetics, cell biology, biological organisation, molecular mechanisms and processes. You will develop your practical skills such as laboratory skills, data analysis, and experiment design.

The final one and a half years will be spent at the National University of Singapore studying either genetic medicine, neurobiology, or physiology and ageing.

Find out more: uod.ac.uk/bcc-bio

MBChB Medicine

Be a confident, able doctor, prepared for practice, by developing a flexible, patient-centred style of care, underpinned by scientific and clinical knowledge.

Places on our five-year undergraduate medicine course are highly competitive. You will be interacting with real patients from early in the course.

You will start by exploring the fundamental science that underpins the field of medicine – this will help you start to think like a doctor and begin clinical problem-solving.

For the first three years you will learn about body systems and explore clinical cases. You will also learn anatomy by dissection, using our Thiel-embalmed cadavers which retain life-like tissue quality. This experience is as close to examining the anatomy of a living person as possible and will give you an experience and understanding that no other medical school in the UK can offer.

After the first three years you'll have the option to take an extra year to specialise in a subject of interest to you (intercalate), before moving into clinical training in the last two years.

Find out more: uod.ac.uk/bcc-med

BDS Dentistry

Develop your knowledge and skills across the full range of dental disciplines and gain experience treating patients in our own dental hospital

Our curriculum will encourage you to learn in an interactive and creative way in a supportive environment. From the very beginning you learn the fundamentals of the sciences that underpin dentistry and how they apply to clinical situations. You'll be able to put your new skills into practice in a clinical environment.

By the end of the first semester you will be ready to meet your first patients, communicate professionally with them, understand their health issues, and prepare for starting simple clinical dental procedures in semester two. There are many innovative features of studying in Dundee, for example, you can work with Thiel cadavers. The Thiel method of embalming preserves cadavers with life-like flexibility and tissue quality.

You will be able to take part in research projects through summer internships and participate in the Dental Wiki project.

Find out more: uod.ac.uk/bcc-den



My experience at the University of Dundee

Laura Tan, BDS Dentistry (from Singapore, graduated 2021)

"I've had a very positive experience studying here – I was able to pursue and enjoy a course that I was passionate about and at the same time, participate and delve into a couple of co-curricular activities.

There is an exceptional amount of academic and clinical support. The Dental school has wonderful facilities, very supportive staff and an all-round amazing clinical program.

One big advantage here at Dundee is that students get introduced to the clinical aspects of dentistry very early on. Students in the 4D course get to treat patients (under the supervision of a clinician) in first year which builds their confidence incrementally.

In years 3-5, we get first-hand experience of planning and executing treatment on a wide range of patients diagnosed with a multitude of oral diseases. The small clinical staff to student ratio during each clinical sessions ensures that we all get time for personalised feedback, opportunities to ask questions and are clear on how to improve.

Dundee is a relatively small city as compared to her bigger Scottish 'neighbours', making it an extremely conducive environment for studying. I'd like to describe Dundee as a 'University Town' – everything you need is within walking distance and thus very accessible.

I've made many awesome memories here that I'll cherish in the years to come. The fondest memories I've had in Dundee would be making new friends through a variety of events such as the Singapore society, the Dentistry Wikipedia Collaboration, church events etc. Ceilidh dinners are something that everyone should experience once in their life! It is a uniquely fun Scottish experience."

Claire Sridjaja Ling Ying, MBChB Medicine (from Singapore, 3rd year student in 2022/23)

"Personally, I feel safe in Dundee - people here are quite vigilant. Compared to larger cities around the UK Dundee is a very safe place.

It's definitely very easy to travel around Scotland from Dundee. So what I would do is take either a bus from the Seagate Bus Station, really near the city centre, or you can go to the train station in Dundee as well. If you want to go to Edinburgh or Glasgow, it will take about one hour and a half, and it's very convenient.

My favourite places in Scotland, there's Dundee of course, there's also Isle of Skye, which I just went during the summer. I spent a week there and got to see many scenic views. I got to climb up the Old Man of Storr, which is a really high mountain.

The Singapore society aims to bring Singaporeans or people who want to know more about Singaporean culture together, and our motto is to create a home away from home. Thankfully the Dundee Social Club had frequent weekly frisbee sessions, and I think they're planning future karaoke sessions, and it's just really great because it brings international students together and really keeps you occupied."



Imperial Coll

Imperial College London is a global top 10 university (QS World University Rankings 2023) – the only one in the UK to specialise solely in science, technology, engineering, medicine and business (STEMB). Imperial is consistently ranked amongst the UK's top five universities (Complete University Guide 2023), and their degrees are highly valued by a wide range of employers across the globe.

Outside of the classroom, students have access to over 350 clubs, societies and volunteering projects – one of the largest ranges of any UK university.

Specialist facilities

Imperial has some amazing experimental facilities, including a flight simulator, wind tunnels and a space engineering laboratory. In the Brahmaj Vasudevan Aerial Robotics Arena – the first of its kind in Europe – engineers can simulate different terrains and create extreme conditions to test novel mobile robots. Their Data Observatory enables students to visualise and analyse complex data sets in an immersive and multidimensional environment.

Entrepreneurial facilities

Imperial has lots of dedicated facilities for budding entrepreneurs, including their Enterprise Lab – a co-working space where students can work on, experiment and test business ideas in a supportive community. They also have the Advanced Hackspace which is an open space for students to get support from professionals on any personal or research projects, from business ideas to society initiatives.

A woman with glasses and a dark sweater is pointing at a large wall display of Earth's weather patterns. The display is composed of several panels showing satellite imagery of clouds and weather systems. The text 'Imperial College London' is overlaid in large white letters across the middle of the image.

Imperial College London

Library facilities

The Central Library is open 24 hours a day, almost all year round. There are dedicated subject librarians for departments on hand to provide tailored help in finding resources for any subject area.

Sports facilities

Students get free access to some sports facilities across all campuses. Ethos, their state-of-the-art sports centre in South Kensington, includes a gym, climbing wall and 25m swimming pool.

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About the University



South Kensington, London,
SW7 2AZ, UK

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22,791

Students in the
2021/22 academic year

Awards

University of the Year – The Guardian
University Guide 2023

University of the Year for Graduate
Employment – The Times and The Sunday
Times Good University Guide 2023

3rd in Europe, 6th in the world – QS
World University Rankings 2023

Notable Alumni

Recent Singaporean alumnus
Dr Faii Ong (Medicine, 2016) founded
Gyrogear, a startup that received €1.8M
from the EU's Horizon 2020 programme
to develop a wearable technology
device that helps stabilise the hands of
people with tremors.





Featured Courses

BSc Economics, Finance and Data Science

A first-of-its-kind degree that offers you rigorous study of economics and finance, combined with data science and its applications. The curriculum you'll study has been designed with input from industry and public policy leaders, ensuring you have access to expertise in each discipline. You'll develop analytical skills and coding capabilities through in-depth study across all three subject areas.

The rich array of modules gives you the flexibility to study all three subjects in the final year or to specialise in one. You'll also take specialist modules on essential skills identified by employers, from effective communication and teamwork to emotional intelligence and corporate social responsibility. On the course, you'll have the opportunity to develop the skills to join the next generation of economists, policy experts, business leaders, and researchers, and address the big issues of our time. Find out more [here](#).

BSc Biomedical Technology Ventures

Technology continues to transform healthcare systems across the globe and its importance continues to grow. If you're excited to learn more about the applications of technological and engineering solutions to gaps in human healthcare, this is the course for you. You'll balance lectures, workshops and seminars to learn the fundamentals of mathematics, medical science and computer programming and further enrich your knowledge with courses in management and entrepreneurship, to learn how to apply your knowledge to business. There's a strong emphasis on practical work throughout the course, and you'll gain real-world experience from an internship in your second year.

At the end of the course, you'll complete a design project, where you'll design, make and test an engineering solution to a biomedical problem. You'll have the opportunity to develop the skills to join a medtech startup, or start your own, and innovate technology's role in human healthcare. Find out more [here](#).



My experience at the Imperial College London

Toby Lyall, former Singaporean resident studying for an MSc in Management

"Studying at Imperial College Business School felt like the most logical next step for me. I've been able to continue developing the analytical skills that I gained during my undergraduate degree while also learning new skills from business experts at a global top ten institution. I've had the chance to expand my skillset by studying a range of topics, from numerical and logical topics like accounting to psychological ones like organisational behaviour.

There's a strong postgraduate community at Imperial. Before starting my course, I attended a few postgraduate events that the Business School organised where I got to meet my future classmates. My course cohort is incredibly diverse and is made up of students from over 40 different nationalities. When I finish my MSc in Management, I'd like to combine the skills and knowledge I gained from my undergraduate degree in Biomedical Sciences and enter the healthcare consultancy industry. I've already attended a range of networking events that the Business School organised. I got to hear from some of the leaders in this relatively niche area and learnt more about which companies I'd like to apply to when I graduate.

Moving from Singapore to London is not as daunting as you'd expect. You still have excellent public transport, the conveniences of a big city, and I was able to quickly find some restaurants that felt like home. Make sure you bring a warm jacket though; it takes some time to adjust to English weather!"

Yee Lin Tan, Singaporean studying for an MEng in Materials Science and Engineering

"I always knew I wanted to study material science at University. I'd done multiple research projects on the subject before my A-levels and fell in love with this area of engineering. I was also keen to study my undergraduate degree in the UK. I wanted to step out of my comfort zone, meet new people from different walks of life and challenge my existing way of thinking. Imperial College London felt like the right fit for me.

It's a world top ten University and specialises in science, technology, engineering, medicine and business. It's also one of the most international universities in the UK and has a strong Singaporean community. The thing I'm enjoying most about studying at Imperial is definitely how diverse London is. The city is a melting pot of different cultures and I love being able to hop around different food markets on the weekend and try all sorts of cuisines. Having spent my whole life growing up in Singapore, I must admit that moving halfway across the world did feel daunting at first. But the support I received from the International Student Support team and the Singaporean community at Imperial soon put me at ease right away.

When I arrived in London during Welcome Season, there were talks and activities for incoming international students. I got to meet other Singaporean students, and some from even further afield, and received lots of useful tips on adapting to life in London."

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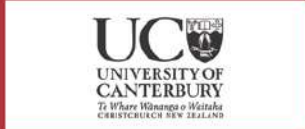
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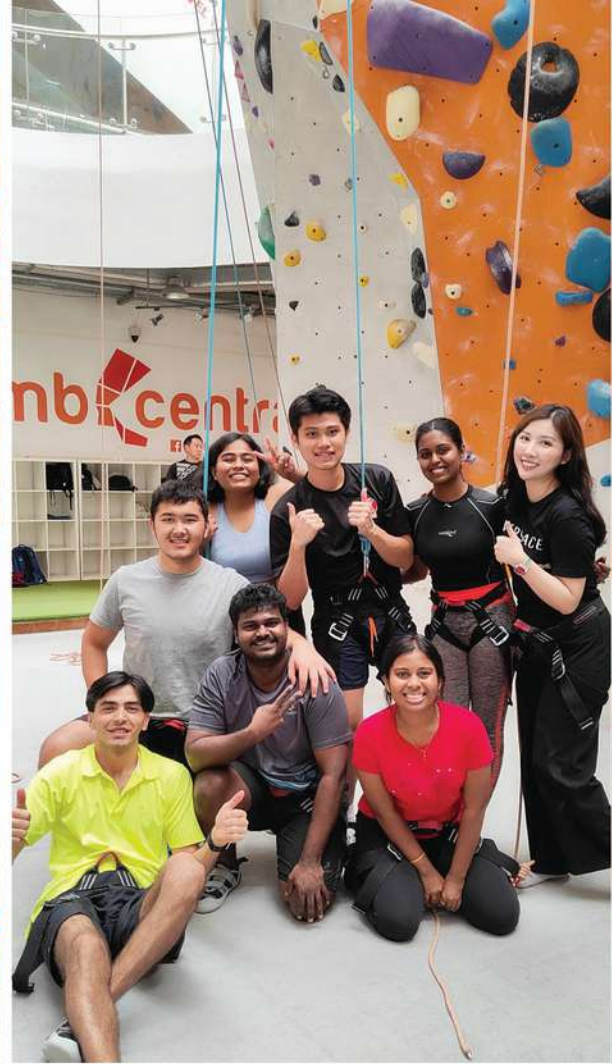
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Gold Award For Corporate Training
For Financial Management

Best Private School in Accountancy;
Best Private School in Hospitality &
Tourism

Asia Pacific Stevie Award 2023

Awarded a gold prize in
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Websites





Featured Courses

Master of Business

Administration in International Business

This programme is designed and awarded by the University Of Greenwich to prepare you for a career in business development and management by equipping you with a systematic, broad and integrated understanding of key aspects of global business. You will cover contemporary subjects such as global strategy, International marketing, sustainability and international entrepreneurship. By attending this programme, you will benefit from an innovative teaching and learning approach that consists of a mixture of independent studies, tutorials, workshops, discussions, practice research, and case studies.

Duration: 12 months (full-time), 18 months (part-time)

Intake date: Start in January, May or September.

Master of Science in Computer Science

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Duration: 12 months (full-time), 12 months (part-time)

Intake date: Starts in February, June or October.

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

in Business Studies

The Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Business Studies (top-up) programme designed and awarded by the University of Greenwich will help you meet the demands of today's fast-changing business environment. Combined with the relevant diplomas, this course acts as a fast track towards gaining a bachelor's degree in just one year. Alternatively, combine the course with a bachelor's degree and gain invaluable work experience needed to stand out to employers after graduation.

Duration: 8 months (full-time), 12 months (part-time)

Intake dates: Start in January, May or September.

Student Spotlight



The MBA at LSBF offers a comprehensive curriculum that uses real-time business and economic case studies to bring the content to life. It is delivered with enthusiasm by experienced faculty members.

- **Edward Carter, MBA**

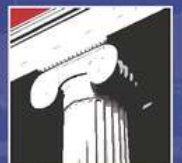
LSBF Singapore is the best private school for you if you plan to study in Singapore and choose distance learning.

- **Elizabeth Sihaloho, Business**



The reason why I chose LSBF Singapore is because the tutors are committed. The lecture notes are also specially customised for the students, placing emphasis on important areas and ensuring that it is easy to understand for students.

- **Allen Laio, ACCA Prize Winner**



The University



The University of Manchester is recognised globally for its pioneering research, outstanding teaching and learning, and commitment to social responsibility. The Russell Group institution is ranked the 6th best university in the UK and 38th in the world (Academic Ranking of World Universities).

A truly international university, its community includes more than 44,000 students, 12,000 staff, and 550,000 alumni from 190 countries working together to tackle the world's biggest challenges.

The institution is the most popular in the UK for undergraduate applications (UCAS 2021 cycle), and it is the most targeted university by the UK's leading employers (The Graduate Market, 2023).

Research Impact

Social responsibility underpins research activity at Manchester, and they combine expertise across disciplines to deliver pioneering solutions to the world's most urgent problems.

Their commitment to achieving the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals is unmatched –The University of Manchester has been named top in both the UK and Europe, and second in the world for meaningful contributions towards the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs) in the 2023 THE University Impact Rankings. They are the only university in the world to rank in the top ten for social and environmental impact in every year of the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings.

Their research impact showcase includes examples of their positive impact on culture and creativity, economic development and inequalities, health and wellbeing, innovation and commercialisation, and sustainability and climate change.



of Manchester

Research Environment

The University is a powerhouse of research and discovery; 25 Nobel laureates are among its former staff and students; and it was ranked fifth for research power – the quality and scale of research and impact – in the UK government’s Research Excellence Framework (REF) 2021.

The REF exercise also evaluated the University’s work to provide a creative, ambitious and supportive research environment in which researchers at every career stage can develop and thrive as leaders in their chosen field.

In this category, the University achieved a result of 99% ‘internationally excellent’ or ‘world-leading’, making it one of the best places in the country to build a research career.

Global Challenges, Manchester Solutions

Manchester’s research beacons are exemplars of interdisciplinary collaboration and cross-sector partnerships. They are unique to this University, enabling pioneering discoveries and improving the lives of people around the world.

Researchers in the University’s beacon areas are at the forefront of the search for innovative solutions to some of the biggest challenges facing the planet today. Working together, they are advancing knowledge for a better future.

The University’s five research beacons

- Advanced materials
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The Manchester Advantage



The Manchester Method

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Flexibility

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Triple accredited by AMBA, EQUIS & AACSB

- Manchester Global Executive MBA (18 months)
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- Manchester Global Finance Accelerated MBA (18 months)
- Manchester Global MBA (24 months)
- MSc Financial Management (24 months)

Offered by Manchester Institute of Education

Top 10 education departments in the UK according to Research Excellence Framework 2022 & QS World Ranking by Subject 2021

- MA Educational Leadership in Practice (24 months)



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2ND

in THE
Impact Ranking
2023

5TH

for
research power
REF 2021

27TH

University
in the world
QS World University Rankings
2022



25 Nobel
Prize Winners

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46,140

Students in the current
academic year

Awards

Times Higher Education University Impact
Rankings 2023 – 2nd Globally / 1st in UK

QS World University Rankings 2023 -
28th Globally / 6th in UK

2021 Research Excellence Framework
(REF) – 5th in UK Research Power

Most targeted university by the UK's top
100 recruiters according to the High Fliers
Graduate Market in 2023

Notable Alumni

25 Nobel Prize Winners
(studied/worked)

Lord Norman Foster
(Architect/Designer)

Alan Turing
(Founder of Computer Science & AI)

Dame Sally Claire Davies
(fmr. Chief Medical Advisor & Chief
Scientific Advisor for the UK)

Brian Cox
(Physicist)





Featured Courses

Manchester Global MBA

We have more than 30 years' experience of delivering professional MBAs to working global professionals through our blended learning approach. With privileged access to a worldwide network of 60,000 alumni across 176 countries, this is arguably the best contact network you will have in your career. Our students come from diverse industries which include some of the biggest global companies, SMEs, the public sector and an increasing number of entrepreneurs.

The Manchester Method of 'Learning by doing' is at the heart of what we do today. Our 'Original Thinking Applied' approach of applying the latest research to contemporary business issues has been our modus operandi since the beginning.

Our triple-accredited part-time Manchester Global MBA holds global recognition from three accreditation bodies – AACSB International, AMBA and EQUIS. This MBA will help you fulfil your aspirations and take you as far as you wish to go.

Find out more [here](#).

MSc Financial Management

Manchester's part-time MSc Financial Management programme is a global experience that provides unrivalled exposure to emerging and powerhouse economies across the Asia Pacific. With the collaboration of Manchester's Southeast Asia and East Asia Centre, the programme brings together unparalleled knowledge, extensive networking opportunities and opportunities to learn from experienced regional finance professionals.

This practical MSc introduces you to more sophisticated tools and techniques that finance practitioners regularly exploit in their profession. Whether you are looking to upskill yourself, progress your career or change professions, this course will equip you with the financial management knowledge and skills sought by organisations worldwide. Stand out from the rest of the competition!

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MA Educational Leadership in Practice

Education is constantly changing. As technology and internationalisation impacts the way people teach and learn. It is important to stay ahead of developments. Our part-time, blended MA Educational Leadership in Practice programme is designed with a cutting-edge practical approach and a heavy focus on the leadership aspect of this field. This programme will help you keep pace with developing trends and standards in education. You will gain a deeper understanding of theories, research and intellectual debates to form greater insights into the best leadership practice from across the globe. Through your study, you will apply a critical eye to your educational practice and create change in your workplace from the start. This master's also has a strong international focus, ensuring that what you learn is globally applicable.

Be the positive change your organisation needs. Make a difference today!

Find out more [here](#).



My experience at The University of Manchester

Kavickumar Muruganathan

**Sustainability & Policy Lead (Asia), Cloud Operations & Innovation, Microsoft
Study UK Alumni Awards Singapore 2023 Winner (Science and Sustainability category)**

"I'm honoured to be the winner of the Study UK Alumni Awards 2022-2023 for Science & Sustainability. Studying in the UK has given me an immersive experience. It has made me more conscious of cultures and sensitivities. It has given me the opportunity to meet with people from different walks of life, different cultural backgrounds, and diverse industries. That learning has made me a more well-rounded and holistic individual. As an engineer by training, the MBA from The University of Manchester has provided me with the skills vital to tackling the complexities posed by sustainability issues – issues centred around climate change, social inequality, and the myriad complexities of human nature.

As an adjunct lecturer at the National University of Singapore, I continue applying my skills and expertise to nurture the next wave of Global Talent in sustainability. I also mentor start-ups, fresh graduates and mid-career professionals in sustainability, looking to positively impact society and the environment. I'm very passionate about my work, and I hope my work creates an impact. I want to ensure that whatever I do has a meaningful impact not just on the industry I operate in but also on society and the communities around these industries."

Julia Olberz

MSc Financial Management Graduate 2022

"I learnt a lot about financial basics which is always important. Corporate finance and accounting are essential for my job and my daily understanding. But learning about financial markets and investments gave me a broad range of financial knowledge. Additionally, this course strengthened my analytical skills and strategic mindset. I also improved my social skills because we solved complex group work together, and it was not always easy to coordinate. Because of that, I did not only learn about important financial processes but also strengthened my character for future career positions. I now feel more confident and more comfortable talking about finance.

The class was diverse, and that is what I liked the most. The students in my class came from all over the world, and everyone was open-minded. Most of us had very different career backgrounds, and all age groups were represented. That was very interesting, and it gave me important new perspectives. I built some very meaningful connections in my class, and I am very happy about it."

Martin Lipton

MA Educational Leadership in Practice Graduate 2022

"The MA Educational Leadership in Practice course offers me the opportunity to really reflect on my leadership practice and to work with renowned academics and professionals within the Manchester Institute of Education. This has allowed me to progress not only my academic abilities but also my professional development as well.

My biggest takeaway from the course has been making connections with other professionals from diverse backgrounds who have worked alongside me on the course ranging from people who worked in primary schools in England to people who worked in IB schools in Asia. It has been very helpful in getting an understanding that we have all the same difficulties and share the same problems, and we work towards the same goals. This course has really given the education debate of what education is and how you apply it as a leader, and it was an eye-opener which enabled me to think deeper on how to support that and to develop the concept."

About Manchester Worldwide (South East Asia)

Manchester Worldwide (South East Asia) is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The University of Manchester. The University has its local presence via Manchester Worldwide (S.E. Asia), formerly known as Manchester Business School, since 1992, offering part-time Masters' programmes to students in the South East Asia region. Our current alumni network spans more than 5,700 alumni in Singapore and 18,500 alumni in the S.E. Asia region.

Located in the heart of Singapore, the centre allows ambitious and busy working professionals of diverse backgrounds from South East Asia and Oceania to immerse themselves in one of the world's most cosmopolitan business environments.

We currently run part-time programmes from Alliance Manchester Business School (AMBS) and Manchester Institute of Education (MIE). AMBS is triple accredited by AMBA, AACSB and EQUIS, making them one of the world's elite groups of business schools. MIE is one of the top ten Education departments in the UK (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021).

The programmes we offer include:

- [Manchester Global MBA](#)
- [Manchester Global Executive MBA](#)
- [MSc Financial Management](#)
- [MA Educational Leadership in Practice](#)

Our part-time, blended learning programmes offer a combination of face-to-face and online learning. The blended learning delivery approach allows students to plan their timetable to suit their schedule in their work, family, personal life and studies. It also allows them to enjoy face-to-face workshops/conferences to network and learn from their classmates. Our internationally renowned academics travel the world to teach at our 5 Global Centres: Manchester, Dubai, Hong Kong, Shanghai and Singapore, to deliver the same programme for global consistency.

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Newcastle University



Newcastle University is a world-class university dating back to 1834, with an international reputation for academic excellence. A Global Top 125 university and a founding member of the prestigious Russell Group of world-class, research-intensive UK universities, excellence comes as standard at Newcastle. Our diverse community welcomes students from all backgrounds to be part of our legacy of pioneering learning, teaching and research. Newcastle's high-quality teaching, strong research profile, and first-class student support make it one of the most popular universities in the UK.

Situated in the heart of one of the UK's most dynamic student cities, Newcastle University is home to over 28,000 students including 5,000 International students from over 120 countries. International students appreciate Newcastle's city-centre campus, excellent travel links, and low cost of living. Explore the social life, culture, history and architectural beauty of this cosmopolitan capital of the North East from our city-centre campus location.

With a staff complement of more than 5,700, Newcastle's reputation has resulted in attracting some of the leading academics and researchers from around the globe, opening access to a wealth of global experiences and expertise for our students.



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Access specialist subject facilities including:

- two commercial farms and a biological field station
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- music and media studios, rehearsal spaces, recording and editing equipment
- studios for architecture and art
- high-specification labs and clinical skills suites
- smart grid lab and energy storage test bed
- translation and interpreting suites
- on-campus museum, theatre and gallery

You'll enhance your learning through the £350 million Newcastle Helix as we work with partners to develop a living laboratory and global centre for science, technology, research and education in the heart of our city. The Helix site also hosts our triple-accredited Business School, the Frederick Douglass Centre providing state-of-the-art learning and teaching spaces, our Urban Sciences Building that's home to our School of Computing, and The Catalyst housing our three National Innovation Centres in ageing, data, and rural enterprise.

Newcastle believes in preparing students for the world of work through their degrees and support from the award-winning Careers Service. Awarded 5 QS Stars for Student Employability (2022), many of our degrees are shaped by our strong links with national and international businesses, including our Principal Partner, Siemens. Selected courses are also developed and accredited by professional organisations.

We are tackling urgent global challenges. Ranked 1st in the UK and 8th in the world for our ongoing work towards the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (UNSDGs), we're committed to social and environmental justice in everything we do.

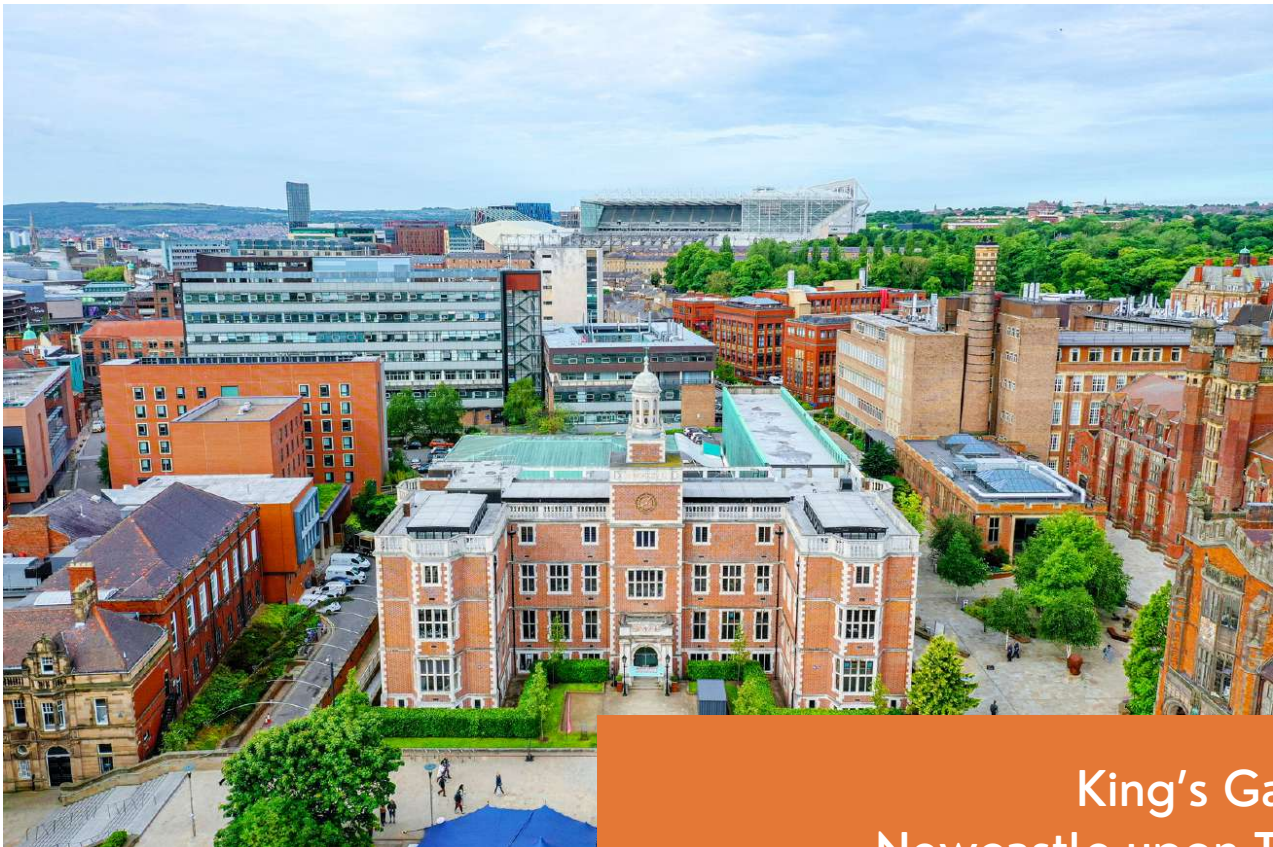
We strive for excellence and in pursuit of this aim, we have become a leading research powerhouse for Data, Energy, Cities, Ageing and Health, Culture and Creative Arts. Newcastle University has a wide range of courses across Engineering, Computer Science, Business, Social Sciences, and Bio Sciences; and also offers a range of scholarships for high-achieving students.

World Class teaching and research in one of the UK's favourite student cities.

- Global Top 125 University
- Awarded 5+ QS Stars for Excellence
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27,500

Students in the current
academic year

Awards

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122nd in the [QS World University Rankings 2023](#) (published 2022)

Awarded 5 Plus [QS Stars](#) for Overall Excellence 2022

15th in the World for Global Research Power (REF 2022)

Top 10 for sport in the [British Universities and College Sports](#) (BUCS)

93% of full-time graduates in a job or further study, [Graduate Outcomes Survey 2020](#)

Notable Alumni

Professor Sir Doug Turnbull - Director of the Wellcome Trust Centre for Mitochondrial Disease (MBBS 1976, MD, PhD 1983)

Rowan Atkinson CBE - Actor, comedian and screenwriter (BSc Electrical and Electronic Engineering 1975)

Ann Cairns - President of International Markets for MasterCard (MSc Medical Statistics 1979)

Professor Zaini Ujang - Academic administrator and environmental engineer (MSc Environmental Engineering 1991, PhD Environmental Engineering 1996)

Professor Lisa Harvey-Smith - Astrophysicist, television presenter and Women in STEM ambassador (MPhys Astronomy and Astrophysics 2002)





Featured Courses

BSc (Hons) Biomedical Sciences

This degree develops your understanding of how the human body functions in health and disease, and ensures you graduate well prepared to make a difference in modern biomedical research and/or medicine. You'll explore the links between anatomy, biochemistry, genetics, immunology, microbiology, neuroscience, pharmacology and physiology. By gaining an understanding of research in these areas, you'll learn how we can develop either preventative approaches or new treatments for a range of common diseases, such as Alzheimer's, autoimmunity, cancer, and diabetes. This degree has been accredited by the Royal Society of Biology (RSB). There is a great demand for graduates in the biomedical and biomolecular sciences within the health services and industry, particularly leading or working as part of research teams.

BEng / MEng (Hons) Engineering Degrees

Our Engineering degrees allow you to explore several engineering disciplines in year one. This flexible route is taught across Civil, Electrical & Electronic and Mechanical Engineering. You'll gain an understanding of engineering in a multidisciplinary context. You'll develop diverse skills relevant to the needs of industry and today's global challenges. After successfully completing Stage 1, you'll have the option of transferring on to one of the accredited Civil, Electrical & Electronic or Mechanical Engineering degrees. We work closely with industry so that your studies reflect the challenges engineers face in the real world. We ensure your practical, professional and academic skills continually develop through guest lectures, placement opportunities and interactions with the engineering industry through projects and visits.

MSc Advanced Computer Science

This Advanced Computer Science master's is suitable if you're an honours graduate within computing science or from a discipline with a significant computing component such as engineering or mathematics. You'll focus on both the theory and application of the associated techniques within the topics covered which include advanced programming, distributed algorithms, information management, safety and dependable systems, security and trust, formal modelling and system validation, internet programming and human factors engineering. Our Advanced Computer Science master's will provide you with the skills to pursue a career as a software architect or project manager. You'll also be able to undertake basic research or establish your own consulting or software development company. The course is accredited by the British Computer Society (BCS).

MSc International Business Management

This programme will allow you to respond to the growing internationalisation of business and management practice. We focus on the skills and knowledge needed in today's global business environment. The following pathways are offered International Business Management and International Business Management (Sustainability). This course combines subject area and practice-focused skills modules with an individual project. Our links to industry mean that we also have an employability strategy running throughout the course. You'll have the opportunity for international collaboration/exchange, enhancing your toolkit. The Newcastle University Business School is accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) and Association of MBAs (AMBA). Only 1% of business schools worldwide hold this triple crown.



My experience at the Newcastle University

**Mr. Avinash Das: MBBS, Year 4,
(current Singaporean student in Newcastle University)**

"Newcastle has welcomed me with open arms since I joined in 2019, and ever since I've felt very much at home here. It is a beautiful city up in the north with very friendly people all around, which makes settling down that much easier. The city itself has a range of things to see, places to visit and restaurants to eat at catering to whichever corner of the world you come from, so it always feels like you have a part of home with you. The university itself boasts over 100 societies so there is always something to keep you occupied. Whether it be a new skill you may want to learn such as Boxing, or being involved in a cultural society, you'll be able to find a family here in Newcastle. Newcastle's curriculum is both enriching yet rigorous, but with the early patient contact from Year 1 it equips us with the necessary skills for when we graduate. The teaching fellows and lecturers are always available and happy to help, which makes each and every student feel well supported. My plans in the foreseeable future are definitely to stay up in the north during my foundation years."

**Ms. Jennifer Grace Ambarita: BSc (Hons) Computer Science, Year 2,
(current Singaporean student in Newcastle University)**

"There are many things I like about Newcastle. While it is a small city, you can find many things to do, from shopping to going to the beach. The diverse selection of restaurants here is great, and the people here are very nice! I've made friends from around the world here and got to learn about other cultures. I enjoy the student life here too, as it has a good balance of university work and fun."

**Ms. Agnes Png Jiawen: BEng (Hons) Electronic and Electrical Engineering, Year 2,
(current Singaporean student in Newcastle University)**

Time spent in Newcastle has been rewarding and fulfilling. I learnt many life skills like cooking my meals. I developed a strict routine in managing my studies and relaxation time. I had to create a set of routine to ensure I was managing my time well without lying on the bed scrolling through my phone. Throughout my second year, I interacted with friends of different ethnicities. I developed a sense of cultural awareness and to be more understanding of sensitive topics such as religion

**Ms Ecclesia Chong: BSc (Hons) Biomedical Sciences, Year 3,
(current Singaporean student in Newcastle University)**

Newcastle is an amazing city to study in because it is extremely student friendly! The university campus is situated near the city centre which makes commuting convenient as there are Metro stations and bus stands all around. Newcastle is also budget friendly as groceries and transport are much cheaper compared to other cities. The studying experience has been excellent as all the lecturers and students are incredibly friendly and supportive. Finally, as an international student I highly recommend the university careers services for CV/job advice!

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