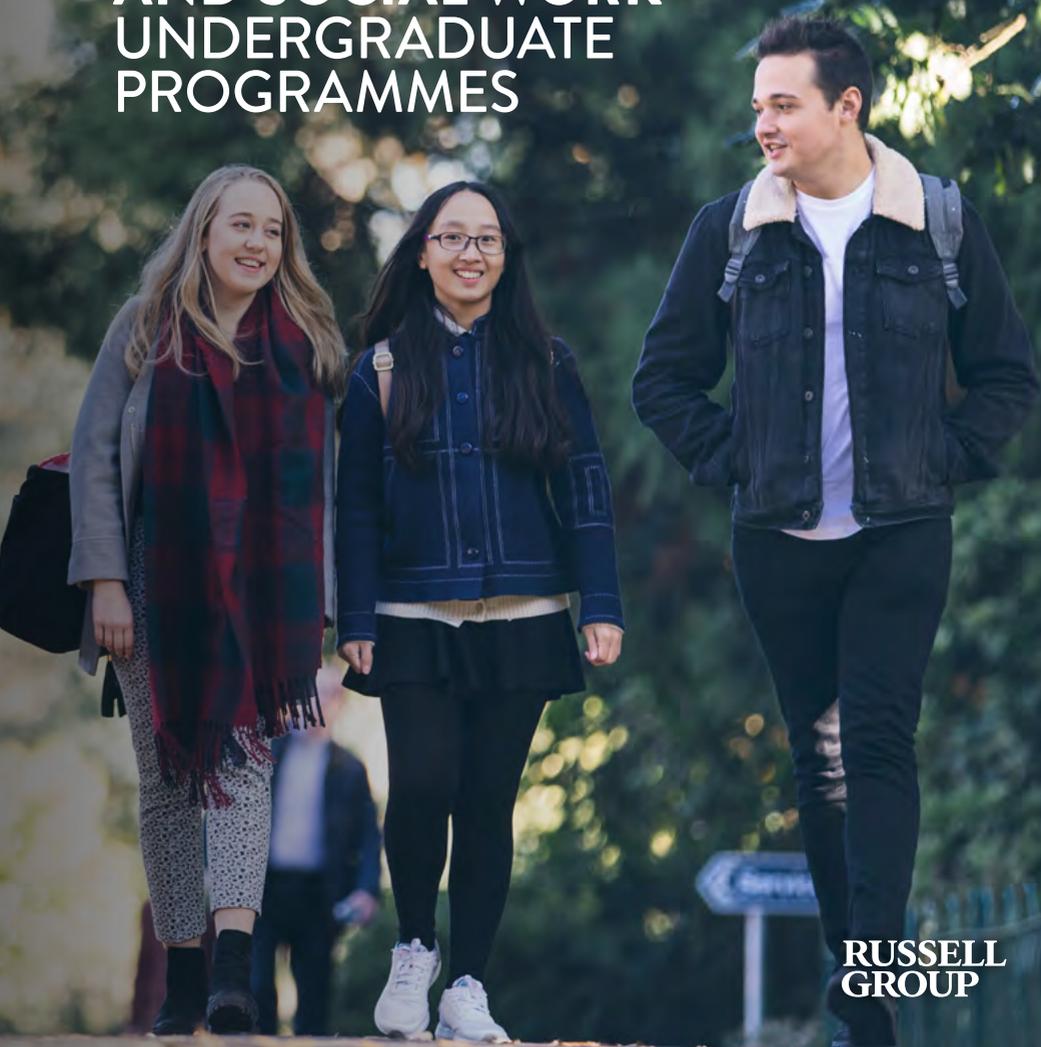




**QUEEN'S  
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BELFAST**

# **SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WORK UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**



**RUSSELL  
GROUP**

# MAKING A SOCIAL DIFFERENCE

## UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Criminology

Criminology and Social Policy

Criminology and Sociology

Education Studies

Education Studies and Social Policy

Education Studies and Sociology

Social Policy and Sociology

Social Work

Sociology

See website for most up-to-date information about our degree courses



## DISCOVER OUR COURSES



Scan the QR code below to find out more about course content, entry requirements, modules, fees and funding, and career opportunities.



Look out for a 'Register Interest' option at the top of each course page.



Over 99% of Queen's research environment was assessed as world-class or internationally excellent

Research Excellence Framework

## PREPARING STUDENTS FOR THE FUTURE

The School of Social Sciences, Education and Social work (SSESW) is a vibrant and intellectually diverse community with a single core vision – to produce first-class teaching and world-leading research that makes a positive difference to society.

From education and criminal justice to the wellbeing of children and social cohesion, internationally renowned experts carry out research that influences policy and practice locally and across countries. Students benefit from the latest insights and informed classroom discussion.



## IMMERSIVE TEACHING

Students are invited to participate in multi-disciplinary analysis of contemporary societal issues, while availing of developmental and employability opportunities. Often, undergraduate students will experience guest lecturers and take part in visits to local agencies such as prisons and security sites, social work agencies, the courts, service user and carer groups and cultural sites.



## CAREER-FOCUSSED

Our graduates are well prepared for careers in social sciences, education and social work. The School has excellent relationships with local stakeholders such as the police, prisons, charitable organisations, healthcare trusts, social work organisations, schools and education boards.

**Placements** – Social Work students will undertake two assessed practice learning placements in a real-world environment in order to become qualified and accredited. Sociology students will have access to an optional placement module in Level 3 to develop in-demand skills and an appreciation of the work-based environment.

## THINKING BEYOND

**Student Societies** – Discover the Social Work Society, Social Science Society, Education Society, United Nations Association, Queen’s Radio, and many more to suit your interests and passions.

**Study Abroad** – Explore a range of overseas study exchanges to experience another culture and unearth new ways of learning. The student exchange programmes at Queen’s allow you to spend a semester or year studying at a university in another country, as part of your degree.

# GRADUATES MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Our graduates work in a wide range of industries and sectors, locally and internationally. Some examples of rewarding career roles of graduates across our degree programmes include:

- Assistant Statistician, NI Statistics and Research Agency
- Social Community Service Coordinator, Victim Support NI
- Lecturer in Criminology, a UK university
- Lecturer in Social Work, Queen's University Belfast
- Marketing and Comms Manager, Synergy Learning
- Mental Health Social Worker, South Eastern Health and Social Care Trust
- Operational Researcher, UK Government Work and Pensions
- Probation Services Officer, HM Prison and Probation Service
- Public Affairs Consultant, Stratagem
- Regional Development Manager, Bryson Group
- School Teacher, Various schools
- Security and Business Continuity Manager, Scottish Government
- Service Improvement Lead (Dementia), Northern Health and Social Care Trust
- Social Worker, NHS
- Statistician, NI Statistics and Research Agency
- Youth Engagement Facilitator, Oasis Youth



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I was taught by academics that are truly passionate about their field and who set coursework which was exceptionally varied and designed with employability skills in mind.

**Social Policy and Sociology Graduate**

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*Scan the code to watch a student day in the life video*

## FIND OUT MORE

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