Cover: Cover images from our 14 School-specific prospectuses, demonstrating the wide range of our research. In the words of The Sunday Times Good University Guide (2013): “Queen Mary is one of the UK’s leading research institutions with an equally enviable reputation for teaching excellence, turning out highly employable graduates when they leave.”
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The Queens’ Building, Mile End, has a proud association with not one, but four queens: Queen Victoria; Queen Mary (wife of King George V); Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother; and our Patron, Queen Elizabeth II.

QMUL highlights

- World-class research – QMUL ranked 9th in the UK among multi-faculty universities (REF 2014)
- Teaching by international leaders in their field
- In the top 100 universities in the world (Times Higher Education World University Ranking 2015)
- Member of the Russell Group of leading UK universities
- Attractive residential campus in London
- Commitment to financial support – £11m invested in supporting postgraduate students (2014/15)
- Distinguished history dating back to 1123 (the foundation of St Bartholomew’s Hospital) and the start of teaching at the London Hospital Medical College in 1785.
Do you want to explore your academic research interests in depth? Develop new knowledge and skills? Advance your career, or embark on a completely new path? A postgraduate degree from Queen Mary University of London (QMUL) can help you achieve your ambitions.

We are one of the UK’s leading universities – in the most recent national assessment of research quality, the Research Excellence Framework (REF 2014), we were placed ninth in the UK among multi-faculty universities. This means that the teaching on our postgraduate programmes is directly inspired by the world-leading research of our academics.

Our programmes prepare you for professional life or further study, and we offer a commitment to generous financial support in the form of studentships and scholarships. We also offer a friendly, self-contained residential campus – one of the largest in the capital – at our main site in Mile End.

We have a rich history in London with our roots in Europe’s first public hospital, St Barts; England’s first medical school, The London; one of the first colleges to provide higher education to women, Westfield College; and the Victorian philanthropic project, the People’s Palace at Mile End. This commitment to the local area and public good underpins our work today, especially in our collaborations with hospitals, cultural organisations, government, charities, businesses and industry.

When you join QMUL, you will be welcomed into a diverse and supportive family of staff and students from all over the world, with a wide variety of life experiences. This makes QMUL a place of academic and personal self-discovery, and postgraduate study with us a stimulating, often life-changing, experience.

Meet us
The best way to get a feel for Queen Mary life is to join us for one of our Postgraduate Open Evenings. You can explore our campus, meet our tutors and students, and get a taste of what studying here will be like. If you are unable to visit us in person, we run virtual open events where you can speak online to current staff and students. We also have representatives in 48 countries and staff who regularly travel overseas. For more information and a list of open and virtual events, see page 122 or qmul.ac.uk/visitus
WHAT WE OFFER

WORLD-CLASS UNIVERSITY

• We’re in the top 100 universities in the world and the top 50 in Europe (Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2015)

• We are a member of the Russell Group – the UK’s 24 leading universities

INNOVATIVE RESEARCH

• QMUL ranked 9th in the UK among multi-faculty universities for the quality of its research, and 5th (at 83 per cent) for ‘world-leading or internationally excellent’ (4* and 3*) research outputs in the Research Excellence Framework (REF 2014)

• £125m – QMUL total research income (2014/15)

CAREER SUCCESS

• 400+ employers and training organisations visited the campus last year

• £58,000 provided in seed funding by QMUL Careers and Enterprise to 31 students in 2015/16 to start new – or grow existing – businesses
EXCEPTIONAL FACILITIES
• £98m on new facilities in the past five years
• 7,700 square metres of new learning and teaching space with the opening of the £39m Graduate Centre in early 2017

INTERNATIONAL OUTLOOK
• Students and staff from more than 155 countries
• In the top 25 most internationally diverse universities in the world (Times Higher Education 2016)

HIGH-QUALITY TEACHING
• 7 Nobel Prize-winning alumni and staff
• 55 academy and society fellows among QMUL academic staff
• Personal Adviser support system for every student

GENEROUS SUPPORT
• £11m invested university-wide in 2014/15 to support postgraduate students

GREAT LOCATION
• Short walk from Brick Lane and Shoreditch, and close to London’s financial centres, the City and Canary Wharf
• Set beside the Regent’s Canal in Mile End, our main campus is one Tube stop to Stratford and the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park
• Our largest campus is at Mile End and we have four other locations across central and east London: Charterhouse Square, Lincoln’s Inn Fields, West Smithfield and Whitechapel
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One year full-time, two years part-time  
gmul.ac.uk/msc-aeb

The Aquatic Ecology by Research programme provides comprehensive practical training by application in the laboratory or field, rather than by formal tuition in the lecture theatre. The format is designed to equip you with the skills and experience to undertake further academic or applied research. Learn the skills and techniques of aquatic ecology research in a practical lab and fieldwork setting.

QMUL is home to a leading research group in aquatic ecology, within which you will receive expert supervision and have access to cutting-edge facilities, such as the Centre for the Aquatic and Terrestrial Environment and the Freshwater Biological Association’s River Laboratory on the River Frome in Dorset via our River Communities Group. Part-fee bursaries are also available to support promising scientists.

Bioinformatics MSc  
One year full-time, two years part-time  
gmul.ac.uk/msc-bioinfo

Bioinformatics is an essential part of a wide range of modern biological research, from genetics to biochemistry, analytical science, neuroscience, epidemiology, nutrition, ecology, biomedicine and beyond. This programme will teach you how to manage and manipulate large datasets to gain new insights in biological sciences. Without assuming any prior informatics experience, you will be taught the very latest tools and techniques in bioinformatics and will apply them in your own research project. You will also collaborate with peers to build new bioinformatics solutions to real-world problems as part of an innovative group project.

This programme is delivered by academics who are engaged in developing bioinformatics tools and applying them in areas such as genome sequencing, proteomics, evolution, ecology, psychology, cancer, diabetes and other diseases. We also have an extensive network of academic and industrial collaborators around the UK and in Europe, who contribute to teaching, co-supervise projects and provide employment opportunities.
**Chemical Research MSc**  
One year full-time, two years part-time  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-chem-research](qmul.ac.uk/msc-chem-research)

This programme gives you the opportunity to acquire key research skills while conducting a major individual project in your chosen area of chemistry. It will provide a comprehensive preparation for a research career in academia, as well as being a real asset if you wish to pursue alternative careers in industry or education.

You will receive training in a wide range of research techniques to enable you to build up a substantial profile of experimental and/or computational skills so that you can tackle more extended research projects with confidence. Typically, this includes hands-on use of instrumentation for nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy, chromatographic and vacuum systems, and the manipulation of air-sensitive materials, in addition to state-of-the-art scientific computing and modelling.

You will undertake an in-depth individual research project and will develop the skills necessary to investigate a new area of chemistry and present the results both verbally and in writing. We have had links with chemical enterprises of all sizes, including AstraZeneca, GlaxoSmithKline, Pfizer, Syngenta, Roche and Sanofi. A number of our PhD students in the School are involved in collaborative projects with industry.

**Ecology and Evolutionary Biology MSc/PgCert**  
One year full-time, two years part-time  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-eco-evo-bio](qmul.ac.uk/msc-eco-evo-bio)

This exciting programme will give you a scientific understanding of global ecological change, and provide you with the skills, tools and experience to tackle pressing environmental questions.

The programme will focus on the concepts and theory essential to understanding global ecological change, including state-of-the-art techniques for environmental process research, invasive species ecology, and conservation genetics. You will learn how to convert science to policy or management, and how to consult with stakeholders. You will spend time shadowing our multidisciplinary research teams before conducting a substantive eight-month project. These projects may be jointly supervised by colleagues at related institutes or within industry. We will equip you with the essential skills to proceed to further research via a PhD or careers in consultancy and industry.

We have worked with industry to design modules that develop both pure research and applied practical skills, which will enhance your employability. We offer field courses overseas for first-hand experience of theory in action; and in Dorset you will learn to convert science to policy with our River Communities Group. You will be taught by internationally recognised scientists who are leaders in their respective fields.
Ecological and Evolutionary Genomics MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-eco-evo-geno

Ecologists and evolutionary biologists now routinely use high-throughput DNA sequencing in their research, but it is hard to find graduates with training in both genomics and ecology/evolution. This MSc programme will train a new generation in cross-disciplinary skills with many applications in academia and industry. You will be taught by internationally recognised researchers who are applying genomic methods to a wide range of issues in ecology and evolution.

This MSc degree is taught by a dynamic group of scientists doing cutting-edge research. For example, Professor Steve Rossiter does world-leading research on bat genome evolution; Dr Yannick Wurm has discovered a social chromosome in fire-ants; and Dr Richard Buggs is using genomic methods to find tree genes for resistance to ash dieback. This means that our teaching is informed by the latest developments, and individual projects can be at the leading edge of current progress. You will also benefit from state-of-the-art supercomputing and informatics resources.

Freshwater and Marine Ecology MSc/PgCert
One year full-time/two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-fame

Threats to the ecosystem, goods and services that aquatic resources provide (e.g., clean drinking water, sustainable fisheries) frequently appear in the media and on the agendas of governments. To maintain these goods and services requires a fundamental understanding of the biodiversity and ecosystem processes responsible, for without knowledge there can be no application or effective management. With aquatic ecosystems under threat from multiple stressors, we have designed a programme to equip you with the necessary interdisciplinary practical skills and theoretical understanding for employment in this area or further research.

Features of this programme include residential field courses (Borneo, Dorset and Cumbria) for practical, hands-on training in the field; teaching by expert university staff with world-class research profiles and guest lecturers from external organisations; and excellent research supervision undertaken either alongside established PhD students or with potential employers.

We have state-of-the-art analytical, mesocosm and temperature-controlled facilities within the Centre for the Aquatic and Terrestrial Environment, developed from an initial investment of £3m. This programme balances the latest in ecological theory with practical application in both freshwater and marine systems.
Plant and Fungal Taxonomy,
Diversity and Conservation MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-plant-fungal-diversity

With only a small percentage of the planet’s diversity formally described by science, it is more important than ever to train a new generation of taxonomists who will go on to describe, understand and conserve biodiversity. There is a critical shortage of skilled scientists in plant and fungal taxonomy; scientists that underpin much bioscience, nature conservation and plant breeding work, as well as the development of environmental policy. This course delivers vital training to fill that skills shortage. The course will provide training in plant and fungal identification skills, in combination with a thorough grounding in molecular systematics, evolutionary biology, and conservation policy, theory and practice.

You will be taught by world-leading experts, who are internationally recognised for cutting-edge research in plant and fungal sciences, applying new technologies to answer fundamental questions about the diversity of plant and fungal life on the planet, how it evolved and how we can best conserve it.

This MSc degree is delivered in collaboration with the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, and you will be based there for the taught part of the course, travelling to QMUL for two of the six taught modules. The project location will be determined for individual projects.
Accounting and Management MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-acc-man

This programme will provide you with a critical understanding of how accounting informs the management of resources in the corporate and non-corporate spheres. You will gain innovative analytical and problem-solving skills, as well as other practical skills for employability. It is designed for students who are interested in a senior career in the corporate and non-corporate spheres.

This programme is supported by academics who undertake relevant policy research, as well as informing research into the areas of business models, corporate financial reporting and sustainability. Lectures and seminars are also supported by practitioner inputs and webinars, which will enhance your learning experience. Students on the Accounting and Management MSc have the opportunity to take the strategic level gateway entry case study to the CIMA professional qualifications. This would normally be in the second semester. The Masters Gateway is an accelerated route to the CIMA professional qualification and the globally recognised CGMA designation. A fee is applicable and is paid directly to CIMA. See: cimaglobal.com

International Business MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-bus

By critically exploring the extent and limitations, as well as the benefits and risks of globalisation, this programme will enable you to develop a systematic understanding of the globalised environment in which modern businesses and economies must operate.

On this programme, you will develop applied knowledge and reasoning in relation to the economics of globalisation and the resulting challenges to business strategy and management. You will cover a broad range of topics, from the international economy, macroeconomic policy and finance, to managerial economics, multinationals and global business – all the while maintaining a focus on the practice of effective research and analytical techniques. You will learn and practise specific research methods and will apply the knowledge you have acquired on the programme in debates and presentations.
International Financial Management MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-fin-man

This programme is designed to provide a critical and research-driven study of aspects of financial management, and the changing international context in which they operate, without requiring any specific background knowledge in the field of finance or financial management.

On this programme, you will develop your ability to apply knowledge and understanding of financial management to complex issues – ranging from innovation in a global marketplace to creative accounting – both systematically and creatively. Without assuming any pre-existing knowledge, the programme will nevertheless take your studies to a high level, and is an ideal preparation for a career in the financial sector or for pursuing more advanced studies.

International Human Resource Management MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-ihrm

This research-led programme combines a critical analysis of the latest theoretical debates with the study of practical applications for managing people in an international setting. You will gain an understanding of the current labour market and business context within which HR professionals operate, and will examine topics such as HR strategy, managing international workforces, employment relations, leadership and its role in organisational changes, as well as gaining practical skills in recruitment, performance management, negotiation, developing fair and rigorous payment systems, managing employee diversity and handling disciplinary issues. You will be taught by academics who have advised leading industries and public services (eg the BBC, TUC, Acas, the European Commission, the Equality and Human Rights Commission, the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development) on a wide range of personnel and employment relations issues.

CIPD Accreditation
The International Human Resource Management MSc programme is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD), the leading professional body for HR practitioners both in the UK and internationally. Given the international recognition that CIPD professional qualifications have, this will not only contribute to enhancing your skills and professional profile, but will also improve your professional profile to prospective employers.
This MSc combines the core strands of management teaching with a global and interdisciplinary approach. A distinctive element of this programme is the non-assessed Continuing Professional Development module (CPD), which will equip you with practical and professional management skills while enabling you to network with industry professionals and leaders. The programme stresses analytical and problem-solving skills while exposing you to a wide range of issues in business and management in a global environment.

This programme is designed for those who want to pursue postgraduate learning in business and management but may not necessarily have the relevant background. It provides you with an in-depth understanding of the different fields/disciplines, theories and perspectives within business and management in a global context, ranging from accounting, organisational theory, international marketing to strategic management. This programme links theoretical learning to practical and professional skills with the inclusion of the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) module, which runs along the spine of the programme. The CPD will be delivered by industry experts and professionals who will provide an insight and link to the real world of business. The CPD provides a means for you to network and connect with the industry and practitioners.

In a highly competitive global environment, innovation is one of the key areas in which businesses can ensure their success and establish a competitive advantage. On this programme, you will develop an advanced understanding of organisations, their management, the changing external context in which they operate and the importance of innovation.

This programme is specifically designed for students who wish to develop their skills and knowledge to pursue a management career in a globalised environment. You will examine the development and operation of markets in relation to resources, goods and services; the economic, environmental, ethical, legal, political, sociological and technological external context, together with its effect at local, national and international levels on organisations; the role of marketing in relation to customers, their expectations and their location; the management and development of people within organisations, and the nature of organisations – their internal functions and processes; their diverse purposes, structures, and governance, and the individual and corporate behaviours and cultures which exist within and between organisations and their influence on the external context, as well as the role of business innovation, creativity, and knowledge management within organisations.
Marketing MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mktg

Sustained by a rigorous social science-based approach, this programme explores both the theoretical and communications side of marketing and, in particular, how marketing can explain contemporary society and consumption practices. The programme is designed for graduates and professionals interested in a career in marketing, or who wish to widen their knowledge and competencies in this field.

This programme is unique in its emphasis on the relationship between marketing and other social phenomena, such as elections and the culture of consumption. You will examine the processes of globalisation and their impact on multinational enterprises and national firms. You will also compare strategies involved in marketing and branding, examine the role played by marketing communication, discuss the contemporary debate over marketing ethics, and contrast different approaches to the study of marketing. By the end of the programme, you will have developed a comprehensive knowledge of the issues, theories and working practices connected with this dynamic field.

Public Administration MPA/PgCert/PgDip
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mpa-pub-admin

This programme aims to prepare you for management positions in the national or local public sectors, health, policing, international public organisations, or in voluntary or private sector companies that provide public services for public authorities. This is a strongly international programme, showing you how to manage within highly political contexts. It emphasises good analytical and problem-solving skills as well as other practical skills, such as political astuteness, partnership working, ethical practice and communication.

This programme is designed to meet the learning and management-development needs of those involved in delivering public services around the world. It provides you with both a deep understanding of the dynamics of public service change, as well as the analytical tools and skills to plan and manage in the sector.

The programme stresses the ways in which academic learning can be applied. Modules are taught with reference to real-world case studies. A series of workshops running throughout the year focuses on the development of your management and social skills. Your tutors will bring a wide range of public service experience to the programme from their work as consultants to government agencies, involvement in think tanks and as public service managers. The programme also draws on an advisory group of former and current senior public managers and elected representatives.
Accounting and Finance MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-acc-fin

This programme offers a contemporary and specialised approach to accountancy and finance, focusing on the exploration of key practical, theoretical and empirical issues. It is designed for students who wish to pursue a career in the financial services industry, professional accountancy, banking and finance or management, as well as providing preparation for academic research.

The programme adopts a critical approach to the study of accountancy and finance, focusing not only on the numbers underlying business operations, but also the wider context and environment within which businesses exist and operate. Compulsory modules enable you to critically examine recent developments in areas such as financial reporting, investment management and corporate governance, while elective modules will enable you to specialise in areas such as risk management, international accounting and financial derivatives.

You will receive tuition from visiting ‘practitioner’ professors who are City professionals and able to apply theory to real-world scenarios.

Our location in east London, close to the business and financial centres of the City of London and Canary Wharf, means that you are conveniently placed to pursue employment opportunities in these areas.

International Business and Politics MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, campus only
qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-bus-pol

This innovative programme looks at the interaction between business and politics, which is vital to understanding the dynamics of the contemporary world economy, and presents a rare opportunity to combine these two areas of the social sciences. You will explore issues such as the global financial crisis, the ‘decline’ of the West and rise of China and the East, tax evasion and tax havens, corporate power, global social justice and social responsibility, and fair trade.

On this programme you will develop an advanced understanding of how the world you live in is governed. You will examine the changing relationship between states and markets, international institutions of global political economic governance, transnational companies, work, geopolitics, industrialisation and development. With an emphasis on the contemporary world economy, this programme is driven by case studies highlighting issues such as trade regulation, the relationship between the IMF and the World Bank, manufacturing in China, the global food economy and theories of multinational firms.

This distinctive interdisciplinary programme is offered jointly by the School of Business and Management, and the School of Politics and International Relations (SPIR), and presents a rare opportunity to move between these two areas of the social sciences.
Business and Management MRes
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mres-bus-man

On this programme, you will be able to acquire specialist knowledge in an area of business and management that interests you, while also benefiting from extensive research training. It is especially suited to those thinking of moving onto PhD study or those who want to develop a research-focused career in academia, industry or the public sector.

During this programme, you will develop skills in research methodologies and techniques that are specifically for undertaking, analysing and writing up academic research, or applied/practitioner and consultancy research in business and management. You will also develop knowledge of advanced theory within a chosen sub-discipline of business and management, its application to contemporary issues, and personal and professional skills that are transferable to other areas.

We are a member of the London Social Science consortium – a Doctoral Training Centre currently run between QMUL and Goldsmiths, University of London, and funded by the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC). New collaborations for 2017 will be announced online.

We place great emphasis on the connections between business and society; this means that you will consider questions that lie outside the scope of more traditional business school curriculums.
Comparative literature is about making connections between literatures and cultures from around the world, and between literature and the other arts, such as music, film, photography, and fine art. It’s all about expanding your literary and cultural horizons.

Comparatists thrive on examining more than one linguistic tradition: we read in different languages and in translation. Indeed, thinking about translation is one of the most exciting aspects of the field. You could be exploring modern fairy tales, postmodern novels or short stories from Europe, Latin America and Japan; or discovering more about movements such as Romanticism, as well as a host of themes ranging from madness to migration.

This programme examines the realities of cultural movement, exchange and dialogue. At its centre is the notion of ‘world literature’ allied to related cultural, philosophical and theoretical questions. We also examine cosmopolitanism, transnationalism, exile and other phenomena of our increasingly interconnected world.
## CLINICAL PROGRAMMES

### Endodontic Practice MSc
**Three years part-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-endo-practice](qmul.ac.uk/msc-endo-practice)

This programme is uniquely structured to enable dental practitioners to enhance their knowledge and clinical skills in endodontics. The programme provides an in-depth approach for exploring current concepts in clinical endodontics, offering deeper knowledge and understanding of the subject, improving clinical skills and increasing job satisfaction.

### Oral Medicine MClinDent
**Two years full-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/mclindent-oral-medicine](qmul.ac.uk/mclindent-oral-medicine)

This programme develops your knowledge, understanding and clinical skills in oral medicine, and is designed for dental graduates who wish to pursue a career in oral medicine, either in primary or secondary care services or at a university.

### Oral Surgery MClinDent
**Two years full-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/mclindent-oral-surgery](qmul.ac.uk/mclindent-oral-surgery)

The Oral Surgery MClinDent includes patient diagnosis and treatment planning, teeth and root extraction, surgical endodotics and management of dental trauma. You will also have training in pain management and anxiety control using conscious sedation techniques. This programme involves extensive clinical training, formal teaching and a supervised research project.

### Orthodontics DClinDent
**Three years full-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/dclindent-orthodontics](qmul.ac.uk/dclindent-orthodontics)

The Professional Doctorate Programme provides a sound basis for dentists who aspire to be specialists in orthodontics, either in primary or secondary services or as the clinical academics of the future. This full-time DClinDent integrates academic activities with clinical practice and research up to Level 8 of the Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ), while covering all topics in the specialist curriculum of the General Dental Council (GDC).
If you are a dental graduate who wants to pursue a career in prosthodontics, this full-time programme is for you. The Professional Doctorate Programme in Prosthodontics provides an integrated three years of training for dentists interested in developing a sound basis for an academic career or for exploring a career as a specialist in the discipline. This DClinDent degree integrates academic activities with clinical practice and research up to Level 8 of the Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ), while also covering all topics of the GDC UK specialist curriculum.

If you are a dental graduate who wants to pursue a career in paediatric dentistry, this full-time programme is for you. The Professional Doctorate Programme in Paediatric Dentistry provides a sound basis for dentists who aspire to be specialists in paediatric dentistry, either in primary or secondary services or as the clinical academics of the future. This full-time DClinDent integrates academic activities with clinical practice and research up to Level 8 of the Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ), while covering all topics in the specialist curriculum of the General Dental Council (GDC).

If you are a dental graduate who wants to pursue a career in periodontics, this full-time programme is for you. The Professional Doctorate Programme in Periodontology provides a sound basis for dentists who aspire to be specialists in periodontics, either in primary or secondary services or as the clinical academics of the future. This full-time DClinDent integrates academic activities with clinical practice and research up to Level 8 of the Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ), while covering all topics in the specialist curriculum of the General Dental Council (GDC).
NON-CLINICAL PROGRAMMES

Craniofacial Trauma Reconstruction MSc
(subject to final approval at time of printing)
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-cran-trauma

The course provides a sound basis for medical and dental practitioners who aspire to manage complex facial injuries from either background. This part-time programme, which runs over a two-year period, allows longitudinal academic support and enables the practitioner to develop their understanding of the subject and to apply this to their own practice. Academic material is presented in lecture video, electronic document, and didactic webinar format. Surgical techniques will be presented in video format to aid participants in the acquisition of key clinical skills. The course would greatly support key aspects of major topics within the core curriculum.

Dental Science for Clinical Practice MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-dscp

This programme orientates internationally qualified dental graduates to the level of a UK dental practitioner by providing a comprehensive grounding in six key training areas: basic sciences and their application to modern-day dental practice, applied principles of clinical dentistry, clinical skills, communication skills, professionalism, management and leadership.

Dental Public Health MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-dental-public-health

This programme offers dentists and other graduates supervised experience in the theory and practice of dental public health and the opportunity to develop specialist knowledge and skills.

We pride ourselves on offering students the opportunity to conduct applied quantitative, qualitative or mixed-methods research related to our department’s ongoing research.

Dental Materials MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-dental-materials

This programme will equip you with an in-depth knowledge of the principles underlying the mechanical, physical and chemical properties of dental materials, enabling you to participate in research, or product development.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
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**Dental Technology MSc**
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-dental-technology

This programme is designed for dentists, dental technicians or scientists who wish to gain a better research knowledge of dental technology and dental materials, including CAD-CAM, implantology, occlusion, aesthetics and materials.

**Experimental Oral Pathology (Oral Sciences) MSc**
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-exp-oral-path

This programme is aimed at dental or biomedical graduates wishing to extend their knowledge of oral pathology and especially those wishing to work as full-time researchers or clinical academics.

**Oral Biology MSc**
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-oral-biology

Oral biology is a growing area of commercial research within the pharmacological industry, making graduates of this programme especially attractive to employers. This programme focuses on the latest scientific developments related to oral biology and health, covering basic science in a clinical context.

Advanced Oral Biology MSc
(Subject to approval)
Two years full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-advanced-oral-biology

This programme is designed for dental and basic or applied science graduates who may in future be responsible for the teaching of related subjects, or who need a greater understanding of the subject in order to develop their future academic or research careers.

Your second year will be devoted entirely to your research project. This will enable you to carry out a research project under the supervision of an experienced supervisor.

Dental disease is the most common disease in the UK and many developed countries. This disease can be caused by small daily problems, but often leads to long-term suffering and loss of quality of life. Oral biology is a growing area of commercial research within the pharmacological industry, making graduates of this programme attractive to employers. This programme focuses on the latest scientific developments related to oral biology and health, covering basic science in a clinical context.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES

DRAMA

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Theatre and Performance MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-theatre-perform

Our Theatre and Performance MA is an innovative programme reflecting our commitment to socially engaged and critically inventive explorations into theatre and performance. The programme is interdisciplinary in scope: you will have a range of opportunities to analyse and create theatre and performance within a variety of critical contexts and using a range of cultural and historical perspectives.

A key benefit of the programme is its flexibility, balancing rigorous theoretical and historical exploration with structured experimentation in performance practice. As you progress on the MA, you will be able to develop specific theoretical and practical projects that advance your own intellectual agendas.

Creative Arts and Mental Health MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, or two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-creative-arts-mental-health
qmul.ac.uk/dip-creative-arts-mental-health

Our MSc in Creative Arts and Mental Health asks you to reflect critically on the ways in which art and performance can be used to investigate and to engage the public with experiences of mental health and the mental health system.

The programme is jointly run by us and by QMUL’s Wolfson Institute of Preventive Medicine’s Centre for Psychiatry. This partnership allows us to offer a distinctive interdisciplinary approach to exploring mental health. You will engage with the history, theory, and practice of performance in relation to all aspects of mental health care practices in national and international contexts.

Directed at education professionals, artists, scholars, and mental health practitioners, the programme offers you the chance to network with others in the field, expand your knowledge, and develop your skills for working in the arts sector. You will be ready to pursue doctoral research or careers in a range of sectors.
### RESEARCH-ORIENTATED PROGRAMMES

#### Economics MSc

**One year full-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-econ](http://qmul.ac.uk/msc-econ)

The Economics MSc is a specialist programme designed to provide rigorous training in theoretical and applied economics. It will develop your economics expertise to the highest level. The programme features comprehensive two-semester sequences in macroeconomics, microeconomics, and econometrics that cover the essential models and tools used by research economists. In addition, you will be trained in the relevant mathematical and statistical methods required to undertake both theoretical and applied research in the field.

You also have the possibility to continue on to the Economics MRes programme after successful completion of the MSc, which also provides the option to go on to doctoral study in the School.

The programme is ideal for those planning a career as a research economist in academia, the public sector, international institutions, the financial industry, economic or management consulting, think tanks, or other research centres. There are a number of scholarships of up to £10,000 available.

#### Finance and Econometrics MSc

**One year full-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-fin-economet](http://qmul.ac.uk/msc-fin-economet)

The Finance and Econometrics MSc is a specialist programme aimed at providing rigorous training and a strong analytical background in finance, financial economics and econometrics. It will develop your financial expertise to the highest level.

This programme covers all of the analytical tools and advanced materials in quantitative asset pricing, econometrics, financial derivatives, and financial econometrics. It will also train you in the relevant mathematical and statistical methods required to undertake both theoretical and applied research in the field.

You also have the possibility to continue on to the Finance MRes programme after successful completion of the MSc, which also provides the option to go on to doctoral study in the School.

The programme is designed for those who aim to pursue careers as financial economists, quantitative analysts and financial econometricians in the private sector, in government or international financial institutions. There are a number of scholarships of up to £10,000 available.
PROFESSIONALLY-ORIENTATED PROGRAMMES

Banking and Finance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-bank-fin

The Banking and Finance MSc focuses on areas of finance and banking that have major practical and theoretical interest such as investment analysis, commercial and investment banking, mergers and acquisitions, derivatives, finance microstructure and taxation. It is designed to equip you for a very wide range of careers in the banking sector and in multinational financial organisations.

The programme provides a thorough knowledge of the main components of commercial and investment banking and the changing structure of the international financial industry. A number of scholarships of up to £8,000 are available.

Behavioural Finance MSc
Behavioural Finance MSc (CFA Pathway)
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-behavioural-finance

Behavioural finance is the part of behavioural economics that studies important ‘irrationalities’ on financial markets. This programme will examine topics such as the common mistakes people make when deciding how much to save and how to invest, excess volume of trade, and the predictability of financial markets. It also provides you with valuable skills for a wide range of careers in areas such as investment, banking, public service, or academia.

The backbone of this programme consists of a first-semester module in Behavioural Economics and a second-semester module in Advanced Behavioural Finance. Apart from these two modules, you can take modules covering more traditional topics in finance. You may opt to do the CFA Pathway, where you will acquire the skills to undertake the CFA level 1 examination. A number of scholarships are available of up to £10,000.

Business Finance MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-bus-fin

The Business Finance MSc specialises in the theory and practice of business finance: one of the most popular sectors in financial services. The programme will provide you with the knowledge to successfully navigate the rapidly changing global landscape of business finance and is designed to equip you for a wide range of careers in the financial sector, including investment banking, securities sales and trading, foreign exchange, hedge funds, private banking, credit products, financial and credit risk management, and consultancy.

The programme provides exam preparation for the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Chartered Wealth Manager qualification. A number of scholarships of up to £8,000 are available.
Finance MSc
Finance MSc (CFA Pathway)
One year full-time
gmul.ac.uk/msc-finance

The Finance MSc focuses on financial issues in all industry sectors. It provides a comprehensive grasp of the principles and applications of finance, a broad experience of quantitative techniques and technical and conceptual skills, coupled with a strongly professional approach. It will equip you for a wide range of careers in multinational financial organisations.

The programme also gives you the opportunity to follow the CFA specialist pathway alongside the MSc and acquire the skills to undertake the CFA Level 1 examination. It will also provide general training in key aspects of finance, ranging from financial statements to derivatives pricing.

Our rigorous, analytical approach makes the programme the most highly regarded of our finance programmes amongst prospective employers. It is also part of the CFA University Recognition Program (a number of CFA scholarships are available). A number of scholarships of up to £10,000 are also available.

Investment and Finance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-inv-fin-cisi

The Investment and Finance MSc is a specialist degree that provides practical and theoretical training in areas of major financial interest: in particular, investment management and corporate finance. It is designed for those who wish to enter a career in finance or related areas – including financial institutions, financial regulatory bodies, public sector institutions and international organisations – in positions such as investment analyst, financial analyst, trader and portfolio manager. This MSc was ranked in the global top 40 in the Financial Times Global Masters in Finance 2015, Pre-experience programmes.

The programme prepares you for the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Chartered Wealth Manager qualification and will develop your investment and financial expertise to the highest level.

A number of scholarships of up to £8,000 are also available.
Wealth Management MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-wealth-management

The Wealth Management MSc is a specialist degree that aims to provide practical and theoretical training in areas of major financial interest, particularly investment management and corporate finance. Students who complete this MSc will develop the skills required to take the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Diploma.

The programme is designed for students and professionals who aim to pursue a career in finance and other related areas. It provides a unique set of perspectives on how financial markets operate, grounded in economic and financial theory and practice.

The programme brings you the latest advances of applied research and is specifically designed to provide you with a thorough knowledge of the main components of commercial and investment banking, as well as the changing structure of the global financial industry. It offers flexibility and progressive specialisation to create the experts the industry needs and includes nine compulsory modules that are the necessary foundations to master financing and capital budgeting issues. Examples of topics covered include: optimal capital structure, mergers and acquisitions, portfolio management, risk management, derivatives, and finance microstructures.

A number of scholarships of up to £8,000 are available.

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMMES

Accounting and Finance MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-acc-fin

The Accounting and Finance MSc is offered jointly by the School of Business and Management and the School of Economics and Finance. It adopts a critical approach to the study of accountancy and finance, focusing not only on the traditional numbers underlying business operations but also the wider context and environment within which businesses exist and operate. The programme is designed for those who wish to pursue a career in the financial services industry, professional accountancy, banking and finance or management.

This programme will provide you with an in-depth understanding of key theories, approaches and issues in the field of accounting and finance: an area that has changed significantly since the financial crisis.

It will also give you the opportunity to develop your knowledge of the latest developments in accountancy and reporting required by local, national and European government.
Law and Economics LLM
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/llm-law-econ

The Law and Economics LLM is run jointly by the School of Economics and Finance and the Centre for Commercial Law Studies.

The programme provides a rigorous training in theoretical and applied economic analysis as a means of analysing law and the legal framework. It is designed for those with a strong academic background in law or economics, and is ideal for those already in – or planning a career in – law or economics in academia, the public sector, international institutions, the financial or legal industry, economic think tanks or management consulting.

The programme provides you with a solid grounding in legal theory and modern economics, enabling you to conduct, assess, and supervise both theoretical and applied research in the field. It features practical and knowledge transfer components that will ensure you a better transition to private sector work, if that is preferable. You will also have the possibility of applying for joint doctoral study in the School of Economics and Finance and the Centre for Commercial Law Studies upon successful completion of your LLM.

Scholarships are available for outstanding Home/EU and overseas full-time candidates. There is also a 50 per cent fee scholarship available – see our website for details: econ.qmul.ac.uk/scholarships

Law and Economics PgDip
Law and Economics PgCert

Programme overview
The Postgraduate Certificate and the Postgraduate Diploma in Law and Economics are programmes that offer a stepping stone to developing academic and professional expertise in both fields. The programme of study provides a flexible mix of classroom based teaching (assessed by formal examinations and/or coursework) in two compulsory taught modules that lay a foundation to Law and Economics theories.

Law and Economics PgDip
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgdip-law-econ

Students must take a total of 120 credits inclusive of the core Dissertation, 90 per cent, Group Presentation 10 per cent (30 credits); and the two core 22.5 credits (CCLE001 or CCLE002 and CCLE003). The remaining 45 credits must be taken from the elective Law or Economics modules.

Law and Economics PgCert
One year part-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-law-econ

Students must take a total of 60 credits inclusive of the two core 22.5 credits (CCLE001 or CCLE002 and CCLE003). The remaining 15 credits must be taken from the elective economics modules.
Law and Finance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-law-finance

Programme overview
The Law and Finance MSc programme is offered jointly by the Centre for Commercial Law Studies and the School of Economics and Finance. It aims to fill a significant gap in the current academic and professional training market in the UK and Europe. It will equip you with the knowledge, skills and practical tools needed to gain a thorough understanding of global economics and finance, and how this area is regulated by law.

This programme will enhance your career options: specialists in the crossover area between law and finance are highly sought after. It also allows you to tailor the programme to suit your interests by choosing one of four pathways: the Law and Finance MSc main programme or its specialist pathways:
A – Banking and Financial Services
B – Law and Financial Regulation
C – Law and Corporate Finance
D – Islamic Finance
E – Compliance in Global Markets

The programme provides exam preparation for the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Chartered Wealth Manager qualification.

There are four 30 per cent fee scholarships available for outstanding Home/EU and international full-time candidates.

Law and Finance MSc General Pathway

You must take 180 credits to include the Law and Finance Dissertation (45 credits) and at least one law module (45 credits) or two law modules (22.5 credits) and three finance modules (45 credits in total). The remaining 45 credits should be selected from the elective law or finance options.

Law and Finance MSc General Pathway

After the economic crisis that shook the whole financial system, the financial sector became more regulated than ever before in its history. As a result there is a growing demand for experts who can understand the interdisciplinary complexity of the financial system. Law and Finance MSc offers a unique opportunity, providing you with a solid background in both finance and law.

Law and Finance MSc: specialist pathways

You must take a total of 180 credits to include the Law and Finance Dissertation, at least one compulsory law module and three compulsory economics modules.
Specialist pathway A – Banking and Financial Services
The Banking and Financial Services pathway is a specialist degree that aims to provide practical and theoretical training in areas of major financial interest, in particular focusing on banking activities. Designed for students and professionals who aim to pursue a career in the banking and financial sector, this pathway provides a unique set of perspectives on how the financial systems and markets operate and also looks at how the banking sector operates. It is grounded in financial and legal theories and practices.

The pathway also brings the latest advances in Banking and Financial regulations, specifically designed to impart a thorough knowledge of the main components of commercial and investment banking and the changing structure of the international financial industry.

Specialist pathway B – Law and Financial Regulation
The Law and Financial Regulation pathway focuses on the regulatory aspects of the financial systems, looking into areas that have major practical interest, such as financial regulations, commercial and investment banking, and mergers and acquisitions.

The pathway is designed to equip you for a wide range of careers in the finance and banking sectors and in multinational financial organisations, particularly in today’s landscape, which was heavily influenced by the new norms that were adopted following the financial crisis.

Specialist pathway C – Law and Corporate Finance
The Law and Corporate Finance pathway is a specialist degree that aims to provide practical and theoretical training in areas of investment management, corporate finance and mergers, acquisitions and takeovers.

Designed for students and professionals who aim to pursue a career in law, finance and other related areas, this pathway provides unique perspectives on the dynamics of corporate options when deciding financing, the private equity industry, and how the financial markets operate, grounded in economic and financial theory and practice.

Specialist pathway D – Islamic Finance
Islamic Finance offers a unique opportunity by providing students with a solid background in both traditional and Islamic finance from the perspectives of finance and law. Students will be presented with the unified framework under which Islamic finance operates and its relevance in today’s working environment. It will allow you to develop an understanding of several Islamic finance concepts and how these compare with traditional financing.

Specialist pathway E – Compliance in the Global Markets
This pathway provides a framework with which to understand the compliance function in global markets investment banking. There is a distinct lack of coverage in most programmes about how regulatory rules are applied in practice in global markets, an omission which this pathway sets out to repair.
This pathway will be of particular relevance for candidates interested in the practice of compliance in equities and fixed-income markets and those seeking knowledge of global markets and the market-making process. It draws on the practical elements relating to the provision of compliance advice within global markets investment banking and presents a framework of how compliance works in reality. The pathway provides a broad overview of the compliance function in global markets and introduces the concept of investment banking and the various activities within global markets, including the market making process. It provides an overview of the regulatory environment and introduces the compliance function. It is complemented by solid financial theory and application.

**Law and Finance PgDip**

**Law and Finance PgCert**

**Programme overview**
The Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Law and Finance are designed for practitioners working as financial analysts or related capacities in the financial law sector and other financial regulation institutions, governments and other corporations. Students and professionals will experience major practical issues and interests in the area of financial and banking regulations. In addition you will have an exposure to practical issues in investment analysis, analysis of financial statement, optimal investment, banking, and risk and portfolio management. The programme provides a sound academic basis for those who wish to pursue careers in which it is important to have knowledge of the legal and financial systems.

**Law and Finance PgCert**

**One year part-time**

[qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-law-finance](qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-law-finance)

You must take a total of 60 credits to include at least one law module (45 credits) or two law modules (22.5 credits) and one finance module (15 credits) to be selected from the elective law or finance options.

**Law and Finance PgDip**

**One year full-time**

[qmul.ac.uk/pgdip-law-finance](qmul.ac.uk/pgdip-law-finance)

You must take a total of 120 credits to include the compulsory Dissertation, 90 per cent, Group Presentation 10 per cent (30 credits). The remaining 90 credits must be taken as one law module (45 credits) or two law modules (22.5 credits), and three finance modules (15 credits).
INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMMES

Mathematical Finance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-math-fin

The Mathematical Finance MSc is run jointly by the School of Economics and Finance and the School of Mathematical Sciences. It is a specialist programme that provides strong analytical and quantitative skills in finance, and is designed for those who aim to pursue careers as quantitative analysts in the private sector, government or financial institutions.

The programme focuses on financial modelling, asset pricing theory, and risk management, as well as subjects such as the theory of stochastic processes and stochastic analysis. Scientific computing and programming is an important element of this programme.

This degree also provides an in-depth training for professional roles such as quantitative analysis, trading, financial engineering and structuring, risk management, and software development. Business sectors include investment and commercial banking, fund management, the insurance business, and hedge funds.

Scholarships of £5,000 are available.

Pre-Masters Graduate Diploma in Finance and Economics
One year or seven months full-time
Sept–June or Jan–July
language-centre.sllf.qmul.ac.uk/premasters-fe

The Pre-Masters Graduate Diploma in Finance and Economics offers a route to masters degrees for international and EU students who are changing disciplines, need to build upon their academic qualifications or who need to improve their level of English. The programme helps students to adapt to academic life in the UK and is especially useful for students who hope to progress to a masters degree in the School of Economics and Finance.

Three core modules run by the School of Mathematical Sciences will cover the most important mathematical techniques used in mathematical finance. Three core economics modules will cover the relevant financial instruments and will be run by the School of Economics and Finance.
MRES PROGRAMMES

Economics MRes
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mres-economics

Finance MRes
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mres-finance

The Economics MRes and Finance MRes are research-orientated postgraduate programmes for students who already hold an MSc-level qualification in economics, finance or a related field, and who may wish to progress to doctoral study. You can build on your postgraduate training by completing two advanced modules in macroeconomics, microeconomics, econometrics, or financial economics; and can choose from a selection of elective modules that cover a range of theoretical and applied topics. You will also conduct original research to fulfil the substantial dissertation component of the degree, which can form the basis of later doctoral work.

The Economics MRes and Finance MRes can be pursued as standalone degrees or as the first year of a planned PhD. Successful completion of the programme will equip you to conduct publishable research in one or more areas of economics or finance and, in particular, to write a high-quality doctoral dissertation. Generous financial assistance is available for candidates with exceptional qualifications and demonstrated potential for a successful research career.
COMPUTING AND DATA SCIENCE PROGRAMMES

Computer Science MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-sci

Key themes: software development, advanced data modelling, parallel systems, data mining, NoSQL databases, machine learning

This flexible programme offers a broad range of advanced study options, reflecting the emerging technologies in industry. You can shape your programme to match your interests and career ambitions, choosing modules from a range of areas including the development of human–computer communications (dialogue systems), ubiquitous computing, applying interactive digital multimedia techniques, security and surveillance, and building decision-support tools for uncertain problems in various contexts (e.g., legal, medical, safety). This is a multidisciplinary programme and, in addition to pure computer science modules, you can choose options where computer science intersects with other fields and build on your first degree.

TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

| Entry requirements | Unless stated otherwise on individual programme webpages, most of our programmes require an upper second class degree, usually in electronic engineering, computer science, maths or a related discipline. Students with a good lower second class degree may be considered on an individual basis. The main exceptions to this are our more interdisciplinary courses (Cognitive Science MSc, Media and Arts Technology by Research MSc) and our conversion courses (Computing and Information Systems MSc, and Electronic and Electrical Engineering MS), which allow for a wider range of backgrounds. |
| English language requirements | Unless stated otherwise, we require IELTS 6.5 or its equivalent. For information, please visit: qmul.ac.uk/international/international-students/englishlanguagerequirements |
Big Data Science MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-big-data

**Key themes:** data analytics, machine learning, hadoop, cloud computing, statistical methods

This programme is designed for those who want to pursue a career as data scientists, deriving valuable insights and business-related information from large amounts of data.

Big data refers to the ability to exploit the massive amounts of unstructured data that are generated continuously by companies, users and devices, and extract key understanding from them. The job market has a current shortage of trained professionals with this set of skills, and demand for data scientists is expected to increase significantly in future years. The programme leverages expertise in research with our strategic partnership with IBM and other leading IT sector companies. It is taught by academics from our distinguished research groups: a team of more than 100 members, performing world-leading research.

Software Engineering MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-soft-eng

**Key themes:** robust software development, reliable systems, embedded, real-time systems, risk analysis, advanced programming, interface design and evaluation

Whether it’s the computers in our offices, the smartphones in our pockets, the electrics in our cars or the technology that enables us to monitor patients in critical care, software is at the heart of our society. This MSc programme focuses on advanced theoretical and practical techniques in program design, and the management of software project risk.

You will learn advanced techniques in program design (including software patterns and component technologies) and information handling (structured information and databases). You will also cover vital areas such as security, specification, risk management, usability, and design integrity. You can study key issues of interactive system design, developing your ability to identify issues and trade-offs in the design of human–computer interaction, and to invent and evaluate alternative solutions to design problems. You will study the mathematical foundations of software and their use in practice. You will develop skills to manage software project risks and learn about the development of tools to support decision-making.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Computer Vision MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-vision

Key themes: machine learning, face recognition, surveillance systems, neural nets, intelligent imaging systems

What if your smartphone could recognise that it was you before you’d switched it on, and could sense your mood by recognising your facial expressions? What if you could use a real thumbs-up for ‘liking’ things on Facebook? How can you play games on an Xbox using only your body gestures? How can you equip cars with in-vehicle technology that could automatically read road signs? These are just some of the fascinating questions that you will strive to answer on this programme.

This programme is intended to respond to the growing shortage in research and industry of engineers with a high level of training in the analysis and interpretation of images and video. This MSc covers both low-level image processing and high-level interpretation using state-of-the-art machine learning methodologies. In addition, it also offers high-level training in the programming languages, tools and methods needed for the design and implementation of practical computer vision systems. You will be taught by world-class researchers in the fields of multimedia analysis, vision-based surveillance, structure from motion and human motion analysis. In addition to your lectures, you will be working on cutting-edge, live research projects, gaining hands-on experience.

FOR GRADUATES OF NON-COMPUTING DISCIPLINES:

Computing and Information Systems MSc (conversion programme)
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-info-sys

Key themes: software development methods, object-oriented programming, interactive system development and evaluation, mobile services, network planning, information systems for business

Graduates who are able to fully exploit the potential of computing and information systems by combining specialist technical skills with other knowledge and experience are highly sought after. Guided by academics with a wealth of industrial experience, this is an intensive one-year MSc programme for highly motivated graduates with little prior experience of computer science.

You will develop your theoretical knowledge and practical technical development skills through extensive training in the subjects at the heart of computing, including object-oriented programming (using Java), database systems, and information systems (covering system design, networking and computer architecture). You will be able to extend your areas of technical expertise to specialist areas by choosing from a variety of option modules.

You can personalise your programme to follow a technical or business route, developing your practical and theoretical skills.
COMPUTING AND DATA SCIENCE PROGRAMMES:

Computer Science by Research MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-sci-research

Key skills: research methods, in-depth focused project, independent study, publishable research

This MSc involves an extended individual research project carried out as part of one of our established research groups, combined with selected taught modules.

This programme offers you the chance to undertake an advanced masters programme through an extended research project. The programme is suitable for outstanding students who have an interest in advanced research-based study in one of our research specialisms: Computer Vision, Cognitive Science, Risk and Information Management, and Theoretical Computer Science. The expectation is that every graduate from the degree will publish at least one conference paper as part of their research. The MSc by Research programme will give you solid theoretical and practical research competences in your chosen field of study and will enhance your employability. Successful completion of the programme may also provide a route to further study at doctoral level or for a research position in industry.

Financial Computing MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-fin-comp

Key themes: mathematical modelling, GPU programming, portfolio management, risk analysis

This unique programme, run jointly with the School of Mathematical Sciences, provides numerate graduates with the expertise needed to develop a professional career in the profitable and intellectually challenging triangle formed by mathematics, technology and finance.

The financial industry is undergoing a second wave of technological transformation related to new electronic trading platforms, improved risk management and pricing accuracy, and the high-performance computing implications of enhanced regulatory requirements. As a result, there is a high demand from investment banks, hedge funds, financial software companies, brokerage and consultancy firms for numerate and technologically capable graduates. Other types of businesses are also developing similar ways of working, where numerate, technologically able staff form an essential part of innovation and decision-making.

This MSc is aimed at science and engineering graduates with mathematical exposure and some experience in computer programming. The content of the programme is a combination of technology and financial mathematics, containing modules related to up-to-the-minute industry concerns.
NETWORKS AND THE INTERNET OF THINGS

Telecommunication
and Wireless Systems MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-telco-wireless-sys

Key themes: mobile, 5G, network planning, network design and performance, simulation

This programme is designed to educate a generation of network engineers in the fundamental science, mathematics and technologies that have made global networking possible, and will develop it into the future. If you want to pursue a career shaping and defining a new generation of converged networks, responding to rapid developments (such as social networking, seamless mobility, mobile data and the proliferation of applications for mobile and handheld devices), then this MSc programme is for you.

This MSc programme teaches Java programming for network and service design, provides an in-depth treatment of the technological foundations of converged all-packet networks, and covers current mobile networks from WCDMA 3G to LTE and LTE-Advanced. It will enable you to develop an extensive understanding of 21st-century networks, current mobile and WLAN technologies, software for network and services design, network modelling, the new realm of sensors and the Internet of Things.

Your tutors will be international experts in the fields of converged all-IP networks, modelling, measurements and quality of experience, and wireless technologies.

Telecommunication and Wireless Systems Management MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-telco-wireless-sys-man

Key themes: mobile, network planning, network management and finance, network security, authentication

This programme provides training in the principles of converged networking, network planning, network management and network performance through an integrated curriculum designed to respond to rapid developments and growing demand in the discipline.
MSc in Electronic Engineering by Research

One year full-time, two years part-time, two years full-time with industrial experience

qmul.ac.uk/msc-elec-eng-res

Key themes: research methods, evaluation, performance, dissertation project, independent study, publishable research

On this programme you will use theoretical and experimental research techniques to explore and create innovative state-of-the-art technologies, enabling you to transfer your knowledge for practical application in the future.

An MSc by Research will provide you with the necessary skills to undertake research either in an academic or industrial environment. The expectation is that every graduate from the degree will publish at least one conference paper as part of their research. You will develop excellent technical skills, and will be able to demonstrate to employers your ability to undertake high-level independent research.

The programme is suitable for outstanding students who have an interest in advanced research-based study in one of our specialisms: Antennas and Electromagnetics, Centre for Digital Music (C4DM), Multimedia and Vision (MMV), and Networks. This programme is a pathway to a PhD, providing the necessary training to prepare for a career in research and development.

The programme will provide a greater appreciation of the business context in which networked applications and underlying information and communications technologies are used by organisations. Increased exposure to, and understanding of, the benefits of technology, business and strategic knowledge and thinking will prepare you thoroughly for management roles within such organisations.

This programme prepares you for a career in telecommunications and its applications, for example, in the integration of voice and data applications within a business context. The programme combines in-depth coverage of the main technical aspects of telecommunications with advanced business modules. At the end of the programme, you will be equipped with the skills needed for a wide range of jobs in the expanding telecommunications industry, with an emphasis on those that are relevant to business/financial needs, particularly in the small business and start-up sector.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Electronic and Electrical Engineering MSc (conversion programme)
One year full-time, two years part-time, two years part-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-eee-con

Key themes: electronic engineering for scientists, analogue and digital systems, control engineering

This new conversion masters programme is designed for students with a science background who are looking to change direction and specialise in electrical and electronic engineering. It builds on the strengths of our world-leading research in networks, antenna design and electromagnetics, computer vision and computer theory.

This conversion masters programme features a common first semester of analogue electronics, digital systems design (incorporating an online pre-sessional module in digital circuit design), control systems, and embedded systems (incorporating C programming). In the second semester, the electronic engineering stream features choices from advanced control systems, critical systems, integrated circuit design, and real-time DSP, while the electrical engineering stream features choices from bioelectricity, microwave and millimetrewave communication systems, power electronics, and electrical power engineering. Both streams have a project or industrial project during the third (summer) semester.

Network Science MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-net-sci

Key themes: communications theory, probability, stochastic processes, network analysis and modelling, network optimisation

This specialist masters programme is run jointly with the School of Mathematical Sciences, providing a thorough grounding in analytical and numerical methodologies, as well as mathematical modelling as applied to networks, opening up a host of career opportunities in network and modelling-related industries. It is aimed at students with an undergraduate degree in mathematics or a related discipline, such as physics, computer science or engineering, who wish to enter a career involving the analysis and optimisation of diverse networked systems.

Network theory is a very active and rapidly evolving research field that stands at the crossroads of graph theory, complex systems and data analysis. It addresses the mathematical and numerical description, modelling of the architecture, and the dynamics of the complex systems composed by the many interacting units that show collective behaviour. Its impact and applications outside academia pervade technological sectors such as communications (internet, transportation networks), biostatistics and network biology (brain modelling, postgenomic era), infrastructures (energy networks, road networks, urban mobility) and public health (epidemic spreading models), to name but a few.
Your dissertation project will be led by a member of the Complex Systems and Networks research group, based in the School of Mathematical Sciences. There are research opportunities available in different areas including epidemiology and public health, complex networks and multiplexes, infrastructure, transportation and energy networks, time series analysis and networks, or systems biology.

**Internet of Things MSc (Data Processing, Engineering and Intelligent Sensing)**

One year full-time, two years part-time

Two years full-time with industrial experience

**Key themes:** connected world, smart devices, wearables, smart environments, machine-to-machine (M2M), smart cities, healthy living, intelligent tagging and sensing.

**Programme overview**

A futuristic connected world, where we could interact with smart objects, on-body, in buildings, in cities and in distant, harsher environments, was once science fiction. This is now a reality: parts of buildings can now interact with each other, smart vehicles can be autonomously controlled and humans can interact with all of the above using smart phones and wearables. This innovative Internet of Things (IoT) MSc programme will help you to become one of the highly skilled and in-demand engineers who can fully exploit the potential that these technologies offer. The Internet of Things (IoT) focuses on a vision of more connected, different, “things” (or digital devices) than in previous visions of the Internet. A greater number of “things” become part of the physical world, connecting to form smart environments. Humans are constantly increasing the frequency and range of “things” (sensors, tags, cards, phones, actuators, wearables) they interact with in the world. Machine-to-machine interaction will allow a greater number of physical “things” to interact with other “things” without human intervention for scalability.

**Internet of Things MSc (Data Processing)**

One year full-time, two years part-time

Two years full-time with industrial experience

[qmul.ac.uk/msc-iot-dp](http://qmul.ac.uk/msc-iot-dp)

The interaction and communication between billions of devices produces and exchanges data related to real-world smart objects. This MSc develops your skills in data mining and big data analysis to better understand, utilise and leverage this data.

**Internet of Things MSc (Engineering)**

One year full-time, two years part-time

Two years full-time with industrial experience

[qmul.ac.uk/msc-iot-so](http://qmul.ac.uk/msc-iot-so)

This MSc explores the human and machine interfaces and interaction between embedded systems, smart objects and humans.
Internet of Things MSc (Intelligent Sensing)
One year full-time, two years part-time
two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-iot-is

This MSc is focused on developing devices, systems and services that can communicate and analyse, process and interpret data from multi-modal sources and devices.

COGNITIVE AND CREATIVE COMPUTING
Sound and Music Computing MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time,
two years full-time with industrial experience
qmul.ac.uk/msc-snd-msc-comp

Key themes: music cognition, recording and mixing, music production, audio processing, digital effects, machine listening, interactive sound and music systems, music information retrieval, new instrument design, musical expression

Developed by the acclaimed Centre for Digital Music (C4DM), this programme responds to a growing skills shortage in industry for engineers and computer scientists trained specifically in sound and music processing, as digital media becomes ever more advanced and ubiquitous.

You will develop core knowledge of advanced music and audio technologies, giving you the background and skills you will need for a career in the technical aspects of audio production or engineering, broadcasting, intelligent signal processing, computational music analysis, music information retrieval or another area of sound and music computing. You will graduate with the potential to become a pioneer in developing future generations of leading-edge music technologies. Your taught modules will be fully supported by computing and laboratory work. This MSc is intended for graduates in a related discipline, who wish to hone and enhance their skills, and for industrialists with experience of sound and music computing who seek formal qualifications.

Media and Arts Technology by Research MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-matr

Key themes: hacking objects, digital media, human interaction, wearables, new instruments, contemporary studio production techniques, interactive digital media, industrial placement

If you are passionate about the visual arts or sound/music and want to develop creative technology to affect and change the way humans interact with each other and with technology, this programme is for you.

It is intended for graduates in a related discipline (creative and/or technical), who wish to hone and enhance their skills, and for industrialists with experience of sound and music computing who seek formal
qualifications. You will graduate with excellent technical and creative skills, and a unique vision of how digital technology transforms creative, technical and social possibilities. You will also receive training in the full research cycle, from identifying a problem, choosing suitable methods to address it and communicating your results.

This innovative programme, unique in the UK, comprises four main components: a series of specially tailored, advanced taught modules that you will complete in your first six months. These modules include programming interactive digital media, production skills for audio and video, and research methods. Two additional advanced option modules cover topics ranging from advanced technical skills through human interaction to performance; and specialist project work. Finally, there is a placement project with an external partner leading to a thesis (see mat.qmul.ac.uk for a list of some of our past projects and partners). You may also undertake your placement project with a research partner in a different department or, where appropriate, collaborating departments in other universities.

Media and Arts Technology (MAT) MSc students work alongside PhD students from the MAT EPSRC/AHRC Centre for Doctoral Training and benefit from access to the MAT workshop, recording facilities and a dedicated MAT lab.

**Cognitive Science MSc**


One year full-time, two years full-time with industrial experience (subject to approval)

**Key themes:** artificial intelligence, psychology, neuroscience, music cognition, linguistics, biology, computational creativity

**Programme overview**

How do we make computers understand and act like the human mind? Can a computer be creative? Understanding the mind is one of the greatest challenges in scientific research, linking academic disciplines such as psychology, neuroscience, philosophy, linguistics, and artificial intelligence.

This multidisciplinary programme explores a variety of different fields of study within the unified framework of cognitive science. You will have the option to work with our internationally renowned researchers in Computer Science, Centre for Digital Music (C4DM), Psychology, Linguistics, and the Centre for the Mind in Society.

The programme is organised around five core modules, three optional modules, and a final dissertation-based research project. We offer a set of related degrees, on the theme of cognitive science, with specialisations into computational cognitive science, language cognition, and music cognition.
Cognitive Science MSc
One year full-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
(subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/msc-cognitive-sci

This programme offers an integrated approach to the study of human behaviour in domains such as language, decision making, reasoning and the construction of cultural structures and social structures.

Computational Methods in Cognitive Science MSc
One year full-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
(subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-cognitive-sci

This innovative MSc provides you with the skills to analyse and model human behaviour using computational and formal approaches, developing and exploring mental representations with psychological approaches to understanding behaviour, within a rigorous scientific framework.

Cognitive Science of Language MSc
One year full-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
(subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/msc-lang-cognition-sci

This programme of study delves into the structure and evolution of language, in relation to understanding the interface between language and cognition and the development of adaptive computational models.

Music Cognition MSc
One year full-time, two years full-time with industrial experience
(subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/msc-cognitive-music

This programme draws on the research performed by Centre for Digital Music (C4DM) and investigates the connections between music and areas of cognitive science, including perception, processing, learning and development.
Mortimer the drumming robot, the brainchild of PhD student Louis McCallum, develops his own drum patterns in response to human piano playing.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
ENGINEERING AND MATERIALS SCIENCE

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ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES

Aerospace Engineering MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-aero-eng

The aim of this programme is to allow those with a strong engineering background to gain advanced, yet broad knowledge in aerospace engineering, while encouraging specialisation through a research project and flexibility in the degree programme.

The course structure is designed to appeal to students with a science and engineering background and is modular in format. It includes modules such as Mechanics of Continua, where fluid dynamics and structural mechanics are studied in great depth, along with Research Methods and Experimental Techniques in Engineering, where novel experimental fields in aerodynamics and control are demonstrated. A further six specialised modules will enable you to gain proficiency in highly advanced fields, such as space engineering, flight control and simulation.

Advanced Mechanical Engineering MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-adv-mech-eng

This MSc includes a compulsory Research Methods and Experimental Techniques module in the first semester. This module will develop the skills you need to complete a successful research project. You will then complete a substantial research project in Advanced Mechanical Engineering, supervised by staff working in a wide range of research areas and working in our state-of-the-art facilities. Nanotechnology research is further supported by the facilities and expertise provided by Nanoforce, a company directly associated with the School. Whenever possible and desired, we try to link up project students with one of our industrial partners. For example, this year two of our Advanced Mechanical Engineering students are doing a project in collaboration with Jaguar Landrover.

The taught modules on the MSc programmes are all elective, so you will take modules that align with your background, choice of specialisation area and your project topic.
Mechanical Engineering MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mech-eng

Our MSc in Mechanical Engineering is a one-calendar-year conversion programme, aimed at students who already have a science background (eg mathematics, chemistry, physics), and who want to convert to a career in mechanical engineering.

Our Mechanical Engineering degree is delivered by a large number of specialist academic staff, who, in addition to their teaching, are involved in internationally recognised research in a wide range of topics, including energy generation and conversion (including alternative and sustainable sources), heat transfer and fluid mechanics and robotics.

The programme structure is modular in format. During Semester A, you will take the compulsory module Engineering Methods, which exposes you to essential engineering techniques and philosophy. Depending on your background, you will take three further conversion modules from Vector Calculus, Energy Conversion Analysis, Computer Aided Engineering and Materials Selection. In Semester B you will have the choice to specialise in one of the main areas of Solid Mechanics, Robotics and Automation, and Thermofluids and Combustion.

A 60-credit research project is undertaken, using our research activities and our state-of-the-art facilities. Nanotechnology research is further supported by the facilities and expertise provided by Nanoforce, a company directly associated with the School.

Computer Aided Engineering MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-comp-aided-eng

This MSc programme aims to provide you with a solid background in computational and numerical methods, as well as the relevant aspects of programming in algorithms and modern programming languages such as C++. You will be introduced to a wide range of aspects of computation in engineering, both in structures and in fluids, including numerical optimisation.

A distinctive feature of this MSc is a taught introduction to programming suitable for engineers.

You will specialise in an engineering discipline chosen from aeronautical, mechanical, biomedical or sustainable energy engineering and will follow advanced modules in that specialisation. The numerical analytical skills you have gained are then applied to engineering problems in your specialisation in your final MSc project.

MSc project topics in CAE are drawn from a wide variety of applications in all of the specialisation areas, reflecting the strong research links that the staff members have with industrial companies such as Airbus, Alstom, Rolls-Royce, TWI, and Volkswagen. Research projects typically integrate with the research by the CESAM research group at SEMS, covering a very wide range of topics. The high quality of the research in CESAM in numerical simulation is recognised by significant external funding through the UK, the European Commission and direct industrial funding.
This programme is aimed at students who already have a science background (e.g., biology, mathematics, chemistry, physics), and aims to convert them to engineers with unique expertise in the fundamentals of energy and the environment, and their applications for the benefit of humankind. The programme structure is modular in format. It includes a compulsory Engineering Methods module in the first semester, which exposes you to essential engineering techniques and philosophy. Besides this module, you will choose three modules from Vector Calculus, Energy Conversion Analysis, Computer Aided Engineering, Advanced Fluid Mechanics and Heat Transfer, Environmental Properties of Materials and Renewable Energy Sources during the first semester. The selection of these three conversion modules depend on your background and these modules serve to ensure that you will have the appropriate engineering background to undertake the specialist modules in the second semester.

For your research project, you will have the option to choose one of our many renown SEMS academics who are research active in sustainable energy as your project supervisors, and work closely under their supervision on a wide range of technologies from renewable energy generation (solar, wind, geothermal, waves) to energy storage, energy transmission and energy policy. The energy field is constantly changing and it is important to be able to keep up with the latest advances.

The degree structure is designed to appeal to students with engineering or science backgrounds, and is modular in format. It contains a total of eight taught course modules (first and second semesters), as well as a research project, which is prepared over the first two semesters and carried out over the third (summer) semester.

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MATERIALS AND ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES

Biomaterials MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomat

QMUL has led the field in biomaterials teaching and research for over 20 years. This programme is designed to provide a good level of understanding and appreciation of the principles and applications of biomaterials and medical devices.

This MSc focuses on biocompatibility, ethical issues, nanomaterials, and materials science function in biological systems. Biomaterials involves tailor-making materials for medical applications. Examples include artificial skin, vascular and cardiovascular implants and devices, bone graft substitutes, new prosthetic devices, dental materials, biosensors, and controlled drug delivery. Over the past decade, applications in this field have rapidly expanded, with the only limits seeming to be the imagination of the biomedical material scientist and the identification of appropriate applications. These new materials have had enormous impact on the repair and replacement of injured and diseased parts of the body.

This long-established programme will equip you with both a theoretical and applied knowledge of biomaterials. Technological advances, as well as methodological issues, have contributed to the transformation of biomaterials and their functions. The course will provide an insight into areas of material science, biocompatibility, ethical issues, nanomaterials, and biological systems.

Biomedical Engineering MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-eng

This programme is designed to be flexible and allows you to make module choices that will allow you to specialise in the area of biomedical engineering that interests you most. Our extensive specialist modules mean that you will be able to elect to gain advanced skills in computational modelling, numerical techniques and an in-depth understanding of engineering approaches to biological problems; acquire extensive knowledge in the areas of computational solid and fluid mechanics, with a focus on biomedical applications such as biomechanics, bio-fluids and tissue engineering; achieve in-depth understanding of the underlying theoretical issues and the technology developments in biomedical engineering, of how to use advanced computational and theoretical apparatus to solve biomedical problems, of the development cycle of novel biomedical technologies, and of how to contribute to advanced design developments.
Biomedical Engineering (conversion) MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-eng-conv

This programme is aimed at students who already have a science background (e.g., biology, mathematics, chemistry, physics), and aims to convert them to engineers with unique expertise in the fundamentals of biomedical engineering, as well as a specialisation in one of the following areas: imaging and instrumentation, tissue engineering and biomaterials, or biofluids.

The programme has strong roots within the well-recognised expertise of the academics who deliver the lectures, and have international standing in diverse biomedical engineering topics. This ensures that the programme is delivered to the highest standards in the field. You will also benefit from access to state-of-the-art facilities and instrumentation while undertaking your research project.

The programme structure is modular in format. During Semester A, you will take the compulsory module Engineering Methods, which exposes you to essential engineering techniques and philosophy. In Semester B, you will take the compulsory module Ethics and Regulatory Affairs. For the rest of the programme, your taught curriculum is determined by your choice of specialism.

Biomedical Engineering with Imaging and Instrumentation MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-eng-imag

This new MSc programme has been developed to meet the need within the Biomedical Engineering industry for graduates with specialist electronic skills and knowledge related to the medical field. This new MSc provides you with specialist modules that will broaden your knowledge to encompass the necessary biomedical engineering specialism, as well as the anatomy, physiology and medical vocabulary you will need to communicate effectively with your clinical colleagues.

A 60-credit research project is to be undertaken using our research activities and our innovative facilities. Several high performance computing clusters owned by the university support a full spectrum of computational research. Our well-equipped laboratories include a wide range of tissue engineering, human performance, mechanical testing and materials synthesis and characterisation labs. Nanotechnology research is further supported by the facilities and expertise provided by Nanoforce, a company directly associated with the School.
As a graduate of this programme, you will be able to pursue a career in the NHS, private research laboratories and also continue on in education to gain a PhD. The programme covers the design of modern electronic equipment, monitoring patients, life support and surgical equipment and appropriate clinical measurement techniques for recording the variety of signals produced by the human body. The electrical safety requirements for medical equipment connected to patients are stringent and these aspects of design are thoroughly emphasised. Considerable attention is also paid to the processing of biomedical signals by computer and other means in order to enhance their useful information content for the clinician when attempting diagnosis.

Applications are welcome from students with a background in engineering or physics.

**Biomedical Engineering with Biomaterials and Tissue Engineering MSc**

**One year full-time**

[qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-eng-bio](qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-eng-bio)

This exciting new MSc programme builds on our ongoing world-leading research in the area. Biomedical engineering is a wide-ranging subject area and this MSc programme allows you to specialise in biomaterials and tissue engineering, while gaining valuable biomedical engineering skills and knowledge.

The MSc is designed to provide you with the skills to produce solutions to clinically relevant problems. These clinical solutions may be in the form of novel biomaterials or encompass tissue engineering strategies. You will study normal and disordered cell and tissue structure and function, biomechanics and biomaterials, alongside the engineering needed to provide the future of this area. Any work in this field must be supported by the correct legal framework: our modules provide this industry awareness.

Applications are welcome from students with a background in physical sciences (chemistry, physics, mathematics and materials science) or engineering.

The programme has strong roots within the well-recognised expertise of the academics who deliver the lectures, and have international standing in cutting-edge biomaterials and tissue engineering research.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
ENGINEERING AND MATERIALS SCIENCE

Regenerative Medicine MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-regenerative-medicine

This new MSc programme aims to provide the next generation of scientists and medical professionals with the skills and knowledge required for successful careers in regenerative medicine. It is a rapidly growing area of biomedical research that encompasses stem cell biology, tissue engineering, drug delivery, and nanotechnology.

Dental Materials MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-dent-mat

This MSc is an advanced study programme designed to develop a significantly broad knowledge of the principles underlying the mechanical, physical and chemical properties of dental materials. You will also study the structural properties of materials both at micro and macro levels. A special emphasis is placed on materials and their structure/function relationships in the context of both clinical and non-clinical aspects. The theoretical modules are reinforced by the practical research experience that can take place in the School of Engineering and Materials Science or the School of Medicine and Dentistry.

This MSc provides you with the necessary tools and principles of dental materials that are currently used in clinical dentistry and covers the underlying principles of bioactivity and biocompatibility. The taught modules are complimented by research projects that are based on both the programme curriculum and your research interests.

This degree is aimed at dental surgeons, materials scientists and engineers wishing to work in the dental support industries, as well as the materials health sector generally. On completion of the course, you will have a good knowledge of topics related to dental materials and, in addition, be competent in justifying selection criteria and manipulation instructions for all classes of materials relevant to the practice of dentistry.
Materials Research MSc/MRes
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mres-mat-res

These programmes provide rigorous training in both theoretical and applied research for those who wish to pursue a career as a professional materials scientist. This MSc will provide an insight into areas of manufacturing, planning and control systems, knowledge-based systems, and measurements and manufacturing systems. The programme is interdisciplinary in nature and involves a combination of theoretical and practical approaches.

The design of the Research Masters (MRes) programme is based on guidelines provided by the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC). The programme will provide you with the foundations for a research career in industry, the service sector, the public sector or academia. It serves both as a qualification in its own right for immediate entry into a research career or as an enhanced route to a PhD through further research.

A substantial component of both programmes is the research project. This is undertaken alongside taught modules throughout the academic year, and will be based within one of the materials-based research groups in the School of Engineering and Materials Science. The MRes Materials Research may be focused in the fields of ceramics, polymers, composites, elastomers, functional materials or manufacturing technologies.

Polymer Science and Nanotechnology MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-poly-sci-nano

This programme draws on the School’s research strengths within the area of polymers and composites, and makes use of our exceptional research facilities. Polymers are unique materials that are used in composites and biomaterials, as well as electronics. Our research groups have been developing new synthetic strategies to invent advanced materials. The course focuses on polymers synthesis and polymer composites and concludes with an independent research project related to these areas.

Our modules prepare you for an independent research project, while also increasing your knowledge of the structure and behaviours of different polymer materials. You will also learn how to decide what materials are most suitable for the design of different products, taking into consideration their environmental impact. As well as emphasising the various types of materials processes that are currently used in the field, we introduce you to the latest innovative techniques that are still in development.

You can find out more information about our current research activities by visiting becergroup.com and nanoforce.co.uk
**TAUGHT PROGRAMMES**

**ENGLISH**

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**English Studies MA**

**One year full-time, two years part-time**

**Programme overview**

Our English Studies MA invites you to choose from a number of distinctive pathways. If you prefer a flexible route, you can take our English Literature pathway and select modules from across the whole range of the curriculum. This allows you to consider the relationship between writings from a variety of historical periods, and to write a dissertation in an area of your choice. If you prefer to specialise, you can choose from one of six period pathways, allowing you to gain an in-depth understanding of the movements, debates, and practices that shaped a particular period of literary history.

Our English Studies MA pathways are designed to be flexible. If you select one of our six specific period pathways, you will still be able to choose to study a module from one of the other period pathways to broaden your research.

**PATHWAY ONE**

**English Studies MA: English Literature**

[qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-lit](qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-lit)

The English Literature MA pathway asks you to reflect on some fundamental questions about the study of literature: how have ideas about literature and literary value changed over time? What effects do innovations in printing and publishing have on writing? And to what extent do political and social factors condition and define authorial identities and practices? In answering these questions, you will reflect on the relationship between literatures from a variety of historical periods.

This pathway is ideal if you intend to pursue a doctoral project that spans traditional literary periods, or if you want to gain a broad overview of Anglophone literary culture.
PATHWAY TWO

English Studies MA: Early Modern Studies, 1300–1700
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-early-modern

The Early Modern Studies pathway gives you the opportunity to study the vibrant culture that existed in Europe between 1300 and 1700. Our approach to this period is genuinely interdisciplinary: you will explore the period’s history, religion, literature, and visual culture. We ground our teaching in the material objects of the time, and you will gain substantial experience in handling early modern materials and in exploring practices of editing and publishing documents.

Specially designed modules enable you to study some of the most influential writers working in the period – including Chaucer, Erasmus, Shakespeare, Machiavelli, Montaigne, Donne, and Milton – and to address the central issues informing current discussions about what constitutes the medieval and early modern periods.

PATHWAY THREE

English Studies MA: Eighteenth-Century Literature and Romanticism
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-18th-c-lit

Our Eighteenth-Century Literature and Romanticism pathway takes a truly interdisciplinary approach, exploring politics, the history of genres, philosophy, history, and visual culture, amongst other topics.

You will have the opportunity to consider the popular culture of coffee house and tavern, Orientalism, Romantic poetics and manifestos, travel, the political world on the street and in parliaments, and the vocations of women poets and polemicists. You will gain a detailed understanding of the interdisciplinary debates concerning the literature and history of this period, and will engage with a variety of materials: theoretical, visual, historical, and literary.

PATHWAY FOUR

English Studies MA: Victorian Literature
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-victorian

The Victorian Literature pathway is an opportunity to explore a wide range of literature written in Britain between 1832 and 1900. The pathway will introduce you to a variety of styles and genres produced by Victorian authors. Their writing will be considered in relation to aesthetic, historical, and social issues, and from a variety of critical perspectives. You will benefit from our location in London’s historic East End, and you will be introduced to key resources in London for the study of Victorian literature.
PATHWAY FIVE

English Studies MA: Writing in the Modern Age
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-modern-age

Our Writing in the Modern Age pathway offers a historically wide-ranging, theoretically rigorous, and generically diverse grounding in 20th-century literary culture. You will have the opportunity to engage with a variety of literary and non-literary modes, encompassing narrative fiction, poetry, and critical theory. The modules will explore some of the central debates that run through modern writing and criticism: what is ‘modern’ and what comes after it? What counts as ‘art’? How have relations between ‘high’ and ‘low’ altered over time? How does writing relate to racial or gendered ‘otherness’? How has writing rethought the politics of freedom and containment? And how can criticism deal with creativity?

PATHWAY SIX

English Studies MA: Contemporary Writing
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-contemporary

Our Contemporary Writing pathway asks you to reflect on recent developments in literature. The compulsory module will open up some of the key debates in the field. You will examine notions of ‘writing’ and the ‘present’ in relation to wider contemporary debates about the historical present, the nature of time, and the difficulties of periodisation. Special attention will be paid to questions of technology, innovation, and social change. Our approach to contemporary material will be genuinely interdisciplinary and we will explore how such writing plays a role in current theoretical debates, engages with contemporary philosophy, and is transformed within the context of digital culture.

PATHWAY SEVEN

English Studies MA: Postcolonial and Global Literatures
qmul.ac.uk/ma-english-postcolonial

Our Postcolonial and Global Literatures pathway offers you the chance to explore writing from the classic to the contemporary, in English and in translation, that reflects on questions of global relatedness and colonial power. You will think further about literatures in postcolonial and global contexts, while studying in the heart of London’s East End with its distinctive history of migration. The pathway draws on our unparalleled academic expertise across this field – we have one of the largest groups of postcolonial and global literary researchers in the UK.
**Poetry MA**  
**One year full-time, two years part-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/ma-poetry](http://qmul.ac.uk/ma-poetry)

Our new Poetry MA offers the unique opportunity to explore historical and contemporary poetic practices while studying in London, the heart of the nation’s creative industries. The programme offers a distinctive mix of specialised attention to the genre of poetry, the chance to develop your own poetic practice, and arranged work placements within the cultural and creative sector.

Drawing on the resources and expertise of our Centre for Poetry, the programme is flexible and interdisciplinary. You will be able to pursue your own analytical and creative projects, driven by the work you’ll do on an extensive list of optional modules from schools across QMUL. Modules might allow you to pursue topics as diverse as modernist poetry, intellectual property law and the creative industries, video and audio recording technologies, sociolinguistics, or art and the geography of the city. The programme’s flexibility prepares you for doctoral study, provides you with insights and contacts in the cultural sector, and allows you to deepen your own poetic practice.

**INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMMES**

**Global Shakespeare MA**  
**One year full-time, two years part-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/ma-global-shakespeare](http://qmul.ac.uk/ma-global-shakespeare)

You will explore Shakespeare’s plays and poems as they have been read, performed, adapted, and translated (linguistically and in performance practices) in different cultural contexts and media around the world. Ideal for graduates wishing to enter careers in academia, cultural organisations, theatres, teaching, publishing and journalism, this course offers the opportunity to be taught by international scholars and practitioners including journalists, directors, actors, and translators both here in London and in Shakespeare’s Stratford-upon-Avon. You will engage with, critique, and develop ideas of globalisation, interdisciplinarity, and translation to create a new approach to the study of Shakespeare. This programme is a joint degree between QMUL and the University of Warwick.
London Studies MA/PgCert
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-london

London has long been an international centre of cultural production and political power. This interdisciplinary programme takes the city as its focus, using London as a central example, resource and inspiration. It is taught collaboratively, drawing on expertise from the Schools of Geography, and English and Drama. The programme brings together historical and contemporary perspectives on metropolitan culture and explores urban history and theory, literature, art practice, performance, exhibitions, the built environment and more.
Our Documentary Practice MA offers you a creative production environment within a research-based postgraduate Film Studies Department. The course is practical, creative, and supports students who wish to become professional filmmakers and/or research academics. This combination of production professionalism and academic excellence is key to promoting intellectual, current, and socially engaged documentary makers.

Our Film Studies masters course draws on a range of film theorists and philosophers, allowing you to consider the aesthetic possibilities of film (What is it that a film can do?), the ethical responsibilities of film (What is it that we can ask of film?), and the changing nature of film (What is it that film is becoming?). The MA offers a number of courses with practical elements if you would like to further explore the relationship between the making and the understanding of film.
Cities and Cultures MA/MRes
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-cities-cultures
qmul.ac.uk/mres-cities-cultures

Our Cities and Cultures programmes combine the study of cultural geography with a specific focus on urban cultures, both past and present. They draw upon the latest developments in cultural geography and urban studies to provide an advanced and critical understanding of how cities are socially produced, imagined, represented and contested. Modules examine the relationships between urban space and power through themes that include empire, migration and postcolonialism. They also explore the meanings and politics of spaces in diverse cities by engaging with original texts as well as the built environment, art practices, literature, performance, film, exhibitions and museum curation. Core research training in geographical thought and practice equips you to undertake your own research in his field.

The programme makes the most of QMUL’s location in London. It also draws upon the School’s strong connections with museums and artists and provides a unique basis for careers in the cultural and urban sectors, as well as for further research.

Development and Global Health MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
New for 2017 (subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/ma-dev-global-health

This new programme offers you the chance to blend established health and development approaches to tackle the contested contemporary terrains of development and global health politics. Combining the latest research in these fields, we will encourage you to challenge conventional ways of approaching questions of health and development, while also considering alternative ways of promoting and securing advances in human well-being.

This programme will encourage you to examine the intersections between questions of development and global health, using a critical geographical approach to problematise established theories, practices and policies. It will also provide you with training and one-to-one tailored supervision as you develop independent desk-based and field research through a dissertation and optional fieldwork.
Environmental Science by Research MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-env-sci-res

This programme will allow you to explore the unique specialisms within our physical geography and environmental science research team, and to work closely on a specialist topic with an expert in your chosen field of interest. The support available is on a one-to-one basis and culminates in a substantial MSc dissertation. This can take the form of a traditional monograph, a research report or two draft manuscripts intended for publication in an international, peer-reviewed journal. This programme is ideal for those looking to continue on to PhD research or to work independently, for example, as a consultant.

The programme places you with one or more internationally acknowledged experts in physical geography or environmental science, with superb research and analytical facilities that ensure a top-quality research environment. It also offers you the opportunity to work with partner organisations, providing insights into their structure and operation.

The programme combines a smaller taught element to provide key research methodology, skills, approaches and debates relevant to your field of study, along with a substantial element of independent work to focus on a specific area of research. You will acquire a range of transferable skills suitable for further research and employment, including analytical field and laboratory skills, data modelling, statistical analysis, project management and the critical evaluation of information.

Geography MA/MSc/MRes
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-geog
qmul.ac.uk/msc-geog
qmul.ac.uk/mres-geog

These programmes provide a strong grounding in current geographical theory, methods and issues by drawing on the expertise of our human geography staff. Combining core training in theory and practice with the opportunity for you to specialise in your chosen areas, you can choose the length of the dissertation. It is possible to develop your own area of research or to complete a dissertation on a subject advertised by the School (see links above). Opportunities to work with institutions and groups beyond the university are provided through our close ties with museums, archives, community organisations and artists.

This programme provides an advanced understanding of geographical theory, methods and substantive issues for the discipline. It also equips you with advanced-level research skills including project design, planning and management, as well as analytical and interpretive skills.
Global Development Futures MA/MRes
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-global-dev-futures
qmul.ac.uk/mres-global-dev-futures

This innovative masters programme offers you the chance to explore alternative future possibilities for international development in theory and practice. Combining the latest thinking on development, economic geography, political economy, labour studies and social change, you will explore the multiple connections (and disconnections) between countries of the Global North and South. This programme will encourage you to critically assess the strengths and weaknesses of different theoretical approaches to studying development futures.

The programme will also provide you with the opportunity to develop your research skills and experiences through an independent research project and fieldwork as part of your dissertation. This work will be supported by research training, as well as one-to-one tailored supervision from experienced researchers.

Global Development Futures MRes
The MRes is currently taught in conjunction with the London Social Science Doctoral Training Centre and is an approved pathway for ESRC 1+3 PhD funding. ESRC Doctoral Training Centres will be replaced for 2017 entry. Subject to a successful bid for a new ESRC Doctoral Training Partnership, we will host three new MRes programmes from 2017 which will be the same structure as the MA/MSc, but will include a compulsory module: Introduction to Social Science 2: Quantitative Methods and Data. Check the website at time of application for the latest module structure (which will change based on new collaborations for 2017).
Global Health Geographies MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
New for 2017 (subject to approval)
qmul.ac.uk/ma-global-health-geog

This new programme explores the contested terrain of global health politics in theory and practice. Combining advanced geographical analysis of pressing global health concerns with jointly-taught modules from experts in the Global Health Unit at the QMUL Centre for Primary Care and Public Health, this degree will equip a new generation of critical scholars to tackle the moral, ethical and political challenges of global health today.

This programme will provide you with a detailed understanding of global health debates, agendas, politics and practices in a variety of geographical and historical contexts.

It will also encourage you to examine pressing global health challenges in light of the significant conceptual, methodological and empirical contributions of critical geographical scholarship.

The programme involves unique multi-disciplinary teaching from internationally recognised global health experts, which permits you to develop a programme of study that furthers your own academic or professional interests.

Integrated Management of Freshwater Environments MSc/PgCert/PgDip
One year full-time, two or three years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-imfe

This programme is delivered in close collaboration with our advisory board of representatives from the water industry, and provides fundamental and applied training in the science and management of freshwater environments. Combining hydrology, geomorphology, biogeochemistry and ecology, it is designed to produce outstanding scientists capable of developing interdisciplinary solutions to priority water resource and catchment issues. It involves fieldwork at our research sites including the near-natural Tagliamento River, Italy*, and heavily impacted rivers within London and the south-east of England.

This programme facilitates networking within the water and environmental sectors, develops your core understanding of freshwater environmental systems and the key policy and legal frameworks that underpin their management, provides hands-on training in flood estimation and inundation modelling using industry-standard software and develops your skills and knowledge in the monitoring and management of pollutants, nutrient levels and greenhouse gas emissions in aquatic systems.

*Fieldwork costs are additional to tuition fees. In 2015/16, the cost of fieldtrips on this degree programme was approximately £550.
London Studies MA/PgCert
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-london-studies
qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-london-studies

London has long been an international centre of cultural production and political power. This interdisciplinary programme takes the city as its focus, using London as a central example, resource and inspiration. It is taught collaboratively in the Schools of Geography, and English and Drama. The programme brings together historical and contemporary perspectives on metropolitan culture through approaches that span the humanities and social sciences, and through engaging with urban history and theory, literature, art practice, performance, exhibitions, the built environment and more.

This programme provides a sound conceptual base as well as suitable practical training to conduct independent research on London, introducing resources in the city and ways of using them intelligently and creatively.

It also makes the most of QMUL’s location in the East End. We are in an area whose historical changes and current transformations provide a focus for study and debate. We are also close to key cultural resources and institutions.

You will work with a range of London-based archives, libraries, museums and other repositories with collections relating to the cultural life of the city, while exploring the practices of museums, institutions, artists and others working beyond the academy.

“I really liked the opportunity to study east London from an east London location. I’ve enjoyed modules taught in Geography and English, particularly Art, Performance and the City and Writing the East End. I really enjoyed looking at how east London has been imagined and engaged through art and literature and the twentieth and twenty-first century historical focus in these modules”
Lucie Glasheen, London Studies MA 2014; now a PhD student
History MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-history

Programme overview
In recognition of our research excellence in American history, cultural history, Medieval and Renaissance and Middle Eastern studies, we have developed new pathways for this MA. These pathways provide you with the opportunity to engage more fully with your specialist area.

This is our broadest MA programme. You can tailor your degree to your interests, either thematically or by period.

The modules you can choose may include Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust; Dancehalls, Dictators and the Dole: British Politics in the 1930s; Race, Resistance and Decolonization: Empire and Global History in the Twentieth Century; Church and Clergy in Late Medieval London, and Islam is the Solution? The History of Modern Islamism.

History MA – American History Pathway
The USA lays claim to immense power: political, cultural and economic. How did this happen and how should we understand America’s reach and influence in the modern world?

The modern presidency is one of the world’s most powerful offices; Hollywood is a globally recognised studio system, and America’s consumer habits and products are emulated and critiqued around the world.

In order to understand America’s present, we will help you to explore its past in rich and multifaceted ways.

The modules you can choose may include The American Presidency; Hollywood and the Second World War; Consumer Cultures: The United States from the 1760s to the 1960s; Unfinished Revolution: Democracy in Britain and America, 1828–1928; and The US-UK Special Relationship.
History MA – Cultural History Pathway
What were the meanings of social and political relations, such as gender, family and friendship? How should we explore the history of emotion, the self and the body? You will compare regions and societies across time in order to understand why each one is unique, and why they are relevant to the world today.

The modules you can choose may include Modern Girls? Gender, Culture and Society in Britain 1918–1979; Selfhood and Enlightenment in the Long Eighteenth Century; Church and Clergy in Late Medieval London; Islam in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia.

History MA – Medieval and Renaissance History Pathway
We are renowned for our pioneering contributions to the study of medieval and early modern Europe.

You will work in an interdisciplinary environment to study a wide range of European history, all aspects of which are relevant to the world today. This includes religious cultures, patronage of literature and arts, attitudes to minorities, travel and pilgrimage, and Europe’s links with Africa and the Near East.

The modules you can choose may include Islam in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia; Church and Clergy in Late Medieval London; The First Crusade and the Foundation of the Crusader States; The Medieval Bible: An Evidence-Based Approach; and The History of Cartography in Medieval Islam and Europe: Surat al-ard, Imago Mundi.

History MA – Middle Eastern Studies Pathway
The history of the Middle East and its relations with Europe, past and present, is a topic with contemporary resonance. This pathway brings together our internationally recognised expertise in the history of the medieval Islamic world, Iberia and the Crusades, as well as in the modern national and international politics of the Arab Middle East.

Our MA modules are interdisciplinary. You could study literary representations of the Middle East, international relations or the impact of cultural diversity on legal systems.

The modules you can choose may include Romantic Worldview: The Orient and Others; Islam is the Solution? The History of Modern Islamism; Islam in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia; The History of Cartography in Medieval Islam and Europe: Surat al-ard, Imago Mundi; Cultural Diversity and Law; and International Relations of the Middle East.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES
HISTORY

European Jewish History MA (Leo Baeck Institute)
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-euro-jewish-history

This is the only taught postgraduate programme in the UK focusing on the rich field of European Jewish history.

You will explore the history and culture of the European Jews and will investigate the question of emancipation, the quest for equal rights, Jewish identities, the role of anti-Semitism, and Jewish intellectual history. Our programme is a dynamic forum for you to reflect critically on contemporary issues such as cultural diversity, race, religion, gender and power.

You will be part of the prestigious Leo Baeck Institute and will have access to all its facilities. This includes libraries, seminars and research events worldwide.

The modules you can choose may include Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust; Jews, Power and Intellectual History; Holocaust and Beyond: War and Post-war Germany.

Global and Imperial History MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-global-history

Global history is emerging as one of the most exciting fields of historical study. Our Global and Imperial History MA is ideal for anyone interested in understanding how the legacies of imperialism and post-colonialism have shaped the world we live in.

Our innovative programme offers global, imperial and postcolonial perspectives on the making of the modern world. You will question general assumptions about the forces of globalisation and learn how to understand them in terms of long-running historical processes.

This is an interdisciplinary MA, with teaching that draws on both the School of History’s world-class academics and those throughout the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences.

The modules you can choose may include Readings in Global History; Race, Resistance and Decolonization: Empire and Global History in the Twentieth Century; Islam is the Solution? The History of Modern Islamism; International Relations of the Middle East: Islam, Imperialism and State Formation; Sub-Saharan Africa: States and Societies; Cities, Space and Power; and Empire, Race and Immigration.
History of Political Thought and Intellectual History MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-hist-pol-thought

This is a joint programme with University College London (UCL) and offers advanced training in intellectual history, the history of political thought and the history of philosophy, spanning the period from the ancient world to the 21st century.

You will get an essential grounding in the various methods and approaches associated with the study of the history of political thought developed over the past quarter-century in the United Kingdom, Europe and the United States.

The members of staff who teach on this programme (including Professor Quentin Skinner, Professor Richard Bourke, Professor Gareth Stedman Jones, Professor Georgios Varouxakis) are world-renowned and drawn from Departments of History, Law, Modern Languages and Literature, Philosophy, and Politics from across colleges and institutes within the University of London.

The modules you can choose may include Theories of Empire: from Enlightenment to Liberalism (QMUL); Theories of the early-modern state: Machiavelli, More, Hobbes, Locke (QMUL); From Hume to Darwin: God, Man and Nature in European Thought (KCL; Ideology and Propaganda in the Roman Republic (UCL); and In the Shadow of the French Revolution: Political Thought 1790–1890 (QMUL).

Modern and Contemporary British History MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-mod-british-history

You will be taught by an excellent team of modern and contemporary British historians who are leaders in their fields. The MA ranges from the Victorian era to the present day, with specialities in the history of government and politics, foreign affairs and war, gender, emotions, medicine and psychology.

The School of History, in partnership with the School of Politics and International Relations, hosts the Mile End Institute (MEI). The MEI brings together policymakers, academics and diverse local communities to address major political challenges in the UK from a contemporary and historical perspective. You will be able to attend their regular series of public events, which provide unique opportunities for further intellectual enrichment and personal development during your time at QMUL and beyond.

The modules you can choose may include US–UK Special Relationship; Modern Girls? Gender, Culture and Society in Modern Britain, c.1918–1979; Dancehalls, Dictators and the Dole: British Politics in the 1930s; Victors to Victims: Representing the Two World Wars in Britain.
Pre-Masters Graduate Diploma in Humanities and Social Sciences
One year or seven months full-time
language-centre.sllf.qmul.ac.uk/premasters-hss

This Diploma offers a route to masters degrees for international and EU students who are changing disciplines, need to increase their academic qualifications or who need to improve their level of English. It is fully integrated with the university, and academic modules are taught by QMUL lecturers. This diploma is especially useful for students going on to study with the School of Languages, Linguistics and Film; Business and Management; or Politics and International Relations.
**Anglo-German Cultural Relations MA**  
One year full-time, two years part-time  
[qmul.ac.uk/ma-anglo-german](http://qmul.ac.uk/ma-anglo-german)

Our Anglo-German Cultural Relations MA draws on the German Department’s outstanding international research culture. This is the only MA in the UK to focus on the history, theory and practice of Anglo-German cultural relations from c1800 to the present day. Our programme contains a unique practical component, in which you will be taught by practitioners from British and German cultural institutions, and from publishing, translating and the media.

**Comparative Literature MA**  
One year full-time, two years part-time  
[qmul.ac.uk/ma-comp-lit](http://qmul.ac.uk/ma-comp-lit)

The School’s programme in Comparative Literature offers you the chance to study aspects of our language specialisms. It examines the realities of cultural movement, exchange and dialogue. At its centre is the notion of ‘world literature’ allied to related cultural, philosophical and theoretical questions. We also examine cosmopolitanism, transnationalism, exile and other phenomena of our increasingly interconnected world.
Programme overview
The School of Law offers the largest LLM programme in the UK, with a suite of 22 general and specialist LLMs delivered in London.

One of the distinctive features of our LLM is the exceptionally wide range of modules. These are advanced programmes of study, so you will be expected to direct your own work and develop high-level legal and transferable skills. Whichever programme you decide to follow, you will be dealing with complex issues systematically and creatively. Taught by our expert academics, with invaluable contributions from leading practitioners and industry experts, our programmes enable you to gain an advanced and thorough understanding of the key and current issues in your chosen field.

The programmes of study provide a flexible mix of classroom-based teaching (assessed by examinations or coursework) of 135 taught credits, and a compulsory 15,000-word dissertation.

Flexibility
Once you have applied for your chosen LLM programme, you will have the ability to try out various LLM modules within that programme at the start of teaching before making your module selection. You can select the required 135 credits of taught modules from within your programme; however, the structure allows you to take modules of up to 45 credits from any of our LLM programmes. For example, if you choose the IP Law LLM, you will be allowed to select 45 credits from across the entire range of LLM modules, which could include medical law, human rights, tax, or energy, depending on your interest.

Entry requirements
See individual programme webpages for specific entry qualifications. The usual qualification for entry to the LLM programme is a degree in law, or a degree with a substantial law content, of at least upper second class honours (or equivalent). Law graduates with lower second honours who also have other legal qualifications and/or substantial professional legal experience may also qualify. Non-law graduates with a minimum second class honours degree, who have also obtained a Merit (or 60 per cent) in the Common Professional Examination (CPE) or Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL) recognised by the UK professional bodies, may also qualify.

English language requirements
If English is not your first language, you must provide evidence of your English language proficiency – IELTS minimum level 7.0 with 7 in writing, or equivalent, is required. Further information can also be found at: qmul.ac.uk/international/international-students/englishlanguagerequirements
LLM PROGRAMMES

• Master of Laws LLM (one year FT, two years PT): allows you to select modules from the entire range of LLM modules, providing you with an opportunity to gain knowledge and skills across a broad range of legal subjects. The compulsory dissertation can be in any legal field. Students who wish to group their modules into a specific legal area may wish to apply for one of the more specialised LLM programmes.

• Banking and Finance Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT): provides a thorough grounding in the fundamental principles of international finance and financial services law, covering local and international developments from both practical and policy perspectives. From financial regulation, corporate finance, and mergers and acquisitions, to electronic banking, you can choose from a wide selection of modules.

• Commercial and Corporate Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT): covers the regulation of international trade, the structure and management of international business transactions, and the economic foundations of trade and corporate law. This area is increasingly important due to the globalisation of trade and investment, the emergence of new markets, trans-border merger and acquisition activity, and the growing convergence of trade, finance and global corporate governance.

• Comparative and International Dispute Resolution LLM (one year FT, two years PT): aims to challenge a new generation of lawyers to rethink traditional approaches to conflict. The programme is grounded in dispute resolution theory: you will study a programme that combines broad interdisciplinary training and opportunities for individualised study and skills development.

• Competition Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT): explores the impact of competition law in areas such as monopolies and mergers and their regulation and control; intellectual property rights and anti-competitive practices; international competition law and international trade. This is an exciting and increasingly important area of law, particularly internationally and across the EU.

• Computer and Communications Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT): allows you the opportunity to gain expertise in the legal regimes governing the supply and use of computer and communications technology. Through the examination of the related complex issues concerning national and international law and policy via modules including e-commerce, privacy, data protection, cybercrime, cloud computing, online IP and software licensing, you will learn to analyse how this technology has affected the application of traditional legal principles.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES

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• **Criminal Justice LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** allows you to gain in-depth comparative knowledge of criminal justice systems around the world, including their international, regional and transnational interactions. The programme aims to foster an understanding of different systems of criminal justice (e.g., civil vs. common law) and investigates the challenges that police, prosecutors, judges and policymakers face in a global environment. The course also provides a potential route to postgraduate research in the area of criminal justice.

• **Energy and Natural Resources Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** building upon existing expertise in commercial law, dispute resolution, environmental law and regulation, this LLM looks at energy, the largest global industry, from a comparative, international and interdisciplinary perspective, focusing on both regulatory and transactional matters.

• **Environmental Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** examines the political and legal issues concerning environmental protection, climate change policies, and natural resources law, with an emphasis on the impact of gas and oil. This is an interdisciplinary programme encompassing the legal, political and human rights aspects of environmental protection.

• **European Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** develops a detailed knowledge of EU law in a range of areas, including the constitution, the single market, competition, environment, migration, healthcare law and human rights.

• **Human Rights Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** is designed to enable you to form an advanced understanding of international law relating to the promotion and protection of human rights at the international, regional and domestic levels. You will also have an opportunity to explore the interface between human rights law and related areas such as immigration, migration, criminal law, mental health law and media law.

• **Immigration Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** provides you with the opportunity to study legal responses to the global phenomenon of immigration at international, supranational and domestic levels, and to understand the rationale and operation of the law in context.

• **Insurance Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** equips you with the knowledge, skills and practical tools needed to gain a thorough understanding of insurance law (one of the largest industries globally), its practice, and how it is regulated in London – one of the world’s leading centres for the industry.

• **Intellectual Property Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** allows you to study introductory and advanced intellectual property (IP) and technology law, and to scrutinise the policies affecting intellectual property and technology law under the guidance of leading scholars in the field. You will be able to study a wide range of topics, from the protection of inventions, products, trade marks, creative works and designs, to the global policy surrounding the law.
• **International Business Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** The International Business Law LLM programme offers you a comprehensive range of modules relevant to company law, competition law, corporate governance, dispute resolution, energy law, finance law, insurance law, intellectual property, international trade law, market regulation, shipping law and tax law.

• **International Economic Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** is concerned with theoretical and practical legal issues involved with the global economy and international economic relationships. This programme allows you to analyse the role of law in a global economic context.

• **International Shipping Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** English law is frequently selected as the applicable law of shipping contracts, with London as the centre for the resolution of any disputes. We are the only College within the University of London to offer this specialism, covering the specialist areas of P&I clubs, charterparties, paperless trade and marine insurance law, which is taught by academics, legal practitioners and industry experts.

• **Legal Theory LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** explores a variety of theoretical approaches to law, including comparative, political, social and literary theories. You will also gain an essential grounding in the sources and methods of advanced training in legal theory.

• **Media Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** allows you the opportunity to gain expertise in a range of legal regimes governing key aspects of the media, from the regulation of all key forms of media content to the regulation of the infrastructures via which that content is delivered, including traditional, new and still-developing media.

• **Medical Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** offers a comprehensive examination of the role of law within the contemporary healthcare environment. The responsibilities of those providing healthcare and the expectations of those receiving it are legally defined and, as a consequence, the law is increasingly involved in dispute resolution. This course provides a sound knowledge and understanding of the institutions and organisations associated with medical law and the interrelationships between them.

• **Public International Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** is concerned both with the relations between states and individuals, and between international organisations and states. This programme will enable you to understand and evaluate public international law and its role, potential and limitations in international affairs.

• **Tax Law LLM (one year FT, two years PT):** is designed to equip lawyers for the substantive, procedural and technical aspects of tax practice, and to expand and deepen the knowledge base of established practitioners; However, no previous knowledge of taxation is required. Modules cover business taxation, international taxation, EU tax law, VAT, intellectual property taxation, taxation principles and policy and US taxation.
Art, Business and Law LLM
One year FT, two years PT
New for 2017
Offered in association with the Institute of Art and Law

The art world is a vastly complex place. The legal rules that affect the buying, selling and dealing in works of art and cultural objects derive from numerous branches of law: from sale, gift, contract and property law to tax, crime and competition law. This programme is designed to give students an in-depth understanding of the workings of the law when it comes to dealings in the art world, as well as the application of the law in everyday practice. You will acquire the ability to critically assess and comment upon the issues relevant to art law from an international and transnational perspective as well as the ability to conduct advanced research in the area. Students will develop a range of skills, both analytical and research-based, that will enable them to engage in professional activity in this field, whether it be in relation to museums and galleries or art dealers and collectors.

The programme consists of six compulsory taught modules specifically designed for this programme, as well as a 15,000-word dissertation. Modules will be taught by law academics from QMUL and instructors from the Institute of Art and Law who are leading practitioners with many years of experience in the field. The modules cover relevant topics such as governance, transactions, money, ethics, intellectual property and dispute resolution.

Additional study options
Semester in London (non-award bearing)
We welcome applications from students either in their final or penultimate year of their first/undergraduate law degree. The programme allows you to study in London for one semester (September–December). You will take part in LLM classes with other QMUL postgraduate law students, which will allow you to learn from, and network with, students from all over the world and to get a solid grounding of particular areas of law at a high level.

For students who must complete a semester or term at an overseas institution as part of their degree, this allows you to take the credit back to your home institution.
DIPLOMAS

Language and the Law PgDip
One year, full-time
Two years, part-time
qmul.ac.uk/dip-lang-law

This programme will focus on the enhancement of argumentation skills: from an examination of legal systems, to the considered identification of the law and the forensic analysis of the court’s reasoning, to the comprehensive application of the law, and then to the convincing communication of one’s reasoning both in writing and orally. During the programme, you will acquire knowledge of legal systems including common-law and civil law systems, legal reasoning, research theories and strategies, legal argumentation and debating techniques, theories of logic and rhetoric, and will develop your written and oral advocacy skills.

Law PgDip
Two years, part-time
qmul.ac.uk/dip-law

This programme focuses on specific issues of current professional and commercial significance, and allows specialisation in a field of your choosing from one of the 22 available specialisms or to have a PgDip in Law and have free choice of modules. (Please note that PgDip law students cannot specialise in Dispute Resolution.) You will be taught alongside LLM students. To qualify for the award, you must complete 90 credits of taught LLM modules from the extensive list available, plus one 10,000-word dissertation over a two-year period. The flexibility of this programme makes it suitable for those with other commitments.

International Dispute Resolution (Arbitration or Mediation) PgDip
One year, full-time
qmul.ac.uk/dip-int-dis-res-med
qmul.ac.uk/dip-int-dis-res-arb

You will develop an understanding of the theoretical, practical and ethical problems related to international dispute resolution, which is becoming an increasingly popular alternative globally and is a cheaper method than going to court. Taught by leading experts from the internationally renowned School of International Arbitration (SIA), with invaluable guest lectures from leading arbitrators and mediators, there are two distinct Diploma routes (Arbitration or Mediation) to choose from, each with their own specialised focus.

The Arbitration route gives you an international and comparative approach to the subject and will broaden your knowledge of key regulation. It will provide you with a comprehensive arbitration curriculum with in-depth coverage of arbitration theory and exposure to arbitration practical issues (including how to draft arbitration awards).

The Mediation route interprets the subject as an interdisciplinary field comprising law, social science, economics, and psychology. This Diploma is aimed not only at lawyers, but also at other professionals who may be involved in mediation – be it as a disputant, representative or perhaps as a mediator. The course will introduce you to the process of mediation and its role in the resolution of disputes.
LLM IN PARIS PROGRAMME

Paris LLM programme
One year full-time, two years part-time,
(January/September start dates)
qmul.ac.uk/llm-paris

Since its launch in June 2012, the Paris LLM programme has created an opportunity for students to register in Paris for a Queen Mary degree in International Business Law or associated specialisms. Taught at the University of London Institute in Paris (ULIP) classes are taught by QMUL academics, with guest lectures from leading practitioners. You can choose to study the main International Business Law LLM, or one of the following specialisms: Banking and Finance Law LLM; International Dispute Resolution and Economic Law LLM; Intellectual Property Law LLM; and Energy and Natural Resources Law LLM.

This innovative programme will provide you with an in-depth and practical immersion in commercial law from comparative and international perspectives within a common law framework. Offered in block teaching, evening and daytime modes, the flexible structure of the programme attracts not only local French students and practitioners, but a diverse range of students and practitioners from all over the world.

Paris Bar School (EFB) students can undertake the LLM alongside their training, whereby their studies can count towards a Projet Pédagogique Individuel (PPI).

You may also opt to earn some of your credits for the Paris LLM by taking some modules from the Computer and Communications Law (Distance Learning) LLM.

LLM IN INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING LAW IN PIRAEUS

International Shipping Law LLM
(Piraeus, Greece)
(One year full-time evening and weekend intensive block period teaching)

This unique programme follows on from the success of the London-based LLM in International Shipping Law, and offers you the opportunity to develop specialised expertise in ‘wet’ shipping law, marine insurance, maritime arbitration, international regulation of shipping, carriage of goods and charterparties. The classes are designed to meet the needs of professionals who would like to specialise in areas of global maritime law and are taught in intensive monthly blocks by academic staff from the Centre for Commercial Law Studies (CCLS) of Queen Mary University of London, and at the Hellenic Management Centre (HMC) in Piraeus, Greece. The HMC is the Official Educational Provider of the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers (ICS) in Greece and students will receive both a QMUL LLM and professional ICS accreditation.

The LLM programme consists of six 22.5-credit modules (assessed either by exams or written essays) taught in intensive teaching blocks over two academic semesters. Teaching sessions usually take place on Thursday/Friday/Monday 5.30–9pm and Saturday/Sunday 10am–5pm. Students will also have to submit a 15,000-word dissertation, following the London LLM curriculum. You will have access to all the relevant online academic resources that are available to students in London. In addition, you will also have physical access to the extensive Laskaridis Library, Piraeus.
INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMMES: COMBINING LAW, ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

Law and Finance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-law-finance

Programme overview
This programmes will enhance your career options: specialists in the crossover area between law and finance are highly sought after.

You can tailor the programme to suit your interests by choosing either the Law and Finance MSc general pathway or one of the specialist pathways: Banking and Financial Services; Law and Financial Regulation; Law and Corporate Finance; Islamic Finance; and Compliance in the Global Markets.

Partial scholarships are available for outstanding Home/EU and international full-time applicants. The programme also provides exam preparation for the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Chartered Wealth Manager qualification.

You must take 180 credits to include the Law and Finance Dissertation (45 credits) and at least one law module (45 credits) or, two law modules (22.5 credits), and three finance modules (45 credits in total). The remaining 45 credits should be selected from the elective law or finance options.

Commercial Law Dual LLM (Singapore and London)
15 months intensive study in SMU (Singapore) and QMUL (London)

The Dual LLM programme provides a unique opportunity to study commercial law in two of the world’s major business and financial hubs, Singapore and London, where you will gain insight into the legal underpinnings of commerce in the East and West. On successful completion, you will be awarded two LLMs in Commercial Law (Singapore and London); one from Queen Mary University of London (QMUL) and one from Singapore Management University (SMU).

This course will be delivered over a 15-month period from July to September. During the first six months, you will study in Singapore, and after the successful completion of this part of the programme, you will continue your studies in London. A thorough induction will be given for each one of the two stages and you will remain connected to both universities throughout the whole 15 months. Lecturers from both universities will be available to you, whether you are in Singapore or in London.
General pathway: 
**Law and Finance MSc**
Following the economic crisis that shook the whole financial system, the financial sector has become more regulated than ever before. As a result, there is a growing demand for experts who can understand the interdisciplinary complexity of the financial system. Our Law and Finance MSc offers a unique opportunity, providing you with a solid background in both finance and law.

Specialist pathway A:  
**Banking and Financial Services**
The Banking and Finance pathway is a specialist degree that aims to provide practical and theoretical training in areas of major financial interest, in particular focusing on banking activities.

Designed for students and professionals who aim to pursue a career in the banking and financial sector, this pathway provides a unique set of perspectives on how the financial systems and markets operate and also looks at how the banking sector operates. It is grounded in financial and legal theories and practices.

The pathway will also bring the latest advances in banking and financial regulations, specifically designed to impart a thorough knowledge of the main components of commercial and investment banking and the changing structure of the international financial industry.

Specialist pathway B:  
**Law and Financial Regulation**
The Law and Financial Regulation pathway focuses on the regulatory aspects of the financial systems, looking into areas that have major practical interest such as financial regulations, commercial and investment banking, and mergers and acquisitions. The pathway is designed to equip you for a very wide range of careers in the finance and banking sectors and in multinational financial organisations, particularly in today's landscape, which has been heavily influenced by the new set of norms that were adopted in the aftermath of the financial crisis.

Specialist pathway C:  
**Law and Corporate Finance**
The Law and Corporate Finance pathway is a specialist degree that aims to provide practical and theoretical training in areas of investment management, corporate finance and mergers, acquisitions and takeovers.

Designed for students and professionals who aim to pursue a career in law, finance and other related areas, this pathway provides a unique set of perspectives on the dynamics of corporate options when deciding financing, the private equity industry, and how the financial markets operate, grounded in economic and financial theory and practice.

This pathway will bring the latest advances of the international financial industry. It is designed to offer flexibility and progressive specialisation to educate the experts required by the industry.
Specialist pathway D: Islamic Finance

Islamic Finance offers a unique opportunity by providing you with a solid background in traditional and Islamic finance from both financial and legal perspectives. You will be presented with the unified framework under which Islamic finance operates and its relevance in today’s working environment. It will allow you to develop an understanding of several Islamic finance concepts and how these compare with traditional financing.

Specialist pathway E: Compliance in the Global Markets

This pathway provides a framework with which to understand the compliance function in global markets investment banking. There is a lack of coverage in most programmes about how regulatory rules are applied in practice throughout global markets, an omission which this pathway sets out to repair.

This pathway will be of particular relevance for candidates interested in the practice of compliance in equities and fixed income markets and those seeking knowledge of global markets, and the market-making process. This pathway draws on the practical elements relating to the provision of compliance advice within global markets investment banking and presents a framework of how compliance works in reality. It provides a broad overview of the compliance function in global markets investment banking, an overview of the regulatory environment and introduces the compliance function, and it is complemented by solid financial theory and application.

Law and Finance PgCert and PgDip

Programme overview

The Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Law and Finance are designed for practitioners working as financial analysts or in a related capacity in the financial law sector and other financial regulation institutions, governments and other corporations. Students and professionals will experience major practical issues and interests in the area of financial and banking regulations. In addition, you will have exposure to practical issues in investment analysis, analysis of financial statement, optimal investment, banking, and risk and portfolio management.

Law and Finance PgCert

One year part-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-law-finance

You must take a total of 60 credits to include at least one law module (45 credits) or two law modules (22.5 credits) and one finance module (15 credits), to be selected from the elective law or finance options.

Law and Finance PgDip

One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgdip-law-finance

You must take a total of 120 credits to include the compulsory Dissertation, 90 per cent; Group Presentation 10 per cent (30 credits). The remaining 90 credits must be taken as one law module (45 credits) or two law modules (22.5 credits), and three finance modules (15 credits).
Law and Economics LLM
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/llm-law-econ

This programme will enable lawyers to master a new discipline and to consider financial and economic dilemmas, while allowing economists to comprehend the rationale for regulation and to think like lawyers. The programme provides a rigorous training in theoretical and applied economic analysis as a means of analysing law and the legal framework. You will have the chance to meet leading practitioners in banking, finance and law and engage in an academic year-long Investment Club, where you can gain hands-on experience in trading and portfolio analysis alongside your studies.

You may study on one of two pathways: Jurisprudence (if you have a legal background or an undergraduate degree in law) or Economics (if you have an economic/finance background or have an undergraduate degree in economics or finance). On both pathways, we offer an optional pre-sessional course in law, mathematics and statistics.

There are three partial scholarships available for outstanding Home/EU and international full-time applicants.

Law and Economics PgCert and PgDip
Programme overview
The Postgraduate Certificate and the Postgraduate Diploma in Law and Economics are programmes that offer a stepping stone to developing academic and professional expertise in both fields. The programme of study provides a flexible mix of classroom-based teaching (assessed by formal examinations and/or coursework) in two compulsory taught modules that lay a foundation to Law and Economics theories.

Law and Economics PgCert
One year part-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-law-econ

You must take a total of 60 credits inclusive of the two core 22.5 credits (CCLE001 or CCLE002 and CCLE003). The remaining 15 credits must be taken from the elective economics modules.

Law and Economics PgDip
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgdip-law-econ

You must take a total of 120 credits inclusive of the core Dissertation, 90 per cent; Group Presentation 10 per cent (30 credits) and the two core 22.5 credits (CCLE001 or CCLE002 and CCLE003). The remaining 45 credits must be taken from the elective law or economics modules.
SPECIALIST INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY PROGRAMMES

Management of Intellectual Property MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
law.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/msc-ip

This programme offers you the opportunity to study intellectual property to a high level. You can choose the professional stream with accreditation if you have a first degree in any discipline (but predominantly science and engineering) and want to become a patent or trade mark attorney. For those graduates wishing to gain a general knowledge of the field, there is the business stream, which was set up in recognition of the increasingly important role of intellectual property in our modern economy, where there is a continued need for expertise in intellectual property law and management in industry, commerce and the innovative and creative industries.

Professional stream only:
This stream gives you the opportunity to undertake additional papers and gain exemption from the official accreditation bodies (all CIPA foundation level exams and three out of four of the ITMA foundation-level exams).

You can also gain a pass in the additional Queen Mary Certificate of Intellectual Property Law, thanks to accreditation by the Intellectual Property Regulation Board (IPReg), the statutory regulator.

We have several full and partial scholarships for science and engineering graduates of UK universities.

Both professional and business streams:
You will have a wide choice of option modules (including fashion, entertainment, food, biotechnology and agriculture, media, competition and IT), allowing you to pursue individual interests and to thereby develop an individual educational profile.

You will be taught by some of the most respected IP academics in the field, alongside leading patent and trade mark attorneys who have strong connections with QMUL, maximising your networking opportunities.

Intellectual Property Law PgCert
One semester full-time
law.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/certificates/intellectualproperty

This programme is designed for trainee patent attorneys and will provide you with a broad perspective of intellectual property law.

The Certificate programme is an intensive 13-week programme designed exclusively for trainee patent attorneys. Trainees who successfully complete this programme will gain exemption from CIPA foundation-level examinations.

There is intensive coverage of the law and practice of patent law, law of trade marks and unfair competition, copyright and designs law, and competition law. There is also an introduction to aspects of the basic principles of English law, practice and evidence that are of special relevance to intellectual property practitioners. The programme has been specifically designed in close co-operation with both CIPA and ITMA for the trainee attorney who has, preferably, been in an office for six months to a year.
Trade Mark Law and Practice PgCert
One year part-time
law.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/certificates/trademarklaw

Designed in close co-operation with ITMA and with practitioner involvement, this Certificate is a requirement for those wishing to qualify as trade mark attorneys, but is also open to those who want to gain a good understanding of national, European, and international trade mark law at an advanced level.

The programme is accredited by the statutory regulator, the Intellectual Property Regulation Board (IPReg). This programme starts in September and runs as a two-week intensive course, followed by ten two-day sessions between October and April and exams during the summer exam period.

The Certificate in Trade Mark Law and Practice programme consists of four compulsory 15-credit modules: Foundations of Law for Trade Mark Practice; Trade Mark Law and Practice A; Trade Mark Law and Practice B; and Designs and Copyright Law.

DISTANCE LEARNING PROGRAMMES

Computer and Communications Law PgCert/PgDip/LLM
One to six years part-time, distance learning, depending on course
(January/September start dates)
gmul.ac.uk/llm-computer-comms-law-dl

This course offers a diverse and extensive choice of multidisciplinary LLM module subjects (including data protection, regulation, cloud computing, online security, e-commerce, IP law and dispute resolution). The programme is taught by leading QMUL experts, many of whom act as advisers to ICT regulatory authorities, with many modules co-taught or led by experienced industry experts.

The programme has been designed to be as flexible and supportive as possible via the use of discussion boards, blog postings and live chat for class discussions and question and answer sessions, allowing as much interaction and feedback between students and tutors as possible. We attract students from all over the world, which creates lively and interesting online debate, while maximising networking opportunities. In addition, it is possible to register for the entry-level PgCert and then later to upgrade to the PgDip and then onto the LLM, subject to meeting all the necessary academic regulations. You also have the opportunity to earn some of your credits and meet your tutors and fellow students in person at the annual (optional) Distance Learning Weekend held in Cumberland Lodge, near Windsor, UK. You may also earn some of your credits by attending and taking courses from our LLM in Paris programme.
International Dispute Resolution (Arbitration) Distance Learning PgDip
Two years part-time, distance learning
(January start date)
law.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/distancelearning/diploma_arbitration

Around the world, arbitration is becoming an increasingly popular and more specialised method to resolve disputes. This programme is aimed at practising lawyers or those with arbitration experience (typically, but not exclusively, engineers, surveyors or accountants), who require more in-depth knowledge and theory of the subject area, as well as exposure to practical arbitration issues across a wide range of topics in a flexible study mode. The Arbitration pathway is a comprehensive curriculum with in-depth coverage of arbitration theory and exposure to the subject’s practical issues (including how to draft arbitration awards), taught by leading academics and practitioners in the field. The programme covers a wide range of arbitration-related modules (commercial arbitration, construction arbitration, investment arbitration, ADR, litigation, and substantive commercial law).

International Dispute Resolution (Mediation) Distance Learning PgDip
Two years part-time, distance learning
(January start date)
law.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/distancelearning/diploma_mediation

This course has a strong focus on mediation and conciliation, introducing you to the process of mediation and its role in the resolution of disputes. The Diploma is aimed not only at lawyers, but also at other professionals who may be involved in mediation – be it as a disputant, representative or perhaps as a mediator – due to the expert knowledge that they have. Online modules are supplemented by a residential weekend that concentrates on practical negotiation and mediation exercises.

Delivery of both programmes
These programmes are delivered in an interactive online forum at convenient times to fit around your other commitments, allowing for maximum interaction with, and feedback from, the staff and your fellow students.

Professional exams exemptions
The Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb) has approved these exemptions for both routes:

- Alternative Dispute Resolution (45 credits): exempt from CI Arb’s Introduction to Alternative Dispute Resolution/Associate Level
- Labour Disputes (22.5 credits): exempt from CI Arb’s Introduction to Alternative Dispute Resolution/Associate Level.

See ciarb.org for further details.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES

LAW

RESEARCH PROGRAMME

Law by Research MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-law-research

This programme enables you to undertake in-depth and individually supervised research on a legal topic of your own choice, thanks to the extensive range of legal expertise offered by our academics across the School of Law. This course is particularly suited to those aiming to proceed to doctoral study, as it provides training in research skills and methodologies. It is also suitable for students wishing to enhance their career prospects by developing expertise in a specific area of law and improving their research and writing skills. The ability to undertake a major piece of research – which combines a variety of approaches – is a transferable skill that is relevant to many kinds of employment.

You will undertake supervised research with a view to submitting a 20,000-word dissertation by the end of the year. The taught element of the programme is a compulsory 45-credit module on Theory and Method in Legal Scholarship which is assessed by essay. Students who receive a mark of 70 per cent or above are eligible to apply for the PhD programme.
You will study the core theories and methods of language teaching and learning and then specialise through a choice of option modules. The programme has a strong practical component and is aimed at those with little or no teaching experience. If you want to teach in higher education or private schools within the UK you can choose to fund your own professional qualification, such as the Certificate in English Language to Adults (CELTA), in addition to your masters award, or you can undertake a traditional research project.

Linguistics MA
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-linguistics

This programme is designed to offer you advanced training in formal linguistics and sociolinguistics. You will also be able to get practical experience in both conducting and applying linguistics research. In addition to your dissertation, you will have the option to work as a research assistant on one of the Department’s ongoing research projects and/or to pursue an industry partnership with one of our private or public-sector partners.
Mathematics MSc

**One year full-time, two years part-time**

qmul.ac.uk/msc-maths

Reflecting the key research strengths of the School, the modules offered in this programme are concentrated in pure mathematics (especially algebra and combinatorics), applied mathematics (especially dynamical systems and networks, and including astronomy and relativity if desired), and probability and statistics. The result is a flexible programme in which you can choose to focus your study according to your areas of interest.

The programme consists of eight taught modules and a dissertation that provides excellent preparation for those interested in pursuing a PhD in mathematics or statistics. We offer a range of dissertation topics that reflect the research strengths of our School. This MSc is aimed at students who have already done very well in a first degree with high mathematical content.
Financial Computing MSc
One year full-time,
two years part-time,
two years full-time with industrial placement
qmul.ac.uk/msc-fin-comp

This unique programme, run jointly by the Schools of Mathematical Sciences, and Electronic Engineering and Computer Science, provides numerate graduates with the expertise needed to develop a professional career in the profitable and intellectually challenging triangle formed by mathematics, technology and finance.

The Financial Computing MSc is aimed at science and engineering graduates with mathematical exposure and some experience in computer programming. The programme is a combination of technology and financial mathematics. It contains modules related to up-to-the-minute industry challenges such as high-performance computing and GPU (graphics processing unit) development. The programme consists of eight modules and a dissertation.

Mathematical Finance MSc
One year full-time,
two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-math-fin

This MSc brings together the strengths of two highly respected Schools at QMUL – Mathematical Sciences, and Economics and Finance – to give you an in-depth understanding of the subject. This is a business-focused programme, led by a former senior investment banker and taught by a number of lecturers with significant experience of working in the finance industry, so your learning will be supported through real-life examples and the development of practical skills. This rigorous training is relevant to roles in quantitative analysis, trading, financial engineering and structuring, risk management, and software development.

The programme consists of eight taught modules and a dissertation. You will develop an advanced understanding of the mathematical models used in finance, learn about a range of important numerical tools and techniques, and undertake a substantial research project under expert supervision in a chosen area of interest.
In addition to academic work, students on this programme benefit from a host of optional training, workshops and extracurricular activities. For example, through access to our exclusive trading suite, you will have the opportunity to undertake the prestigious BMC (Bloomberg Market Concepts) certification. You may also choose to get involved with the student-managed Queen Mary University of London MSc Investment Fund (QUMMIF), which currently has responsibility for over £30,000 of investments.

Network Science MSc
One year full-time,
two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-net-sci

This specialist masters programme is run jointly by the Schools of Mathematical Sciences, and Electronic Engineering and Computer Science, providing a thorough grounding in analytical and numerical methodologies, as well as mathematical modelling as applied to networks, opening up a host of career opportunities in network and modelling-related industries.

It is aimed at those with an undergraduate degree in mathematics or a related discipline such as physics, computer science or engineering who wish to enter a career involving the analysis and optimisation of diverse networked systems.

The programme consists of eight modules and a dissertation, which could be on a variety of research areas including: epidemiology and public health, complex networks and multiplexes, infrastructure, transportation and energy networks, time series analysis and networks, or systems biology.
BIOSCIENCES PROGRAMMES

Biomedical Science (Medical Microbiology) MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-biomed-sci

This programme is designed to give graduates the knowledge and intellectual skills required to provide, develop and advance specialist scientific services within healthcare systems. The programme involves input from specialism experts in NHS service roles and delivers research-informed teaching from within a research-rich environment. This MSc has been accredited with the Institute of Biomedical Science (IBMS).

Clinical Drug Development MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two to four years part-time, distance learning option
qmul.ac.uk/msc-clinical-drug-dev
qmul.ac.uk/dip-clinical-drug-dev

This programme is designed for nurses, medical doctors or other health professionals working in contract research organisations, the pharmaceutical industry and healthcare. It will develop your skills and understanding in clinical microbiology, and will give you a thorough knowledge of associated subjects such as molecular biology.

Forensic Medical Sciences MSc
One year full-time, four years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-forensic-med-sci

This programme provides theoretical and practical knowledge of the forensic medical sciences, and will train you to critically evaluate and interpret forensic medical and scientific evidence. There is a national and international need for professionals who can apply a critical and scientific approach to their forensic practice, and who want to have a broad understanding of the various inter-related disciplines of forensic medicine and science.
Healthcare Research Methods MSc/PgDip
One year full-time or two to five years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-healthcare-research-methods
qmul.ac.uk/dip-healthcare-research-methods

The programme is designed for those who need an understanding of the healthcare research process, providing a detailed picture of the complex and highly inter-related activities of the development cycle, from discovery to successful commercialisation.

Inflammation: Cellular and Vascular Aspects MRes
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/mres-inflammation-cva

This programme provides state-of-the-art practical training in modern molecular and cellular pharmacological techniques alongside their application to in vivo methods of pharmacological investigation of inflammatory and vascular disease mechanisms. The programme will deliver scientists adept in the crucial skillset needed for successful careers in UK life sciences, especially deeper phenotyping in vascular and inflammatory research (for example in rheumatoid arthritis, atherosclerosis, pulmonary hypertension, hypertension, arrhythmia, nephrology or cancer).

Genomic Medicine MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time distance learning option available
Two intakes per year: September and January
qmul.ac.uk/msc-genomics-med

This programme is run in collaboration with University College London, Public Health England, and Great Ormond Street Hospital.

The MSc programme in Genomic Medicine is designed to provide healthcare professionals with a multidisciplinary perspective on genomics and its application in medicine, in particular rare genetic diseases, cancer and infection. The overall aim of the programme is to offer students the knowledge and training in genomics required to provide, develop and advance specialist scientific services around genomic medicine within healthcare systems. The programme will work closely with Genomics England to train students to analyse high-quality genomic data and offer them the possibility to interact with international experts in this field.

NHS professionals can apply for places sponsored by Health Education England (HEE)
Regenerative Medicine MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-regenerative-medicine

This MSc programme aims to provide the next generation of scientists and medical professionals with the skills and knowledge required for successful careers in regenerative medicine. It is a rapidly growing area of biomedical research that encompasses stem cell biology, tissue engineering, drug delivery, and nanotechnology.

CANCER PROGRAMMES

Cancer and Molecular Pathology and Genomics MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time, distance learning option available
qmul.ac.uk/msc-molecular-pathology-genomics
qmul.ac.uk/dip-molecular-pathology-genomics

This programme aims to respond to a national and international need for clinicians, scientists and allied health professions who can apply a molecular approach to the investigation, diagnosis and management of clinical disease. We will provide you with theoretical and practical knowledge of modern molecular technologies as applied to human disease, with an emphasis on cancer, and train you in the application and interpretation of advanced molecular technologies.

Cancer and Therapeutics MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time, distance learning option available
qmul.ac.uk/msc-cancer-therapeutics
qmul.ac.uk/dip-cancer-therapeutics

This programme aims to provide you with a clear understanding of the scientific basis underlying the principles and practice of treating cancer. This knowledge will provide an excellent grounding in the development, use and evaluation of cancer therapies, which will enhance career prospects in many areas of early phase clinical trials and clinical drug development in the cancer setting.
Cancer and Clinical Oncology
MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time, distance learning option available
qmul.ac.uk/msc-cancer-oncology
qmul.ac.uk/dip-cancer-oncology
This programme aims to provide clinicians with a clear understanding of the scientific basis underlying the principles and practice of clinical oncology and the development, evaluation and implementation of new treatments. Knowledge gained will provide you with a good grounding in oncology within a clinical setting, which will enhance prospects for those wanting to pursue a clinical academic career.

Surgical Skills and Sciences MSc
One year full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-surgical-skills-science
This unique MSc accelerates surgical training and improves the surgical skills that are essential for building confidence in clinical practice. Through the use of advanced simulators you will gain hands-on practical experience. The programme offers you the opportunity to develop or extend your expertise in the established and rapidly developing areas of laparoscopic surgery and gastrointestinal endoscopy.

CLINICALLY ORIENTATED PROGRAMMES
(PRIMARILY FOR MEDICS AND/OR ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS)

Aesthetic Medicine MSc/PgDip/PgCert
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-aesthetic-med-dl
qmul.ac.uk/dip-aesthetic-med-dl
qmul.ac.uk/cert-aesthetic-med-dl
This is the first Aesthetic Medicine masters programme within the UK to focus on non-operative techniques and is open to a variety of clinicians such as doctors, dentists and nurses. The distance-learning modules will enable you to progress at a pace that fits around your daily commitments, with set assignment submission deadlines during the academic year to help you plan your studies.

Burn Care MSc/PgCert
MSc: Two years part-time, distance learning
PgCert: One year part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-burn-care-dl
qmul.ac.uk/cert-burn-care-dl
This programme will give you a grounding in the medicolegal and psychiatric aspects of burn practice and will provide a thorough grounding in the principles of burn anaesthesia and burn critical care within a multidisciplinary team environment. Consisting of distance learning, clinical day/seminar teaching and a dissertation, this programme covers the entire spectrum of burn care with an emphasis on principles and instruction in a wide range of techniques.
Clinical Dermatology PgDip
One year part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/dip-clin-dermatology-dl
This programme covers core aspects of dermatology over a one-year period, with particular emphasis on the diagnosis and management of skin disease from a primary care perspective. There are two separate but linked programmes; one for UK-based general practitioners, and one for doctors outside the UK. Successful completion of either programme leads to the award of a Diploma in Clinical Dermatology.

Clinical Microbiology MSc/PgDip
One year full-time
or two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-clinical-microbiology
qmul.ac.uk/dip-clinical-microbiology
The programme develops your skills and understanding in clinical microbiology, and gives you a thorough knowledge of associated subjects, such as molecular biology.

Clinical Endocrinology MSc/PgDip
One year full-time
postgrad.bartsendocrinology.co.uk
This programme incorporates elements of the specialist UK training curriculum for endocrinology and diabetes mellitus. There will be a focus on up-to-date developments in the field, with visiting experts delivering presentations on the latest thinking. Along with our excellent facilities and innovative teaching, students will also benefit from the fact that our Centre for Endocrinology is internationally renowned in terms of both clinical practice and research. As part of the programme, you will participate in an integrated clinical observership and keep a portfolio.

Critical Care MSc
One year full-time, two to four years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-critical-care
This programme for clinicians, senior nurses and experienced allied health professionals working in critical care medicine is intended to provide participants with a thorough grounding in the discipline, together with the tools to maintain their knowledge. The programme is designed to ensure that course participants acquire the theoretical understanding and skills to advance and promote knowledge in the specialty and develop their leadership skills. Accordingly, students will be selected to ensure that they are able to meet the high academic standards required to successfully complete the course. This MSc programme provides the opportunity to obtain a higher degree through general study at an advanced level, rather than by undertaking a specific research project.
TAUGHT PROGRAMMES

MEDICINE

Endocrinology and Diabetes MSc/PgDip
Two years part-time, distance learning
postgrad.bartsendocrinology.co.uk

This programme provides a complete introduction to endocrinology and diabetes if you are new to the field, as well as acting as an update and extension of your knowledge if you are already familiar with it. The course will enhance your awareness of the basic sciences and research techniques underpinning endocrinology and diabetes, including literature searches, reviewing evidence, critical appraisal of scientific literature, use of databases, writing papers and articles and the correct application of statistics.

Gastroenterology MSc/PgDip
MSc: One year full-time,
two years part-time distance learning
PgDip: One year full-time,
two years part-time distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-gastroenterology
qmul.ac.uk/dip-gastroenterology

This programme focuses on the fields of gastroenterology, hepatology and nutrition, and is aimed at clinicians wishing to develop an in-depth knowledge of the sciences underpinning clinical diseases and their management. The PgDip runs from October until April. To gain the MSc you also take a research project that runs from April until August.

Orthopaedic Trauma Science MSc
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-trauma-ortho-dl

This online course uses innovative methods of teaching and assessment for a dynamic and interactive approach to teaching orthopaedic trauma. It is designed to be readily accessible, irrespective of location, with the option of a two-week residential summer school in London. The programme has a rich pedigree and is a collaboration between London’s most established major trauma centre, the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery at The Royal London Hospital, and the UK’s leading centre for research into complex trauma care, the Centre for Trauma Sciences at the Blizard, which is an institute at Barts and The London, one of the oldest medical schools in the world.

Reconstructive Microsurgery MSc
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-reconstructive-micro-dl

This programme will provide surgeons with comprehensive training in microsurgery and clinical management. It will improve confidence in microsurgery for both the trainee microsurgeon and the more experienced surgeon. Modules will enable surgeons to develop a thorough knowledge of clinical anatomy and physiology relevant to microsurgery, which can impact on operative decisions.
Sports and Exercise Medicine MSc/PgDip
One year full-time or two to four years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-sport-ex-medic
qmul.ac.uk/dip-sport-ex-medic
qmul.ac.uk/msc-sport-ex-physio
qmul.ac.uk/dip-sport-ex-physio

This course is ideal for physiotherapists, osteopaths and doctors. It is based on the philosophy of total care for the athlete and the promotion of physical activity in the general population.

There are three different entry routes:
• degrees for medics
• degrees for physios
• degrees for osteopaths.

PgCert in Podiatric Sports Medicine
One to two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/pgcert-podiatric-sports-medicine

Designed for podiatrists, this is a dynamic and interactive course with lectures, practicals and demonstrations delivered by international and national experts in their field. Many of them are staff within the Centre for Sports and Exercise Medicine (CSEM) and therefore, on-site.

CSEM advocates a multidisciplinary approach to learning and interacting. Students will also attend the Sports Exercise Medicine weekly interdisciplinary combined clinic and other sports injuries clinics. An interactive and supportive clinician-student relationship will also be a feature of clinics on the programme.

Trauma Sciences MSc
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-trauma-dl

Simulated scenario training will complement our teaching to provide you with a practical understanding of decision-making and the delivery of core-clinical functions in the management of seriously injured patients. This programme will give you a thorough grounding in the principles underlying the disease of trauma and also hands-on training at an optional summer school, consistent with your score of practice care.

Trauma Sciences (Military and Humanitarian) MSc
Two years part-time, distance learning
qmul.ac.uk/msc-trauma-ma-dl

This programme provides a broad and critical understanding of the most up-to-date science and practice of trauma care in military and humanitarian environments. The programme provides both military and civilian clinicians with a framework in which to understand the key aspects of military and humanitarian trauma and to develop your own practices. You will develop a broad and critical understanding of developments in trauma care, in military and disaster settings.
Global Health, Law and Governance MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-ghlg

Featuring prominent key speakers from international organisations and the medical profession, this programme is aimed at those with an involvement in health policy and systems, such as medical practitioners, civil servants, lawyers, social and political scientists, and NGO workers.

Global Public Health and Policy MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-gphp

This programme is aimed at doctors, other health practitioners, policy-makers and NGO workers. This programme will equip you for policy, parliamentary, and ministerial positions, and public health and clinical practice in the field and academia.

Health Systems and Global Policy MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-hsgp

This programme considers how the principles and practice of effective and fair public healthcare can inform health policy and healthcare systems in national and local settings. You will gain an understanding of competition and trade law and regulation and its application to public healthcare. This programme is of particular interest to you if you are a medical and clinical practitioner, a civil servant, a public health practitioner, a social or political scientist, a lab scientist, or work for an NGO.

International Primary Healthcare MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-iphc

As part of a vibrant interdisciplinary learning community of primary care practitioners, you will explore how the principles and practice of effective primary healthcare may be achieved in different countries, healthcare systems and local settings.

Migration, Culture and Global Health MSc
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mcghp

This programme will consider the vitally important area of public health issues related to migrant communities across the globe, a subject as yet rarely addressed in dedicated teaching. It will address the nature of migrant and diaspora communities and the ways that health within these communities is related to social, political, economic, and cultural factors.
MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMMES

Creative Arts and Mental Health MSc
MSc: One year full-time, two years part-time
PgDip: One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-creative-arts-mental-health
qmul.ac.uk/dip-creative-arts-mental-health

The programme addresses what has become a significant need in the field by offering an innovative interdisciplinary approach to Creative Arts and Mental Health. The programme is taught by mental health professionals and specialists in live art, performance art, theatre and performance history. This MSc seeks to attract professionals in education, artists, and mental health practitioners who would like to learn in more breadth and depth how art and performance can be used to understand experiences of mental health and illness, and how the arts offer to critique and challenge conventional practices that may be evidence-based but still risk disempowerment. Art enables the stories of individuals and groups to be better embraced. You will be offered core modules in mental health and in performance and will then select optional practice-based modules in arts-based research and arts-programme evaluation and in live art and performance. The course is delivered by experts in the Centre for Psychiatry and the Drama Department at QMUL, both leading research departments that rank among the top in the country.

Professional Doctorate: Intercultural Psychoanalytical Psychotherapy
Three years full-time, six years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/intercultural-psych

The programme aims to adapt and provide innovative psychological interventions to help people with histories of trauma and violence, taking account of the need for an intercultural focus within psychoanalytic psychotherapy. It will provide an opportunity for research-trained senior clinicians to utilise evidence-based methods in unique and challenging settings. The degree has substantial taught and research-based components (worth 50 per cent each), and requires supervised clinical practice as well as personal experience of therapy.
Forensic Mental Health MSc
(subject to approval)
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/forensic-mental-health

Jointly delivered by QMUL and East London NHS Foundation Trust, this masters programme is designed for professionals already working in forensic mental health who wish to improve their practice and knowledge of the field; or for students with an academic or clinical interest in forensic mental health services. You will learn a unique psychosocial perspective on mental health services, with an emphasis on real-world experience of forensic services, supported by professional supervision and reflective practice.

Mental Health and Law MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mental-health-law
qmul.ac.uk/dip-mental-health-law

This programme is ideal for leaders in law and clinical practice who wish to create interdisciplinary and organisational advances in care services and legal practice, ensuring that the highest standards of professional competencies are available to individuals in contact with criminal justice and mental health legislation.

Mental Health: Psychological Therapies MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time, distance learning option available
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mental-health-pt
qmul.ac.uk/dip-mental-health-pt

This programme develops your knowledge, skills and ability to think critically about working in mental health and mental health research, imparting the professional values and attitudes necessary in health and social care, while also covering a variety of psychological therapy approaches.

Cultural and Global Perspectives in Mental Health Care MSc/PgDip
One year full-time, two years part-time, distance learning option available
qmul.ac.uk/msc-mental-health-cgp
qmul.ac.uk/dip-mental-health-cgp

This programme will develop your knowledge, skills and ability to think critically about working in mental health and mental health research. It imparts the professional values and attitude necessary in health and social care, through a prism of culture and ethnicity and their impact on mental health.
CLINICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMMES

Education for Clinical Contexts MA
Three years part-time
qmul.ac.uk/ma-education-clinical-contexts

This programme is specifically designed for doctors, dentists, senior nurses, allied health professionals and academics who are involved in undergraduate or postgraduate teaching of clinicians. The degree has particular appeal to educators interested in researching and improving their own teaching practice, as well as developing and leading clinical education in their workplace context.

The programme seeks to prepare you to engage critically with the complex roles of teacher, supervisor and learner; curriculum developer; leader and innovative change agent; and active researcher of clinical educational practice in local settings.

The programme will engage you in a deep analysis of the nature and dynamics of teaching and learning in clinical contexts, and the important relationship between high-quality education, effective team working and good patient care. The programme will also provide you with a thorough knowledge of key theories in clinical education, enabling you to reflect on and improve your teaching practice and to develop leadership in evaluating and improving clinical education programmes in your workplace setting.
### TAUGHT PROGRAMMES

#### PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY

#### Entry requirements

Unless stated otherwise, students for our masters programmes should have at least an upper second class honours degree in physics or a closely related discipline. Please see individual programme webpages for specific entry requirements.

**Astronomy and Astrophysics PgCert:** students wishing to take the Astronomy and Astrophysics PgCert should normally have a degree (or equivalent) in a subject with substantial physics, mathematics and/or astronomy content.

#### English language requirements

Unless stated otherwise, we also require IELTS 6.5 or its equivalent. For information on our English language requirements, visit: qmul.ac.uk/international/international-students/englishlanguagerequirements

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**Astrophysics MSc**

**One year full-time,**  
**two years part-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/msc-astro-physics](qmul.ac.uk/msc-astro-physics)

Unique in the UK in terms of the scope of material covered, this programme gives you a detailed overview of the fundamentals of the subject, as well as an up-to-date account of recent developments in research. The range of topics offered reflects the breadth of the research interests pursued by staff in our large and friendly research group. Lectures cover diverse topics such as the origin of the universe, dark matter, the life and death of stars, black holes, extrasolar planets and space and solar plasma physics. You will also write a dissertation, which may be a critical review of an astrophysical topic or a project of an observational, theoretical or computational nature.

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**Astronomy and Astrophysics PgCert**

**One year part-time**  
[qmul.ac.uk/cert-astro-physics](qmul.ac.uk/cert-astro-physics)

This PgCert programme provides an opportunity to study topics in modern astrophysics, either for personal interest or as a first step towards a professional career in astronomy, for those with degrees with sufficient mathematical or physics content. While the number of modules taken by a PgCert student is half that of the Astrophysics MSc, you will be taught alongside students on the MSc programme and will have access to the same facilities and modules.

Previous students that have performed sufficiently well in the PgCert have had their registration changed to the MSc programme, allowing their work to count as the first of two part-time years. Students have also previously progressed from here to a PhD position.
Physics MSc (three pathways: Theoretical Physics, Particle Physics and Condensed Matter Physics)

One year full-time
http://ph.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/masters-programmes

This programme teaches you the fundamental laws and physical principles, along with their applications, of your chosen pathway. It will develop strong research skills and your ability to communicate complex scientific ideas concisely, accurately and informatively. You will also learn how to use mathematical analysis to model physical behaviour and interpret the mathematical descriptions of physical phenomena. All of which is excellent preparation for those wishing to do a PhD.

The aim of the programme is to deepen your understanding of your chosen branch of contemporary physics, covering advanced concepts and techniques, leaving you well prepared for further doctoral-level study and research. The programme will also enable you to develop skills transferable to a wide range of other careers.

Physics (EuroMasters) MSc

Two years full-time
qmul.ac.uk/msc-physics-euro

This programme benefits from teaching across the SEPnet partner institutions (see page 9), with a strong emphasis on research-based learning. You will deepen your understanding of a chosen branch of contemporary physics or astrophysics, covering a wide variety of themes at the forefront of both fundamental and applied physics research. The programme consists of taught modules and an in-depth research project, leaving you well prepared for further doctoral-level study and research. There are two pathways in the programme: Physics and Astrophysics.

This programme will enable you to develop skills transferable to a wide range of other careers and allow you to gain a deep understanding of your chosen area through the combination of advanced taught programmes and an extended research project.

It will also give you the option to study at other SEPnet universities. (Travel to partner universities is at your own cost.) The SEPnet consortium institutions each offer programmes that are mutually compatible (for more information, see sepnet.ac.uk).

The programme will also provide 120 ECTS credits, which will allow you to enter doctoral-level programmes in other EU countries.
**TAUGHT PROGRAMMES**

**POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

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**European Public Policy MSc**

**Two years part-time, distance learning only**

[qmul.ac.uk/msc-europp-dl](qmul.ac.uk/msc-europp-dl)

**Key themes:** European integration, politics and policy-making in the EU, implementation and evaluation

This programme will enable you to critically analyse the formation and implementation of public policy within the European Union (EU). You will study the theories of how policy is made, the implementation and evaluation of policy, case studies within EU policy-making, and the EU as an international actor. You will conduct your own research project on an area of EU public policy of your choice and have the option of taking a vocational placement module as part of your studies. By the end of the programme, you will have a thorough and in-depth understanding of how policy is made and implemented within the EU, as well as the key political and theoretical debates within the field.

**International Business and Politics MSc**

**One year full time, two years part-time, campus only**

[qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-bus-pol](qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-bus-pol)

**Key themes:** Economic globalisation, business practices, states and markets, global governance

This MSc draws on both the combined strengths of staff in the School of Politics and International Relations and in the School of Business and Management to provide an interdisciplinary focus on the relationship between business and politics from an international perspective. You will explore the changing relationship between states and markets, international institutions of global political-economic governance, transnational companies, work, geopolitics, industrialisation and development.

The programme will provide you with the analytical skills and knowledge to think, talk and write critically about contemporary international issues, as well as give you a firm foundation for further study.
International Relations MA/MRes
One year full-time, two years part-time
campus or distance learning
PgDip and PgCert
qmul.ac.uk/ma-int-rels
qmul.ac.uk/mres-int-rels

Key themes: Security studies, globalisation,
development, politics of the developing world

This programme analyses the key issues and
concepts in world politics. The core modules
offer you a comprehensive and sophisticated
appreciation of the importance of theory to
understanding international politics, and
provide a detailed explanation of individual
theories. There are a range of module options
designed to develop your expertise. They
will help you apply theories and concepts
in particular areas including international
security, international political economy, and
the impact of the changes associated with
globalisation on the study of international
relations. The programme provides you with a
set of analytical skills and knowledge that will
encourage you to think, talk and write critically
about contemporary international issues, as
well as provide a firm foundation for further
study.

International Relations (Paris)
MA/PgDip/PgCert
One year full-time,
combined learning at the University
of London Institute in Paris
qmul.ac.uk/ma-int-rels-paris

Key themes: Security studies, globalisation,
development, politics of the developing world

This well-established and popular masters is
now offered at the University of London Institute
in Paris (ULIP), so you can study in English while
also immersing yourself in the language and
culture of the French capital.

You will also benefit from an integrated and
flexible approach when it comes to teaching.
The programme will be delivered through
campus-based sessions throughout the year
in Paris. In addition, you will have a dedicated
tutor who will guide you through the topics and
assignments of modules online. These intensive
sessions will give you the opportunity to network
with your peers and academics face to face.

The programme is delivered through workshops,
guest lectures and three masterclasses, all
of which centre on specific themes of the
programme as well as provide a basic overview
of the modules. These will take place at ULIP in
Paris. All sessions are led by an academic staff
member from the QMUL School of Politics and
International Relations. Along with the campus-
based aspects of the programme, some modules
will be taught online by a dedicated tutor. The
tutor will facilitate and encourage discussion via
online forums, and will be available for online or
email discussion with students during drop-in
hours (usually two sessions weekly).
**TAUGHT PROGRAMMES**

**POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

**International Public Policy MSc**
One year full-time, two years part-time, campus or distance learning  
qmul.ac.uk/msc-int-pub-policy

**Key themes:** Policy-making, implementation, evaluation, global governance

Combining the study of international relations with an analysis of public policy formulation and state governance, this programme will provide you with an advanced understanding of how political institutions and processes operate in international politics, and how policy is made. You will be introduced to central issues such as theories of the policy-making process, alongside current themes and issues in international politics. In addition to the strong core training in international relations and public policy, you will be able to choose from a range of modules, offering you some flexibility in the content of your programme. By the end of your studies, you will have a strong grasp of the theoretical tools and empirical evidence necessary for an in-depth understanding of policy-making in international politics.

**Public Policy MSc/MRes**
One year full-time, two years part-time, campus or distance learning  
qmul.ac.uk/msc-pub-policy  
qmul.ac.uk/mres-pub-policy

**Key themes:** Policy-making, implementation, evaluation, London, UK, Europe

On this MSc, you will look at how problems are addressed within political institutions. Through studying public policy, you will gain theoretical and practical insights into policy formation and implementation. You will explore the development, implementation and evaluation of a wide range of policies. By the end of the programme, you will have a strong grasp of the theoretical tools and empirical evidence necessary for an in-depth understanding of the policy-making process.
“I know from my own experience as a student that there is nothing like being taught by people whose research means they probably know what they are talking about. Learning is about a conversation that goes beyond the classroom you’re sitting in – it connects you to a wider world of research. Being taught by someone plugged into that world makes it much easier to enter into that conversation.”

Professor Tim Bale, Chair of Politics
PhD study at QMUL

Many of our masters students move on to PhD study with us. Our academics supervise a very broad range of dissertation topics and, through close individual supervision and a substantial schedule of research training, will support the completion of your project, ensuring that you develop as an independent researcher. You are strongly encouraged to contact a member of staff with interests in your area to discuss your proposed research before making a formal application.

PhD study opportunities

We offer doctoral supervision for PhD students and post-doctoral opportunities in a wide range of subject areas including:

- astronomy and astrophysics
- biological and chemical sciences
- business and management
- comparative literature
- computer science
- drama
- economics and finance
- electronic engineering
- engineering
- English
- film studies
- French
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- law
- linguistics
- materials
- mathematical sciences
- media arts and technology
- medicine and dentistry
- philosophy
- physics
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- Russian
- statistics.

For more information about opportunities for PhD and post-doctoral study, funding, open evenings and how to apply, please visit qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/doctoralcollege

Entry requirements

Our usual requirement for entry on to the PhD programme is a first degree with first or upper second class honours (or equivalent) and a masters degree (normally at merit or above).

Contact us

For general admissions enquiries for research degree programmes:
Telephone: +44 (0)20 7882 2207/5860
email: researchadmissions@qmul.ac.uk
QMUL attracts funding from UK research councils, charities, industrial collaborators and other funding agencies. Our research income in 2014/15 totalled £125m.
As a PhD student at QMUL, you will be a member of our Doctoral College, an exciting and innovative community of more than 1,200 postgraduates pursuing pioneering research across a wide range of academic disciplines.

The Doctoral College (which from early 2017 will be housed in a new, purpose-built Graduate Centre on our Mile End campus) oversees the lifecycle of your PhD, supporting you through your application, enrolment, the development of your research, submission of your thesis, and on to the next steps of your career.

Working in partnership with different teams across the university, the Doctoral College team will help you make the most of the wide variety of training and development opportunities available at QMUL, offer advice on funding and also provide financial support for research activities.

Through all of these activities, the Doctoral College aims to ensure the highest possible standards of research support and training for all of our PhD students, promoting pioneering research and ensuring you’ll be equipped with the skills you’ll need to become a successful independent researcher upon graduation, whether in academia or beyond.

In the meantime, the positive community of the Doctoral College and the collaborative research environment that it fosters help to make QMUL a uniquely productive place for postgraduate study.

For further information about PhD study at QMUL, please see: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/research
The Graduate Centre, due to open in early 2017, will be the new home of the School of Economics and Finance.

The Doctoral College holds an annual Graduate Festival – GradFest. It’s an excellent opportunity to present work, meet other researchers and share ideas.

Visit [qmulgradfest.wordpress.com](http://qmulgradfest.wordpress.com) or see @QMUL_DC

The Doctoral College team will be based in QMUL’s new Graduate Centre, due to open in early 2017 (Artist’s impression)
ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

How to apply
All applications should be made online at qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/howtoapply

Entry requirements
Please see individual programme webpages for our detailed entry requirements.

For more information on our English language requirements, visit: qmul.ac.uk/international/international-students/englishlanguagerequirements

Tuition fees
You can find a full list of both UK/EU and overseas tuition fees here: qmul.ac.uk/ tuitionfees

Funding
There are a number of sources of funding available for masters and PhD students. These include a significant package of QMUL scholarships and studentships in a range of subject areas, which were worth £11m in 2014/15. There is also a wide range of external sources of funding available, including the government’s new Postgraduate Loan Scheme. QMUL graduates can also benefit from our Alumni Loyalty Awards. For all funding information, please see: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/funding

Postgraduate Loan Scheme
The Postgraduate Loan Scheme (PGL), launched in 2016, is offering up to £10,000 per course towards fees and living costs for taught and research masters courses in all subject areas for eligible students.

The PGL is designed for those undertaking their first taught masters degree. To be eligible, you must be aged under 60 on 1 August of the year in which you start your programme, but other criteria will apply (see the government’s website below).

At the time of going to press, details are still being finalised. For further information on how to apply, loan repayments – including salary scales, interest rates and residence conditions – please visit:

- The UK government’s website: gov.uk/postgraduate-loan
- Student Finance England’s Student Finance Zone: thestudentroom.co.uk/studentfinance
- QMUL’s Advice and Counselling team: welfare.qmul.ac.uk/money/postgraduates
- QMUL’s Funding a Masters webpages: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/taught/funding_masters
NEXT STEPS

CHOOSE YOUR PROGRAMME
Visit qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate to find out more about the programme you’re interested in.
Check you meet the entry requirements. Note: if you’re an international student English language requirements also apply.

CHECK YOUR FUNDING OPTIONS
Visit qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/funding for more information on scholarships and studentships that you may be eligible for – remember some funds have separate applications, so check the deadlines as early as possible.
International students need to show evidence of having funds for tuition fees and living costs. Visit: welfare.qmul.ac.uk/international/money for more information.

GET IN CONTACT
We want you to be sure about your application and welcome informal enquiries. If you wish to discuss any aspect of the programme, School, or university before submitting your application, please contact admissions@qmul.ac.uk

MEET US
We organise campus tours throughout the year – book a place at qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/meet-us
Our Postgraduate Open Evenings on campus allow you to meet students and academics: qmul.ac.uk/pgopenevening
If you can’t make it to us in person, we also hold virtual events: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/virtualopenday

SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION ONLINE
You can apply directly online at qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/howtoapply. While there are no set deadlines, we advise you to apply as early as possible to make sure your application is considered and to take advantage of any funding opportunities.
ORDER A PROSPECTUS AND MEET US

Order a subject-specific prospectus
Each school at QMUL produces its own in-depth postgraduate prospectus, with all you need to know about the school’s programmes and research interests and strengths. You can order one here: qmul.ac.uk/prospectus

Campus tours
We organise campus tours throughout the year. Restricted to small groups so that everyone has the chance to ask questions, these informal events are a great way to find out about living and studying here. They normally last an hour and you will be shown around by a current student. To book your place, please visit: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/meet-us

Postgraduate open events
We hold a variety of postgraduate open events at the Mile End campus. Each event is different but usually includes the opportunity to meet academics, see subject-specific facilities, tour research and learning facilities, and speak to our support services, including the Careers and Enterprise team.

For more details and to book, please visit: qmul.ac.uk/pgopenevening

Virtual events
We also hold virtual events during the year. For dates, virtual tours of the campus, videos and more, visit: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/meet-us/virtualopenday

Around the UK
We visit local and national postgraduate education fairs, conventions and events across the country each year. Come along to an event near you to find out more about postgraduate study and student life with us. For more information, please visit: qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/meet-us/around-the-uk

International students
If you are from outside the UK, please see our ‘Meet us overseas’ webpage for details of where you can meet the International Office over the coming year: qmul.ac.uk/international/international-students/events

Open events for 2017 entry
23 November 2016
Open Evening – PhD

18 January 2017
Virtual Open Day – Masters and PhD

15 February 2017
Open Evening – Masters and PhD

10 May 2017
Virtual Open Day – Masters and PhD

19 July 2017
Virtual Open Day – Masters and PhD

6 September 2017
Recruitment Event – Masters and PhD
A Postgraduate Open Evening in the Octagon at our Mile End campus, historically the university’s library and now an event space
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### Key
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- The William Harvey Heart Centre 3
- Dawson Hall 4
- Joseph Rotblat Building 5
- Old Anatomy Building 6
- Dean Rees House 7
- Lodge House 8

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- Dawson Hall 4

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