



**QUEEN'S  
UNIVERSITY  
BELFAST**

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A BETTER  
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# A WORLD OF POSSIBILITIES AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY BELFAST





# A WARM WELCOME FROM THE ACTING PRESIDENT AND VICE-CHANCELLOR

Queen's University is among the top one per cent of global universities\* and I am delighted that you are considering joining us in Belfast.

A modern capital city, Belfast is a vibrant hub for the creative and tech sectors, and is known for its welcome, accessibility and affordability.

From the day you arrive at Queen's, you will be part of a world-class international university built on a foundation of exceptional teaching, cutting-edge research, innovation, collaboration and engagement.

With some £700m invested in the student experience – we're invested in you. We develop global leaders, so that our students can compete for their dream career, wherever in the world it may take them.

Queen's is globally connected and networked with strategic partnerships across the globe. Our links with over 250 partner institutions across the world, and ongoing collaboration with over 3,000 local, national and international employers, will help you develop and make an impact on the world.

I hope you make the decision to join us at Queen's. I look forward to welcoming you and ensuring that your time here becomes the platform for a truly wonderful, exciting and fulfilling career.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'James C McElroy'.

**Professor James C McElroy**  
Acting President and Vice-Chancellor

\*QS World University Rankings 2018/  
Webometrics.info

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# WHY QUEEN'S?

As a world-class Russell Group university, Queen's University Belfast welcomes over 2,200 international students from over 82 countries to the UK's best city\* every year.

Our research-driven teaching inspires the leaders of tomorrow, and we are proud that our international network of over 160,000 Queen's alumni are making a difference in over 120 different countries. Here are just some of the reasons why you should join our globally-minded, innovative community.

\* Belfast named Best UK City in Guardian and Observer Travel Awards (2016)

# OUR EXCELLENCE BY THE NUMBERS



We're ranked in the  
**top 1% of universities**  
in the world  
(QS World University Rankings 2018/  
Webometrics.info)



17 Queen's subjects  
**in the top 200**  
in the world  
(QS World Rankings  
by subject 2017)



We're in the  
**world's top 25**  
most international  
universities  
(Times Higher Education World  
University Rankings 2018)



We're the  
**fastest growing**  
Russell Group University for  
international students  
(HESA, 2011 – 2014)



We're ranked  
**8th in the UK**  
for research intensity  
(REF 2014)



**94% of our graduates**  
are in employment or further study  
six months after graduation  
(HESA Destination of Leavers from Higher  
Education Survey, 2015/16)



We've invested  
**over £700m in**  
our exceptional facilities that  
are now ranked among the  
best in the UK and Ireland



We're ranked in the  
**top 200 in the world**  
for graduate prospects  
(QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2018)

# WELCOME TO BELFAST

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As the capital of Northern Ireland, Belfast is one of the UK's friendliest, most vibrant and affordable student cities. Its cinematic beauty is world-renowned: surrounded by mountains and with 47 city parks to explore, forest walks and nature trails are on your doorstep, while charming beaches and epic countrysides are less than 25 minutes away.

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## HERITAGE MEETS MODERNITY

The fabric of Belfast changes as you move effortlessly from quarter to quarter – from the cobbled streets and fascinating architecture of the Cathedral Quarter to the sleek urban waterfront development of the Titanic Quarter, home to the city's flourishing film industry.

## BUZZING SOCIAL SCENE

Belfast's long tradition in music, art and culture is amplified by world-class galleries and museums, large-scale entertainment venues and concert halls, as well as independent music and arts venues.

The superb St George's Market is the centre of the city's booming gourmet scene and Belfast is brimming with great international restaurants, thriving urban cafés and craft breweries.

You'll also find hip vintage shops, whimsical art markets, designer boutiques and multi-brand department stores.



# THE BELFAST EXPERIENCE

As a major UK capital, Belfast is big enough to attract global industry and compete in the international knowledge economy, but small enough to get around easily amid an atmosphere of friendliness, hospitality and openness.



Belfast is one of Europe's  
**most hip and vibrant**  
capital cities  
(Lonely Planet, 2017)



Belfast has the  
**lowest cost of**  
living in the UK  
(Mercer, 2016)



Belfast is in the  
**safest region**  
in the UK  
(British Crime Surveys,  
2015/16)



We offer the  
**lowest student rent**  
in the UK  
(NatWest Student Living Index, 2017)



Northern Ireland:  
**happiest place**  
in the UK  
(Office for National  
Statistics, 2016)



It's just a  
**15-minute**  
walk from campus  
to city centre



Belfast City Hall



Victoria Square



Game of Thrones is filmed in Belfast and Northern Ireland



Titanic Belfast

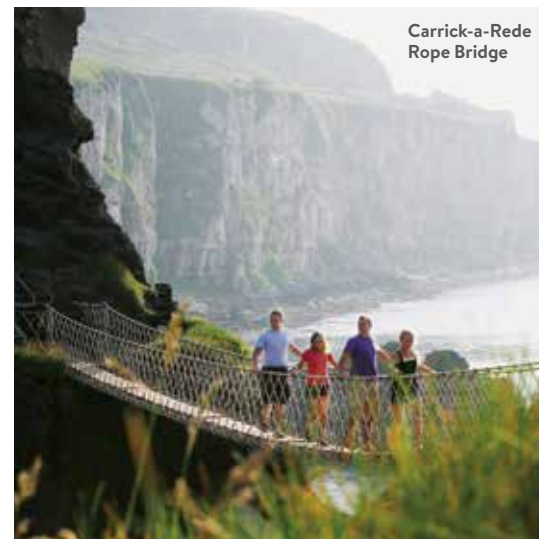


# NORTHERN IRELAND'S LEGENDARY BEAUTY

There's plenty to see outside the city, too, including the famous filming locations for the HBO series *Game of Thrones*, the awe-inspiring Giant's Causeway, voted the UK's best Heritage Attraction, and the Mourne Mountains, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty canonised as CS Lewis' Narnia.



The Dark Hedges, as featured in *Game of Thrones*



Carrick-a-Rede Rope Bridge

**‘YOU DON'T HAVE  
TO GO FAR TO FIND  
GREEN SPACE’**

“I’d always heard about how beautiful the landscape was in Northern Ireland, but I never imagined it would be so close to University that I could almost reach out and touch it. Expect a breathtaking sight at every turn, whether it be mountains, beaches or forests. What made me fall in love with Northern Ireland even more is the fact that you don’t have to go very far to indulge in some green space. The Botanic Gardens, the towpath along the Lagan River, and the parks in the city are all walking distance from campus. Belfast was the perfect choice of city for me: it is small enough to feel like home, but big enough to hold a new adventure every day.”

Farah Hamdan, BSc Environmental Management, from Lebanon



The Giant's Causeway

# GETTING HERE



2 airports in Belfast,  
Dublin airport only  
90 minutes away.



58 direct flight  
destinations from  
Belfast to UK,  
Europe and the USA.



1 hour from London,  
35 flights per day.



# JOIN OUR GLOBAL COMMUNITY

Queen's is a truly international university, ranked 25th in the world for global outlook.\* With links to over 250 universities and 3,000 companies around the world, we offer a universal student experience and career-defining access to our inspiring worldwide network.

## WE'LL GIVE YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO:

- Meet students from over 82 countries worldwide.
- Gain the edge in the global job market.
- Study, work or volunteer abroad.
- Learn from and contribute to world-changing research.
- Access to 160,000 alumni network.
- Spend a semester or a full academic year at another global university.

[go.qub.ac.uk/globalcampus](http://go.qub.ac.uk/globalcampus)



\*Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2018

# QUEEN'S WORLDWIDE NETWORK



## THE AMERICAS

- 80 Study Abroad partnerships with American institutions.
- New academic partnerships in São Paulo with FAPESP (São Paulo Research Foundation).
- Working to promote healthy urban living in Brazil.
- Tackling diabetes-related blindness with collaborators at the University of Utah and Dublin City University.
- Co-ordinating UK's input into the world's largest solar telescope in Hawaii.
- Leading participatory projects involving communities in Belfast and favelas in Maré, Rio de Janeiro.

## MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

- Partnership with Dubai Healthcare City to develop the Mohammed Bin Rashid University of Medicine and Health Sciences.
- Working in Kenya to reduce global crop loss in the developing world.
- Working to improve child growth outcomes in Africa.
- Drug trials to prevent HIV and Aids in Africa.
- Queen's has established strong ties with 12 partner universities in Jordan over the past two decades.

## INDIA

- Internship partnership with leading technology firm Infosys.
- Exchange partnership with Manipal University.
- £20,000 of GREAT scholarships awarded to gifted students from India for postgraduate taught courses for 2017-18.
- In 2016, researchers at Queen's led the first ever study into the impact of the built environment on levels of exercise and physical activity among people in India.

## SOUTH EAST ASIA

- Partnership with Malaysian oil and gas giant Petronas.
- Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education (LPDP) sponsors postgraduate studies at Queen's.
- Queen's welcomes PhD students through the Vietnam International Education Development (VIED).

- Partnership with Brickfields Asia College (BAC) and Queen's Law LLB course.
- Partnership with International Medical University (IMU) and Queen's MB Medicine.

## CHINA

- Partnership with Queen's China College in Shenyang.
- Five UK-China joint laboratories and one joint research centre.
- Joint Foundation Programme with Shenzhen University.
- Partnered with the China Scholarship Council to offer up to 10 fully-funded PhD scholarships each year.
- Leading a Russell Group collaboration with nine 985 Project universities in China.



# RESEARCH WITH GLOBAL IMPACT

As one of the world's top research-intensive universities, Queen's is committed to addressing major social challenges through our Global Research Institutes (GRIs). These flagships for interdisciplinary research bring together a critical mass of world-renowned researchers to address global issues. How do we tackle cancer, respiratory conditions, eye disease? How do we help societies recovering from conflict? How do our lives stay secure in the midst of the expanding information explosion? We're answering the world's big questions – and we're doing it here in Belfast.

## FIGHTING WORLD HUNGER

The Institute for Global Food Security is at the forefront of tackling one of the greatest global challenges – how to ensure a sufficient, safe and nutritious supply of food for the world's population.

[go.qub.ac.uk/gri-igfs](http://go.qub.ac.uk/gri-igfs)

## BUILDING A PEACEFUL SOCIETY

The Senator George J Mitchell Institute for Global Peace, Security and Justice is helping governments, international agencies and civil society answer questions about peace, security and justice, informed by the post-conflict society in Northern Ireland.

[go.qub.ac.uk/gri-mitchell](http://go.qub.ac.uk/gri-mitchell)

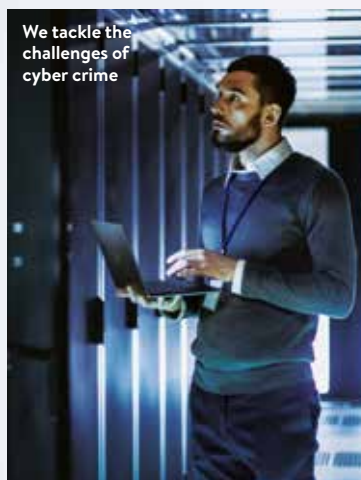
## PROTECTING AGAINST CYBER CRIME

The multi award-winning Institute of Electronics, Communications and Information Technology (ECIT) is the research anchor at Catalyst Inc – formerly the Northern Ireland Science Park – one of the UK's largest research and innovation campuses. Tackling challenges associated with digital growth, ECIT is developing the next generation of cyber security technologies, redefining wireless communications and addressing the information explosion through data science and scalable computing.

[ecit.qub.ac.uk](http://ecit.qub.ac.uk)



Queen's scientists are fighting world hunger



We tackle the challenges of cyber crime

Queen's works with governments and society to bring about peace



## WORKING TO CURE DISEASE

The Institute of Health Sciences is focused on addressing cancer, respiratory conditions, eye disease and diabetic vascular complications through its three operational divisions: the Centre for Cancer Research and Cell Biology (CCRCB), the Centre for Public Health (CPH) and the Wellcome-Wolfson Institute for Experimental Medicine.

[go.qub.ac.uk/gri-ihs](http://go.qub.ac.uk/gri-ihs)

## OUR RESEARCH HAS A DIRECT IMPACT ON YOU

"I chose Queen's because of the sheer amount of research happening at the Centre for Cancer Research and Cell Biology (CCRCB). This up-to-the-minute research informs our lectures, and we then have a chance to apply what we've learned in a real-world setting through hospital-based teaching.

Doctors nowadays are more than just doctors, they are clinical researchers, too. I gained valuable insight into the biomedical research at the CCRCB as part of a summer studentship. This gave me the opportunity to interact daily with leading researchers and scientists in the labs who were happy to give their time to teach and guide me.

It was inspiring to be in an environment where medical breakthroughs are made literally every week. I now feel confident that I would like to have a research aspect to my daily clinical life. I want to be a part of the upcoming generation of medical researchers making a difference in the world."

**Tejas Harita, Bachelor of Medicine undergraduate from the UAE**



## ENABLING YOUR FUTURE CAREER

We can help you plan to develop your employability throughout your time at Queen's and beyond. We can support you in making career decisions and help you take advantage of opportunities including studying abroad, work experience and graduate jobs. We also give you opportunities to stretch your ambitions by meeting employers and participating in career development programmes.



### EMPLOYER-ENDORSED SKILLS AWARD

Degree Plus allows you to gain accreditation for work-related activities that you undertake outside of your degree. The award is supported by employers who recognise the value of extracurricular experience. Over 1,000 students graduate with Degree Plus every year.

### CONNECTING YOU WITH EMPLOYERS

Many employers hire graduates that they already know. Internships place you with an employer. It's the best way to gain insight into how the world of work and business operates (see example overleaf). Some internships are part of vocational courses. Some, like our Graduate Internship Programme, support new graduates in gaining paid, graduate level employment.

### GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES

Queen's encourages students to take advantage of a period of study at an overseas university or an international work placement as part of their degree. Our most popular international scheme is the European Erasmus Programme\*.

The scheme enables students to spend part of their degree studying or working in another European country. Queen's also has a growing range of options outside of Europe, including programmes in Australia, Canada, China, India and the USA.



**Erasmus+**

\*The Erasmus Programme is funded with the support of the European Union. Continued participation post-Brexit is to be confirmed.



# YOUR CAREER STARTS HERE

The careers and employability services we offer include:

- One-to-one consultations with professionally qualified careers consultants
- Dedicated employer engagement staff and an internship programme, allowing you to make vital connections with potential future employers.
- Workplace Study Tours (eg Brussels, London).
- Global Leadership Programmes (eg Asia, USA).
- Alumni mentoring connections with employers and alumni around the world.



## FURTHER INFORMATION

### Careers, Employability and Skills

[qub.ac.uk/careers](http://qub.ac.uk/careers)

### Degree Plus

[qub.ac.uk/degreeplus](http://qub.ac.uk/degreeplus)

### Internationalise your Study

[go.qub.ac.uk/goglobal](http://go.qub.ac.uk/goglobal)

### Employability

[go.qub.ac.uk/employability](http://go.qub.ac.uk/employability)

### Development Weeks

e: [developmentweeks@qub.ac.uk](mailto:developmentweeks@qub.ac.uk)  
w: [go.qub.ac.uk/developmentweeks](http://go.qub.ac.uk/developmentweeks)

“Through Queen’s Careers Guidance, I got the opportunity to complete a work placement at Aegon Ireland, Dublin. The real-world work experience has hugely increased my skillset. I’ve improved my IT skills, communication skills, time organisation and my interpersonal skills. More than that, my confidence has gradually increased throughout my placement year.”

Cellar Tan, BSc Actuarial Science and Risk Management, from Malaysia



# OUR INSPIRING ALUMNI

Queen’s prestigious alumni are leading thinkers and creatives. Three Nobel Prize winners are linked to Queen’s and many of our graduates are household names - not just in Northern Ireland but around the world - and we are very proud of them.

“The personal development courses at Queen’s were invaluable to my career development. I had the opportunity to meet people from all different backgrounds and ethnicities which has made me more open, eloquent and entrepreneurial. My time at Queen’s inspired me to continue to find ways that art can make an impact on society.”

Katarina Glowicka,  
PhD Music and  
Sonic Arts 2008,  
from Poland



Composer and lecturer  
in computer music, Royal  
Conservatory of Brussels

Find out more:  
[qub.ac.uk/alumni](http://qub.ac.uk/alumni)

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£2.2M HAS BEEN  
DONATED TO  
QUEEN’S STUDENT  
PROJECTS BY PROUD  
ALUMNI

# SUPPORTING OUR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

We offer a warm welcome to each one of our 2,200 students from all over the world, and we recognise that our international students, in particular, may need some extra help making the transition to university life in Belfast. Our wide range of support services and teams at the Student Guidance Centre (SGC) are here to assist you every step of the way.

## WELCOMING YOU TO BELFAST

The International Student Support team will look after and support you before, during and after you arrive in the UK. The team offers specialist visa and immigration advice; orientation programmes; a welcome service; tours of the University's academic and recreational facilities and the city of Belfast; and advice on adjusting to University academic study, life in University accommodation, living expenses and local immigration requirements.

## RESILIENCE, WELLBEING AND COUNSELLING

Our qualified and experienced counsellors can help work through any personal, academic and emotional difficulties that impact on your studies. International Students also benefit from access to additional support services, including our Health Centre and childcare facilities.

Find out more at  
[qub.ac.uk/isso](http://qub.ac.uk/isso)  
[go.qub.ac.uk/studentguidance](http://go.qub.ac.uk/studentguidance)



## 'QUEEN'S FELT LIKE HOME IN NO TIME'

"You are guaranteed a warm welcome at Queen's, which starts with a meet-and-greet at the airport. During International Welcome Week, there are lots of opportunities to meet new people, with different activities ranging from competitions to pub crawls and traditional dancing. The Buddy scheme means you can discover this new place together with other international students. The support network at Queen's made the transition to life in Belfast easy, and Queen's felt like home in no time."

**Maria Luiza Amadeu Henriques dos Santos, LLB International Business Law, from Brazil**



## 'I FELT SUPPORTED FROM THE START'

"The communication from the staff at Queen's was extremely quick and helpful right from my first email inquiry. None of the other UK universities I visited offered the same level of facilities and support that is available to students at Queen's. The friendly and helpful staff made me feel comfortable straight away and the activities during Welcome Week made it easy to meet people and made the transition to my new life in Belfast much easier. Queen's provides a world-class student experience."

**Saad Almohammed, LLB (Hons), LLM, PhD Researcher, from Kuwait**



## FAITH PROVISION

Our chaplains and other religious representatives serve students and staff across 12 faiths and denominations. The Belfast Islamic Centre's two prayer rooms are within easy reach of campus, while there are student societies for a wide range of religions.

## INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE:

- **International Ambassador programme** - an initiative that invites talented international students to serve as an ambassador for Queen's.
- **Degree Plus** - an employer-endorsed skills award (see page 22).
- **Buddy programme** - pairs new students with returning students to make it easier for you to meet new people and make new friends.



# THE BEST OF STUDENT LIFE

**Our Students' Union is ranked 6th in the UK for student experience**

The Times Higher Student Experience Survey 2017

Queen's Students' Union is rated among the top in the UK and is the largest single campus SU in Ireland. Run by students, for students, this social and entertainment space will ensure your time in Belfast is enriching, rewarding and fun.

## JOIN THE CONVERSATION

The Students' Union offers a range of support services including volunteering and enterprise opportunities, clubs and societies, advice, entertainment, bars, shops and much more. Our elected Student Officers are here to represent you and campaign to make the changes you want happen.

## FIND A HOME FROM HOME

Queen's Quarter is one of the most diverse parts of Northern Ireland, with international supermarkets, halal grocers and restaurants within a 10-minute walk of the main campus.

We regularly host multicultural events for all our students, celebrating cultures and traditions from around the world and marking key dates, such as Chinese New Year celebrations.

## MAKE NEW FRIENDS

Meet new people, have fun and make the most of your time at Queen's by joining one of our 200+ clubs and societies. There's a wide range to suit everyone including sport, gaming, creative, cultural, academic and charitable groups – or if you can't find one that suits you, you can even start your own!

## ENRICH YOUR LIFE

Queen's campus is home to Northern Ireland's premier art house cinema, the Queen's Film Theatre, and the vibrant and exciting Naughton Gallery, the Seamus Heaney Centre for Poetry and the Brian Friel Centre for Theatre Research. Find out more at

**[qubsu.org](http://qubsu.org)**



# SPORT AT QUEEN'S

There is a thriving sports culture at Queen's, offering a choice of over 50 different sports clubs, and our multimillion pound indoor and outdoor facilities are within easy reach of the main campus. We're the only place in the UK and Ireland to showcase rugby, Gaelic games and soccer in one space, while our Physical Education Centre boasts a 25m swimming and diving pool, two multipurpose sports halls, a martial arts area, two climbing walls, eight squash courts and two handball courts.



A performance by Queen's Chinese Society



Surfing is just one of the activities you can get involved in at Queen's



Queen's fencing team competes in events around the UK and Ireland

## JOIN THE CLUB

"By joining a club or society here at Queen's, you will have no problem in meeting new people, socialising and enjoying your time at University. Multicultural campus events enrich your university experience and allow you to learn about different cultures, interact with people from all over the globe and make new friends."

**Moustafa Faheem, MEng  
Computer Science, Islamic  
Society President, from Egypt**





# YOUR BELFAST HOME



**WE'RE IN THE  
UK TOP 10 FOR STUDENT  
ACCOMMODATION**  
(The Telegraph, 2015)

Studying in Belfast is a fantastic experience. It's even better when you know you're living somewhere safe, comfortable and affordable.

## **AFFORDABLE ACCOMMODATION, GUARANTEED**

Queen's currently has over 2,249 places in our student accommodation with a further 1,237 student rooms to be added by September 2018. As an international student, you will be guaranteed a place in Queen's accommodation for your first year, which means you can take advantage of the most affordable purpose-built student accommodation in the city while undertaking a world-class education and making friends for life.

[stayatqueens.com](http://stayatqueens.com)



## **ACCOMMODATION FEES**

### **Cost per week:**

Twin bedroom with shared facilities  
**prices from £73**

En suite single room  
**prices from £127**

Exclusive one-bedroom apartment  
**prices from £165**

## **YOUR OPTIONS, AT A GLANCE**



- Single or mixed gender accommodation
- Residences suitable for couples and families
- Private or shared bathrooms
- Studio, one – six bedroom apartments
- Twin, standard, premium standard and en suite room options
- Dedicated no-alcohol accommodation



# LOCATIONS

FROM  
£73



## QUEEN'S HOUSES Mount Charles, 76 Malone Road, College Gardens

**Location:**  
In the heart of Belfast's  
most ethnically-diverse  
and culturally-rich areas

**Room options:**  
Twin rooms, standard,  
double, premium and  
en suite rooms

**Walk to campus:**  
5-10 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
5-10 minutes

**Price:**  
From £73

Independent  
Living

FROM  
£73



## GUTHRIE HOUSE 14-40 Fitzwilliam Street

**Room options:**  
Twin rooms, premium  
standard rooms

**Walk to campus:**  
5 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
15 minutes

**Price:**  
From £73

PRICE ON  
REQUEST



## CITY CENTRE Elms BT1 and Elms BT2

**Location:**  
Close to city retail  
areas, cafés and  
restaurants

**Room options:**  
Single en suite  
bedrooms in 3-6-bed  
apartments  
and studios

**Walk to campus:**  
15 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
Less than 5 minutes

**Price:**  
See [stayatqueens.com](http://stayatqueens.com)  
for updated prices.

Brand  
New

FROM  
£127



## WILLOW WALK

**Location:**  
Enclosed  
development, on the  
perimeter of Elms  
BT9

**Room options:**  
Studios, one-four  
bed apartments and  
two-bed premium  
apartments (family

apartments available)

**Walk to campus:**  
15 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
15 minutes

**Price:**  
From £127

FROM  
£107



## GRANT HOUSE 64 Malone Road

**Room options:**  
Standard premium  
rooms

**Walk to campus:**  
10 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
15 minutes

**Price:**  
From £107

FROM  
£97



## ELMS BT9

**Location:**  
Residential (modern,  
comfortable and  
secure)

**Room options:**  
Standard, premium and  
majority (70%) en suite  
rooms

**Details:**  
50 three-storeyed  
blocks; 10-11 bedrooms  
per floor with shared  
common room and  
kitchen.

**Lifestyle choices:**  
Quiet living, no alcohol,  
single sex

**Walk to campus:**  
15 minutes

**Distance to City  
Centre:**  
15 minutes

**Price:**  
From £97

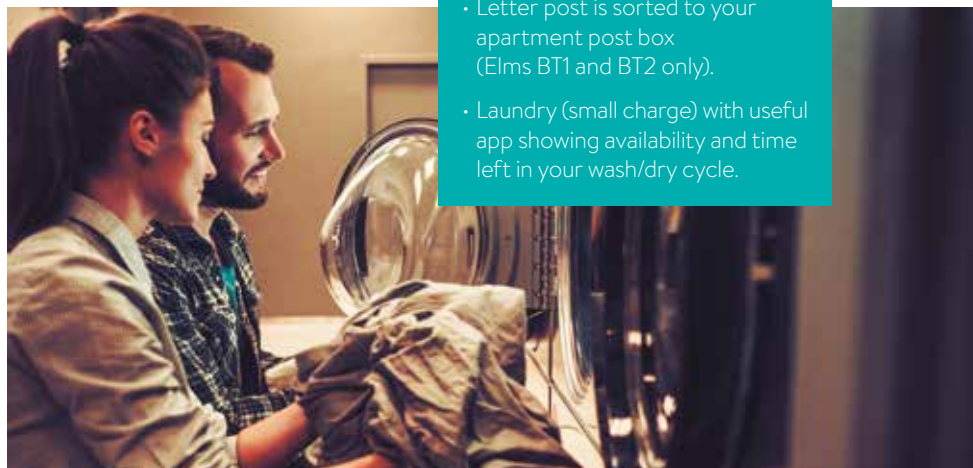


## NO HIDDEN CHARGES

Our all-inclusive residential fees include all utility bills (electricity, heating and hot water), contents insurance, maintenance repairs, TV licence for communal areas, weekly clean of communal areas and high-speed broadband with Wi-Fi throughout all accommodation. For your convenience we also have a variety of payment plans to help you decide which best suits your situation.

## SAFE AND SOCIAL

Accommodation is offered on a self-catering basis and our campus communities are designed to make you feel at home and help you make friends. From the moment you arrive, we'll do what we can to manage and support your living needs. This includes a Residential Life programme featuring events and pastoral care, 24/7 safety and security, as well as regular maintenance. Our Residential Life Co-ordinators also offer support, help and guidance on settling into student life in Belfast.



## WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- All-inclusive fees.
- Free gymnasium access for all Queen's Accommodation students.
- Student common lounge with games tables and a bar offering free tea and coffee.
- Rooms available for private, group study or society meetings.
- Reception open 7 days per week.
- 24/7 Safety Team.
- Residential Life team provide pastoral support, organise trips and social events.
- Contents insurance included free of charge.
- Full maintenance support 7 days a week.
- Complimentary cleaning of communal areas.
- Parcel post system: you get an email notification when your parcel arrives.
- Letter post is sorted to your apartment post box (Elms BT1 and BT2 only).
- Laundry (small charge) with useful app showing availability and time left in your wash/dry cycle.

## HOW TO APPLY FOR ACCOMMODATION

Register online and complete an application form as soon as you have received a conditional or unconditional offer to study at Queen's. Information on how to apply will be sent automatically to all offer holders and you are advised to apply even if Queen's is your insurance choice.

**Applications open in January 2018**

## AFFORDABLE PRIVATE RENTALS

Once you decide to move on from Queen's Accommodation, there are a range of student rental options in the city – all within walking distance of campus. What's more, as Belfast has the lowest student rent in the UK\*, you're sure to find something to suit your budget. There are five main areas where students choose to live: The Holylands, Lisburn Road, Ormeau Road, Stranmillis Road and Botanic Avenue. The website [nihestudentpad.co.uk](http://nihestudentpad.co.uk) is recommended by the Students' Union to help students search for private rental accommodation.

*\*NatWest Student Living Index 2017*

Find out more  
T: +44 (0)28 9097 4525  
[stayatqueens.com](http://stayatqueens.com)



## MAKE QUEEN'S YOUR HOME

"I love doing tours of Queen's Accommodation for new international students as they are always wowed by the cost and quality of the rooms. Many international students – particularly those from the USA – expect to have to share a bedroom on campus, especially as the rent is so affordable. The new students I meet are always pleasantly surprised to find that the majority of options at Queen's include private bedrooms, many with en suite bathrooms. Meanwhile, students from Eastern countries are relieved that the University caters for cultural sensitivities with single sex and alcohol-free living available. What's more, international students are guaranteed a room on campus.

Student rent in Belfast for both University Accommodation and private rentals is cheaper than other UK University cities. After living in Queen's Accommodation for six months, I have now moved into a house just 10 minutes from campus and the rent is very affordable. Friends come and visit from other UK university cities and they are struggling to find student accommodation for double what I am paying."

**Gireesh Subbiah, MPH Public Health, Indian Student Ambassador**



# EXPLORE OUR WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES

Step inside your £700m campus. You'll benefit from substantial investment in our teaching facilities that has developed our historic campus into an innovative learning environment for our exceptional students and staff.

## OUR EVER-EVOLVING CAMPUS

The £20m School of Law, including a Moot Court Room, and a student social hub, exemplifies Queen's commitment to the future-thinking needs of its students. Further along the campus skyline, the exciting new facilities and space in the colourfully redeveloped Computer Science Building marks our recognition of the importance of this subject to the global market.

## BOARD THE 'STARSHIP FOR SCHOLARS'

Designed by the same architects behind the libraries at Yale and Harvard, its little wonder Nobel laureate Seamus Heaney dubbed the McClay Library a 'starship for our scholars.' Blending the best features of a traditional library with the latest smart technology, you'll have access to extensive book and journal collections, reader spaces, temperature-controlled computer workstations and group study rooms.



94% STUDENT  
SATISFACTION SCORE  
FOR LIBRARY AND  
I.T. SERVICES

National Student Survey 2015



The Computer  
Science Building

## INTELLECTUAL AND SOCIAL HUB

The Graduate School offers an intellectual and social hub that connects students across all disciplines to one another, and to mentors, leaders, and employers within the University and beyond.

## A CONNECTED CAMPUS

The Wireless Campus Project is a £1.93m investment programme providing a world-class service of connectivity across the University through more than 2,000 access points. It enables you to have anytime, anywhere access to the resources you need.



The Physical Education Centre

## SUPPORTING LANGUAGE LEARNING

Our Language Centre provides you with the opportunity to acquire skills in a foreign language and improve your career prospects through our advanced multimedia facilities.



WE'RE RANKED  
2<sup>ND</sup> IN THE UK  
FOR UNIVERSITY  
FACILITIES

(Times Higher Education Student  
Experience Survey 2017)



The Graduate School



The McClay Library



## FEES AND FUNDING

£1.5m in scholarships is available to International students each year

Queen's believes in rewarding hard work and excellence. Each year, the University announces over £1.5m worth of scholarships for talented, fee-paying International students. Our fantastic scholarship opportunities can help ease financial stress and enable you to achieve your academic ambitions. Most of all, a prestigious Queen's Scholarship is a reward in itself; recognising student excellence within a top Russell Group university. Applicants should ensure that they check the Schools' websites for details of available School funding:

[go.qub.ac.uk/intlschol](http://go.qub.ac.uk/intlschol)  
[www.qub.ac.uk/schools](http://www.qub.ac.uk/schools)

Note: some Schools at Queen's may offer studentships/scholarships or bursaries available outside the centrally allocated awards.



### EARLY BIRD AND LOYALTY REWARDS:

**Award:** Loyalty Scholarship

**Eligibility:** Undergraduate and Postgraduate Taught students, including Exchange and Study Abroad students, returning to study a full-time postgraduate research programme at Queen's University

**Amount:** 20% tuition fee reduction on year 1 Application

**Application Process:** Application required – apply online

LOYALTY SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED  
TO ALL STUDENTS PROGRESSING  
BETWEEN PROGRAMME LEVELS

**Award:** Early Bird Reward

**Eligibility:** All new International students enrolling onto a full-time degree programme, who hold an unconditional offer, and who pay fees in full, by 30 June 2018 (some exclusions apply)

**Amount:** 10% discount on gross fees – may be used in conjunction with other scholarships

**Application Process:** No application necessary, automatically awarded to those who meet the criteria

EARLY BIRD REWARD IS OPEN TO ALL  
NEW STUDENTS!

### UNDERGRADUATE:

**Award:** International Office Undergraduate Scholarship

**Eligibility:** All new International students enrolling onto a full-time undergraduate programme (some exclusions apply)

**Award:** Award of £2,500 (fee rate 1) or £3,000 (fee rate 2) on year 1 exclusively

**Application Process:** No separate application required – apply to study at Queen's and you will be automatically assessed

**Award:** Vice-Chancellor's International Attainment Scholarship – Undergraduate

**Eligibility:** Two new International students enrolling onto a full-time undergraduate programme (some exclusions apply)

**Amount:** Full tuition fees paid for all years of programme [max. 4 years]

**Application Process:** Application required – apply online

For a full list of terms and conditions, please refer to:

[go.qub.ac.uk/intlschol](http://go.qub.ac.uk/intlschol)

## POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT:

**Award:** International Office  
Postgraduate Taught Scholarships

**Eligibility:** All new International students enrolling onto a full-time postgraduate taught programme (Some exclusions apply)

**Amount:** Award of £2,000 (fee rate 1) or £3,000 (fee rate 2) on year 1 exclusively

**Application Process:** No separate application required – apply to study at Queen's and you will be automatically assessed

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**Award:** Vice-Chancellor's International Attainment Scholarship – Postgraduate Taught

**Eligibility:** Two new International students enrolling onto a full-time Postgraduate Taught programme, one of which will be a Queen's Management School programme (some exclusions apply).

**Amount:** Full tuition fees paid for all years of programme [max. 3 years]

**Application Process:** Application required – apply online

## POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH:

**Award:** International Office  
Postgraduate Research Scholarships

**Eligibility:** All new International students enrolling onto a full-time postgraduate research programme (Some exclusions apply)

**Amount:** Award of £2,500 (fee rate 1 and Juris Doctor programme) or £3,000 (fee rate 2) on year 1 exclusively

**Application Process:** No separate application required – apply to study at Queen's and you will be automatically assessed

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**Award:** Vice-Chancellor's International Attainment Scholarship – Postgraduate Research

**Eligibility:** One new International student enrolling onto a full-time Postgraduate Research programme (Some exclusions apply)

**Amount:** Full tuition fees paid for all years of programme [max. 3 years]

**Application Process:** Application required – apply online



## FEES

The tuition fee rates for non-EU students for the academic year 2018–19 are given overleaf in pounds sterling, with the approximate equivalent in US dollars. Exchange rates may vary, and all fee payments must be made in pounds sterling.

Tuition fees are subject to a 2% annual inflationary uplift. The tuition fees quoted are for the academic year 2018-19 only.

## PAYMENT OF TUITION FEES

All International students must fulfil financial arrangements at registration before commencing study at the University. The options available to pay tuition fees are:

- pay the full tuition fee on enrolment, by credit/debit card, by bank transfer or by sterling cheque, or
- sign up to a Direct Debit and make a minimum 25% payment at enrolment, followed by three monthly payments, in November 2018, January and March 2019.

The Direct Debit scheme is only available to those who have a current account with a UK bank, which is registered for the Direct Debit scheme. Please note that 25% of the tuition fee liability, due at enrolment, is non-refundable.

For full details of the Withdrawal Policy, please refer to [go.qub.ac.uk/fundyourfuture](https://go.qub.ac.uk/fundyourfuture)

For some courses, students are required to purchase instruments, equipment, or attend field trips. The funds required to cover such students' needs may exceed the above fees. These amounts suggested do not take account of funds to support any dependants. For more information, see the online Course Finder

[qub.ac.uk/courses](https://qub.ac.uk/courses)

## COST OF LIVING

Belfast has the lowest cost of living in the UK (Mercer 2016). For immigration purposes, non-EU students will be required to show evidence of funds to cover living expenses. For more information, visit

[go.qub.ac.uk/intvisa](https://go.qub.ac.uk/intvisa)

## US FEDERAL LOANS

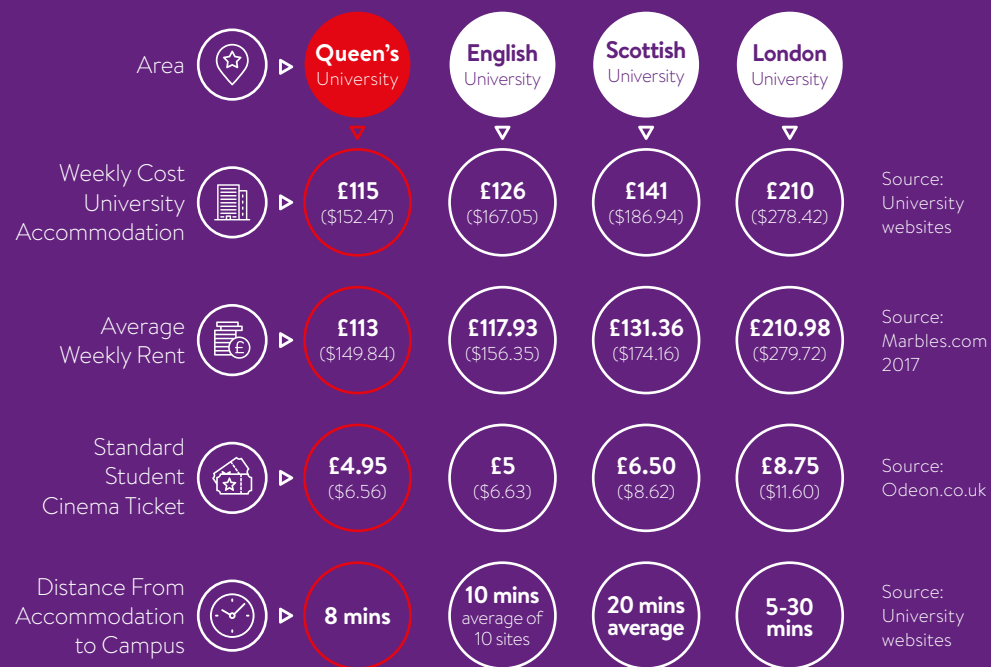
Many US students opt to finance their studies at Queen's through US Federal Loans. Queen's is approved by the US Department of Education for participation in the Title IV Federal Loans programme.

US Federal Loans are generally available to eligible students who will be undertaking Bachelor's, Master's or PhD programmes at Queen's, except in Medicine and Nursing. Students can normally borrow up to the full cost of attendance of their programme (including tuition, subsistence and airfare).

[qub.ac.uk/isso](https://qub.ac.uk/isso)



## THE UK'S MOST AFFORDABLE STUDENT LIVING



An approximate equivalency is shown at the following rate (October 2017): \$1.33=£1

# The best value UK city for students

Mercer 2016

## INTERNATIONAL TUITION FEES

COURSE AND LEVEL OF STUDY	2018-19 (£)	2018-19 (US\$)
Undergraduate		
Classroom Based	15,550	20,195
Laboratory Based	19,500	25,390
Pre-clinical Based	19,950	25,909
Clinical Based	37,695	48,955
Postgraduate Taught		
Classroom Based	15,700	20,390
Laboratory Based	19,600	25,455
Pre-clinical Based	n/a	n/a
Clinical elements of Medical and Dental courses	35,800	46,494
Postgraduate Research		
Classroom Based	15,855	20,591
Laboratory Based	19,700	25,584
Pre-clinical Based	n/a	n/a
Clinical elements of Medical and Dental courses	36,540	47,455

**Study Abroad:**  
£6,795 for 2018-19  
(US \$8,898)

**One Academic Year:**  
£11,900 for 2018-19  
(US \$15,581)



An approximate equivalency is shown at the following rate (November 2017) US\$1.31 =£1

A person with blonde hair tied back, wearing a light-colored coat and blue jeans, stands with their back to the camera on a grassy hill. They are looking out over a vast cityscape at sunset. The sky is filled with dramatic, dark clouds illuminated by the low sun, creating a warm, golden glow over the entire scene. The city below is densely packed with buildings and houses, with some industrial structures visible in the distance. The overall mood is contemplative and hopeful.

**YOUR FUTURE  
STARTS HERE**



# APPLYING TO QUEEN'S

## UNDERGRADUATE

Most undergraduate students make their applications through UCAS (Universities and Colleges Admissions Service). The UCAS application deadline for International Students is 30 June 2018, except for those applying for Medicine and Dentistry who should apply by 15 October 2017. Applicants should apply online at:

**[ucas.com](https://ucas.com)**

A Direct Entry Application form can be used by international applicants who wish to apply directly, and only, to Queen's or who have been asked to provide information in advance of submitting a formal UCAS application. The direct application must not be used to apply to Medicine or Dentistry.

## POSTGRADUATE

Postgraduate applicants should use the Online Application System for the majority of taught courses and research programmes at Queen's.

For full details of the Undergraduate and Postgraduate application procedures, please visit:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/Intapply](https://go.qub.ac.uk/Intapply)**

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants will normally need to demonstrate a minimum level of proficiency in English language equivalent to an overall score of IELTS Academic 6.0, or TOEFL 80 (internet-based test); however, many courses have higher requirements. Please note that minimum scores will be required in each component of the test.

More information about acceptable English language qualifications can be found at:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/EnglishLanguageReqs](https://go.qub.ac.uk/EnglishLanguageReqs)**

Guidance regarding the acceptability of qualifications from other countries is available at:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/Yourcountry](https://go.qub.ac.uk/Yourcountry)**

For full details of programme entrance requirements, see the Queen's online Course Finder:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder](https://go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder)**

## ADMISSIONS AND ACCESS SERVICE

The Admissions and Access Service processes the vast majority of applications to the University. We have a team dedicated to handling applications from International Students, who can provide answers

to any queries you might have about entry requirements and how to apply. Please see:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/admissionsservice](https://go.qub.ac.uk/admissionsservice)**

## VISA AND IMMIGRATION

Visa and immigration requirements can sometimes seem intimidating; Queen's provides a high level of support and advice on UK student visas directly for you. Working within the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner's code of standards (OISC), the International Student Support team is here to help you make a smooth transition from your home country to life in Belfast.

For information on how visa requirements are calculated, as well as Points Based System (PBS) and your Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) number, please see:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/intvisa](https://go.qub.ac.uk/intvisa)**

Further information is also available at:

**[gov.uk/visas-immigration](https://gov.uk/visas-immigration)**

## EXPLORING EUROPE

During your time at Queen's, we hope you will take the opportunity to travel to other countries. You may decide to do this during vacation periods for tourist purposes, or you might go on a field trip with your School. Travelling will widen your knowledge and understanding of other cultures and enhance your experience in the UK. If you will be travelling, you may not need a separate visa (depending on your nationality). For more information on travelling within Europe, including visa requirements, visit the UKCISA website here:

**[go.qub.ac.uk/Traveleurope](https://go.qub.ac.uk/Traveleurope)**



## MEET QUEEN'S STAFF

Our International Office staff attend educational events in several countries and are available for admissions advice and guidance. For more information, please contact the international office:

**[qub.ac.uk/International/Contact-us](https://qub.ac.uk/International/Contact-us)**

# INTO QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY BELFAST

INTO Queen's University Belfast is a college of the University providing a range of academic preparation and English language courses to help prepare International Students for future study at Queen's. At the INTO Queen's Centre you will find premium facilities, an inspiring learning environment and staff dedicated to the highest standards of teaching and personalised student support.

INTO>>>



## INTO ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES

INTO Queen's offer a range of English language courses for International Students who need to meet the English requirements for study on an academic programme at INTO Queen's or a degree at Queen's University Belfast.

## ACADEMIC ENGLISH

Academic English has start dates in April, June, September and January of each year and is run in term blocks, giving students the flexibility to choose when they start their course in order to reach the appropriate level of language proficiency for further academic study.

## PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH

Pre-sessional English courses of four, six or 10 weeks are available for students who hold offers with Queen's University and need to improve their standard of English before commencing their degree programmes at Queen's. Your course length will depend on your current language level and degree requirements. Depending on your level of English, you will receive a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS), which covers the Pre-sessional English course only, or a joint CAS, which covers both the Pre-sessional English course and your degree programme. You can also apply online at:

[go.qub.ac.uk/INTOapply](https://go.qub.ac.uk/INTOapply)

## APPLYING TO INTO QUEEN'S

To apply to INTO Queen's, simply visit: [intostudy.com/en-gb/apply](https://intostudy.com/en-gb/apply) and follow the step-by-step explanation on how to apply online or offline.

## IN-SESSIONAL

International Students at Queen's are entitled to attend a tuition-free, two-hour-per-week, semester-long, In-sessional English language course at the INTO Queen's Centre. A small charge is applicable to cover books and materials.

## INTO ACADEMIC PREPARATION PROGRAMMES

The International Foundation provides a pathway to the first year of a wide range of undergraduate degrees at Queen's, subject to successful completion of the programme and meeting the required degree requirements.

### There are three pathways available:

- Architecture
- Business, Humanities and Social Sciences
- Engineering and Science

## INTERNATIONAL YEAR ONE

The International Year One programme, leading to the award of the International Diploma, provides International Students with a high-quality education equivalent to the first year of an undergraduate degree at a UK university. Subject to reaching

the required grades, students can go directly to the second year of a relevant undergraduate degree.

### There are four pathways available:

- Accounting
- Engineering
- Management and Finance
- Integrated International Year One in Engineering

## GRADUATE DIPLOMA

The Graduate Diploma is a full-time academic programme that prepares you for direct entry to selected Master's courses at Queen's University Belfast.

### We offer three pathways:

- Finance
- Management
- Social Sciences

### 'Friendly and welcoming'

"Thanks to the welcoming and friendly environment at INTO, I've made friends from all over the world, and achieved success, both academically and personally."

**Safiyeh Heidarzadeh,**  
Queen's alumna from Iran





# UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL (NON-EU) APPLICANTS

## Please note

This information is intended as a guide to the general entry requirements for undergraduate programmes, expressed in terms of minimum grades required in GCE A-levels; however, alternative international qualifications awarded by a recognised organisation may be accepted.

The University welcomes applications from International students and further details about the acceptability of qualifications from other countries are available on the University's website at:

[go.qub.ac.uk/yourcountry](http://go.qub.ac.uk/yourcountry)

Please refer to the online Course Finder for further information on individual programmes and up-to-date entry requirements:

[go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder](http://go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder)



Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Accounting	BSc	3	N	6.5	ABB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Actuarial Science and Risk Management	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	AAA including Mathematics	15,550
Aerospace Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) C, + GCSE Physics Grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) + GCSE Physics Grade B or equivalent	19,500
Anthropology	BA	3	N	6.5	BBC	15,550
Applied Mathematics and Physics	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) B (Physics) C	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB (including Physics)	19,500
Archaeology	BA	3	N	6.5	BBC	15,550
	MSci	4	N	6.5	ABB + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Archaeology-Palaeoecology	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBC + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Architecture	BSc	3	N	6.5**	ABB plus evidence of artistic ability + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Audio Engineering	BSc	3	N	6.0	BBB including Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry, Technology and Design, Electronics, Further Mathematics or Double Award Applied Science; + GCSE Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Biochemistry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBC including Chemistry and at least one from Biology (preferred), Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Biology (if not taken at A-Level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Chemistry and at least one from Biology (preferred), Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Biology (if not taken at A-Level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Biological Sciences	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBC including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Biomedical Science	BSc	3	N	6.5	ABB/BBB. Two Science subjects including Biology/Human Biology or Chemistry (preferably both) + GCSE Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Broadcast Production	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Business Economics	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Business Information Technology with a Year in Industry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	15,550
Business Management with Placement	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Chemical Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	B (Mathematics) BC (including at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Biology or Physics) + GCSE Chemistry and Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Biology or Physics) + GCSE Chemistry and Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500



Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Chemistry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	B (Chemistry) BC including a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	ABB including Chemistry and a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Chemistry with Professional Studies	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4	N	6.0	ABB including Chemistry and a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Civil Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Biology, Chemistry or Physics) C, + GCSE Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	AB (Mathematics and at least one from Biology, Chemistry or Physics) B, + GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
Computer Science	BEng <sup>1</sup> BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.0	BB (including Mathematics or Computing) C, or BBB including Physics or Chemistry + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB including Mathematics or Computing, or AAB including Physics or Chemistry + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Computing and Information Technology with a Year in Industry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.0	BBC/BBB (depending on subjects offered) + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Criminology	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Dentistry	BDS	5	N	7.5**	AAA (Chemistry and Biology) at A-level, or A (Chemistry) AB (from Biology, Maths and Physics) at A-level plus A in a fourth AS-level or equivalent. Biology is required to at least AS-level (Grade B), if not offered at A-level. GCSE Mathematics (Grade C) (or equivalent) is required, if not offered beyond this level.	30,597
Drama	BA	3	N	6.5	BBC	15,550
Economics	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade A or equivalent	15,550
Economics and Accounting	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Economics with Finance	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade A or equivalent	15,550

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) C, and GCSE Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) and GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
English	BA (Single Hons)	3	N	6.5	BBB including English	15,550
	BA (Joint Hons)	3/4	N/Y	6.5	BBB including English. Check requirements for other subject.	15,550
Environmental and Civil Engineering	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	AB (Mathematics and at least one from Biology, Chemistry or Physics) B, and GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
Environmental Management	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBC including at least two from Biology, Economics and Geography + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent, or BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
European Planning	MPlan	4	Y	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Film and Theatre Making	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Film Studies and Production	BA	3	N	6.5	BBC	15,550
Finance with a Year in Industry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	ABB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBB including Biology or Chemistry (preferably both) + GCSE Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology or Chemistry (preferably both) + GCSE Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Food Science and Food Security	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology or Chemistry (preferably both) + GCSE Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
French	BA <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB/BBB including French grade B	15,550
Geography	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBC (normally including Geography Grade B) + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500



Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
History	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Human Biology	BSc	3	N	6.5	ABB/BBB. Two Science subjects including Biology/Human Biology or Chemistry (preferably both) + GCSE Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
International Business with a Language [French, German, Portuguese, Mandarin Chinese, Spanish]	BSc <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB (including French/German/Mandarin/Portuguese/Spanish) + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
International Politics and Conflict Studies	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
International Studies and Politics	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Irish	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB including Irish grade B	15,550
Law	LLB	3	N	6.5	ABB	15,550
Law with Politics	LLB	3	N	6.5	ABB	15,550
Law Senior Status	LLB	2	N	6.5	2:1, or 2:2 Honours degree plus experience/Master's degree	15,550

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Marine Biology	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBB including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Mathematics	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) BC	15,550
	MSci	4	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB	15,550
Mathematics and Computer Science	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) BC	15,550
	MSci	4	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB	15,550
Mathematics and Statistics & Operational Research	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) BC	15,550
	MSci	4	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB	15,550
Mathematics with Finance	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB	15,550

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Mechanical Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Maths) C, + GCSE Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Maths) + GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
Medicinal Chemistry	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	B (Chemistry) BC including a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	ABB including Chemistry and a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Medicinal Chemistry with Professional Studies	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.0	ABB including Chemistry and a second Science subject + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Medicine	MB BCh BAO	5	N	7.5**	AAA (Chemistry and Biology) at A-level, OR A (Chemistry) AB (from Biology, Maths and Physics) at A-level plus A in a fourth AS-level or equivalent. Biology is required to at least AS-level (Grade B), if not offered at A-level. GCSE Mathematics and Physics (or equivalent) are required, if not offered beyond this level. UKCAT is also required	Estimated fees: £19,950 (Yr 1 & 2) £37,695 (Yr 3 onwards) Fees subject to annual inflationary increase.
	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBC including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry grade B (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Microbiology	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry grade B (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500



Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Midwifery Sciences	BSc	3	N	7.0**	CCC including Biology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics + 5 GCSE subjects at grade B or equivalent, including Mathematics and a Science subject (Chemistry, Physics or Biology) BCC where a relevant Science subject is not offered + 5 GCSE subjects at grade B or equivalent, including Mathematics and a Science subject (Chemistry, Physics or Biology)	£15,550 + Clinical placement fee £1,500
Music	BMus	3	N	6.5	BBB including Music. Grade VIII Theory of Music (ABRSM, Trinity-Guildhall or LCM (not Popular Music Theory)) is acceptable in lieu of A-level Music	15,550
Music and Audio Production	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Music and Sound Design	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Music Performance	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB plus successful audition	15,550

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Nursing: Adult Children's Learning Disability Mental Health	BSc <sup>2</sup>	3	N	7.0**	CCC including Biology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics + 5 GCSE subjects at grade C or equivalent, including Mathematics and a Science subject (Chemistry, Physics or Biology)  BCC where a relevant Science subject is not offered + 5 GCSE subjects at grade C or equivalent, including Mathematics and a Science subject (Chemistry, Biology or Physics)  Note: this programme is not suitable for international candidates who are already qualified nurses and midwives in their own country, as much of the learning would be repeated. Applicants should instead consider the BSc Hons Health and Clinical Studies or BSc Hons Nursing (Top-Up) (see below)	15,550 + 1,500 Clinical placement fee

Subject	Course	Duration (Years)	Placement	IELTS*	Entrance Requirements	Course Fees (£)
Nursing: Health and Clinical Studies	BSc <sup>3</sup>	2 (Including placement)	Y <sup>^</sup> ^ 450 hours of clinical placements in the NHS	6.0	BBC These programmes are designed for Nurses and midwives who are qualified to diploma level in their own country, to bring their qualification to degree level. The BSc Nursing (Top-Up) is only open to registered nurses.	15,550  + 1,500 Clinical placement fee
	BSc <sup>3</sup>	1	N	6.0	Application for admission is direct to the University and not via UCAS. Please contact the School of Nursing and Midwifery for details on entrance requirements, how to apply and associated information: nur.registry@ qub.ac.uk	15,550
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.5**	BBB including Chemistry and at least one from Biology (preferred), Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Biology and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Pharmaceutical Sciences	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.5**	BBB including Chemistry and at least one from Biology (preferred), Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Biology and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

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Pharmacy	MPharm	4	N	6.5**	ABB (Chemistry and one from Biology (preferred), Mathematics or Physics) + GCSE Biology and Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Philosophy	BA	3	N	6.5	BBC	15,550
Physics	BSc	3	N	6.0	BB (Mathematics and Physics) C	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and Physics)	19,500
Physics with Astrophysics	BSc	3	N	6.0	BB (Mathematics and Physics) C	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and Physics)	19,500
Physics with Medical Applications	BSc	3	N	6.0	BB (Mathematics and Physics) C	19,500
	MSci	4	N	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and Physics)	19,500
Planning, Environment and Development	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBC + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Politics	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Politics, Philosophy and Economics	BA	3	N	6.5	ABB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550



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Product Design Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) C, and GCSE Physics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics (preferred), Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) and GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
Psychology	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Social Policy and Sociology	BA (Joint Hons)	3	N	6.5	BBC (except BA Joint Honours with Criminology for which the requirements are BBB)	15,550
Sociology with Quantitative Methods	BSc	3	N	6.5	BBB + GCSE Mathematics grade B or equivalent	15,550
Software and Electronic Systems Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	3/4	N/Y	6.0	BB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics, Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics) C, and GCSE Physics Grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB (Mathematics and at least one from Physics, Biology, Chemistry or Further Mathematics), and GCSE Physics Grade B or equivalent	19,500

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Software Engineering	BEng <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.0	BB (including Computing or Mathematics) C, or BBB including Physics or Chemistry + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	ABB including Computing or Mathematics, or AAB including Physics or Chemistry + GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
Spanish and Portuguese Studies	BA <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB including Spanish grade B	15,550
Spanish	BA <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	6.5	BBB including Spanish grade B (except BA Joint Honours with Anthropology for which the requirements are BBC including Spanish grade B)	15,550
Structural Engineering with Architecture	MEng <sup>1</sup>	4/5	N/Y	6.0	AB (Mathematics and at least one from Biology, Chemistry or Physics) B, and GCSE Physics grade B or equivalent	19,500
Theology	BA	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
	BD (Divinity)	3	N	6.5	BBB	15,550
Theoretical Physics	BSc	3	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) B (Physics) C	15,550
	MSci	4	N	6.0	A (Mathematics) AB (including Physics)	15,550

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Zoology	BSc <sup>1</sup>	3/4	Optional/Y	6.5	BBB/BBC including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500
	MSci <sup>1</sup>	4/5	Optional/Y	6.5	AAB/ABB including Biology and normally at least one from Chemistry (preferred), Geography, Mathematics or Physics + GCSE Chemistry (if not taken at A-level) and GCSE Mathematics grade C or equivalent	19,500

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\*\*\* Fees quoted are for the first year and are subject to a 2% inflationary uplift each year. [www.qub.ac.uk/Study/Course-Finder/](http://www.qub.ac.uk/Study/Course-Finder/)

Details of other English language qualifications acceptable to the University are available on our website at: [go.qub.ac.uk/EnglishLanguageReqs](http://go.qub.ac.uk/EnglishLanguageReqs)

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# POSTGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL (NON-EU) APPLICANTS

## Please note:

This information is intended as a guide only to the general entry requirements for postgraduate taught programmes in terms of the UK undergraduate 2.1 (Second-class Honours, Upper Division) or 2.2 (Second-class Honours, Lower Division) degree qualification. Most programmes require completion of a degree in a relevant area.

Professional qualifications and/or experience may be considered in combination with academic qualifications for entry to some programmes, on a case-by-case basis.

Information on postgraduate entry requirements specific to your country and English language qualifications is available at:

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

Detailed entry requirements (UK system) and further information on individual programmes are available at: [go.qub.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://go.qub.ac.uk/pgstudy)

Some courses operate a closing date for the submission of applications. Please consult the online Coursefinder for details at

[go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder](https://go.qub.ac.uk/coursefinder)

If you have any queries, please contact International Admissions at:

[intl.student@qub.ac.uk](mailto:intl.student@qub.ac.uk)



Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Accounting and Finance	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200
Advanced Food Safety	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	19,600
Animal Behaviour and Welfare	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	19,600
Anthropology	MA	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Applied Cyber Security	MSc	1	6.0	2.1	19,600 NB: £1,000 deposit (deducted from tuition fee required).
Applied Cyber Security with Professional Internship	MSc <sup>1</sup>	2 (incl. sandwich year)	6.0	2.1	19,600
Architecture: Master of Architecture	MArch	2	6.5**	2.1 + additional requirements – please see the online Course Finder for details	19,600
Arts and Humanities	MRes	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Arts Management	MA	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Bioinformatics and Computational Genomics	MSc	1	6.5**	2.1	15,700
Building Information Modelling Project Management	MSc [PgDip]	1 (MSc) 9 months (PgDip)	6.5 [6.5]	2.2 [3rd]	15,700 (MSc); 10, 467 (PgDip)

Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Clinical Anatomy	MSc	1	6.5**	Medical or dental degree or 2.1 (previous degree must include human anatomy)	19,600
Conflict Transformation and Social Justice	MA	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 plus Masters	15,700
Construction and Project Management	MSc [PgDip]	1 (MSc) 9 months (PgDip)	6.5 [6.5]	2.2 [3rd]	15,700 (MSc) 10,467 (PgDip) 5,233 (PgCert)
Construction and Project Management with Industrial Internship	MSc <sup>1</sup>	2 yrs (1 yr FT study + 1 yr industrial internship)	6.5	2.2	15,700
Data Analytics	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	15,700
Ecological Management and Conservation Biology	MSc [PgDip]	1 (MSc) 9 months (PgDip)	6.0 [6.0]	2.2 [Pass degree]	19,600 (MSc) 13,067 (PgDip)
Economics	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	17,600
Education: Applied Behaviour Analysis	MSc	1 (course is delivered online – not eligible for Tier 4 visa)	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Education: Autism Spectrum Disorders	MSc	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700

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Education: Children's Rights	MSc	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Education: Doctorate in Education (Professional Doctorate)	EdD	4	6.5	2.2 and Masters + experience	15,700
Education: Educational Leadership	MSc	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Education: Educational Studies	MEd	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Education: Inclusion and Special Needs Education	MEd	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Education: Postgraduate Certificate in Education	PGCE	1	6.5	Honours degree (Additional requirements apply – please see the online Course Finder for details)	15,700
Education: TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages)	MSc	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700



Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Education: TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) (Professional Doctorate)	EdD	4	6.5	2.2 and Masters and experience	15,700
Electronics	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	19,600
Electronics with Professional Internship	MSc <sup>1</sup>	2 yrs (1 yr FT study + 1 yr professional internship)	6.0	2.2	19,600
English (Media and Broadcast Production)	MA, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
English (Creative Writing)	MA, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1 + written piece	15,700
English (Poetry: Creativity and Criticism)	MA, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1 + written piece	15,700
English (English Literary Studies)	MA, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1 + written piece	15,700
Environmental Engineering	MSc, PgDip	1	6.5	2.2	19,600 (MSc) 13,067 (PgDip)
Film	MA	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and recent relevant experience	15,700
Finance	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200

Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Global Food Security (Food Safety)	MSc, PgDip, PgCert	Online/Distance Learning (DL) <sup>3</sup> P/T PG Cert - 1 yr PG Dip - 2 yrs MSc - 3 yrs	6.0	2.2	These fees have not been set for 2018-19. 2017-18 fees are: 58.00 per CATS point MSc (180 CATS): 10,440 PgDip (120 CATS): 6,960 PgCert (60 CATS): 3,480
Global Security and Borders	MA	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
History	MA	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Human Resource Management	MSc	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	18,200
International Business	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200
International Relations	MA [PgDip]	1	6.5 [6.5]	2.1 [2.2] <sup>2</sup>	15,700
Interpreting (Mandarin-English language pair only)	MA	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Irish Studies	MA	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Law	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700

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Law: Criminology and Criminal Justice	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: European Law and Governance	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: Human Rights and Criminal Justice	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: Human Rights Law	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: International Business Law	LLM	1	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: International Business Law including Placement	LLM	2 yrs (with placement)	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience / Masters	15,700
Law: Juris Doctor (Professional Doctorate)	JD	3	6.5	2.1	15,700
Law: Masters in Law (Qualifying Law Degree)	MLaw	2	6.5	2.1#	17,200
Law: Senior Status (Qualifying Law Degree)	LLB	2	6.5	2.1/2.2 and experience/ Masters	15,550
Leadership for Sustainable Development/Sustainable Rural Development	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	15,700
Legislative Studies and Practice (subject to final approval)	MA	1	6.5	2.1#	15,700

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Management	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	18,200
Marketing	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	MBA	1	6.5	2.1	20,000
Mechanical Engineering with Management	MSc , PgDip PG Cert in either Engineering Management or Mechanical Engineering is also available	MSc 1 Year PG Dip 1 Year PG Cert 1 Year	6.5	2.2	19,600
Molecular Biology and Biotechnology	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	19,600
Molecular Pathology of Cancer	MSc, PgDip (PgCert)	1 MSc PgDip: semester 1 FT semester 2 DL PgCert: semester 1 FT	6.5**	2.1 (2.2)	19,600 (MSc) 13,067 (PgDip) 6,533 (PgCert)
Nursing and Midwifery: Caring for Children and Young People with Complex Health Needs	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	15,700

Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Nursing and Midwifery: Advanced Professional Practice (note: includes the following specialist options: Acute and Critical Care; Cancer Nursing: Supportive and Palliative Care; Leadership and Management; Maternal and Child Health; Mental Health and the Older Adult)	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	15,700
Nursing: Advanced Professional and Clinical Practice (note: includes the following specialist options: Acute and Critical Care; Cancer Nursing: Supportive and Palliative Care; Leadership and Management; Mental Health and the Older Adult)	MSc, PgDip	2 (MSc) 1 (PgDip)	6.5	2.2	15,700 + 1,500 placement fee
Parasitology and Pathogen Biology	MSc, PgDip	1	6.0	2.2	19,600
Pathology Informatics and Business Application (Distance Learning)	PgCert	Distance Learning (DL) <sup>3</sup>	6.5**	2.2	6,533
Pharmaceutical Analysis	MSc	1	6.0	2.2	19,600

Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Pharmacy: Advanced Clinical Pharmacy Practice	MSc, PgDip, PgCert	Distance Learning (DL) <sup>3</sup> P/T PG Cert – 1 yr PG Dip – 2 yrs MSc – 3 yrs	6.0	Bachelor degree in Pharmacy	60 per CATS point MSc (180 CATS): 10,800 PgDip (120 CATS): 7,200 PgCert (60 CATS): 3,600
Planning and Development	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	19,600
Planning and Regeneration	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	19,600
Politics	MA [PgDip]	1	6.5 [6.5]	2.1 [2.2] <sup>2</sup>	15,700
Psychology: Psychological Science (Conversion)	MSc	1	6.5	2.1\$	15,700
Psychology: Educational, Child and Adolescent Psychology (Professional Doctorate)	DECAP	3	7.0**	2.1	19,600
Psychology: Psychology of Childhood Adversity	MSc, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1	15,700
Public Health	MPH	1	6.5**	2.1	15,700
Public History	MA	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700



Subject	Course	Duration (Years – Full-time)	IELTS*	UK Degree Entry Requirement	Course Fees
Quantitative Finance	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200 NB: 1,000 deposit (deducted from tuition fee) required on acceptance of offer.
Risk and Investment Management	MSc	1	6.5	2.1	18,200
Social Science Research	MRes, PgDip	1	6.5	2.2	15,700
Software Development (Conversion)	MSc	1	6.0	2.2 + aptitude test	19,600
Structural Engineering Design and Management	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	19,600
Theology	MTh, (to be replaced by MRes)Grad Dip	1 (MTh) 1 (Grad Dip)	6.5	2.1	Not collected by QUB
Translation	MA	1	6.5	2.1 or 2.2 and experience	15,700
Translational Medicine	MRes	1	6.5**	2.1	19,600
Urban and Rural Design	MSc	1	6.5	2.2	19,500
Violence, Terrorism and Security	MA [PgDip]	1	6.5 [6.5]	2.1 [2.2] <sup>2</sup>	15,700
Youth Justice	MSc, PgDip	1	6.5	2.1	15,700

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<sup>2</sup> A minimum of 57% (UK grading) is required for entry to these postgraduate programmes. International grades will be assessed by the University for comparability.

<sup>3</sup> Distance Learning rates given are for 2017-18.

\* A minimum of 63% (UK grading) is required for entry to these Masters programmes. International grades will be assessed by the University for comparability.

<sup>5</sup> If the programme is oversubscribed, applications will be ranked on the quality of academic performance.

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