

# Queen Mary, University of London Postgraduate Open Evening Wednesday 25 November 2009 from 4.30pm until 7pm



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# Introduction

  
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Dear Prospective Queen Mary Graduate Student,

As a talented student, you may have a number of career choices open to you. To help you make a decision, we'd like to give you a sense of what Queen Mary can offer you as a graduate student:

- Excellence in teaching and research
- Award-winning on campus accommodation
- An attractive and modern campus
- An active Graduate Student Society
- A Graduate Centre
- High quality laboratories with state-of-the-art equipment
- A thriving social scene for graduate students in Medicine and Dentistry Science and Engineering, and Humanities and Social Sciences

To experience Queen Mary's outstanding facilities, we invite you to our Postgraduate Open Evening on Wednesday 25 November. You will have opportunities to meet academic staff, talk to current graduate students and tour the campus.

In this leaflet, you will find a full schedule of events. You are cordially invited to spend the whole time with us, or just drop in during the evening as your schedule permits. Whenever you arrive, we'll be here to welcome you, to answer all your questions and, most importantly, to make you feel at home here on the Queen Mary campus.

We hope that you will choose Queen Mary for your graduate education, and look forward to spending time with you during the Open Evening.

With best wishes,

Professor Maurice Elphick  
Director, Graduate  
School in Science and Engineering

Professor Richard Schoch  
Director, Graduate  
School in the Humanities and Social Sciences

Professor Joy Hinson  
Dean for Postgraduate Studies  
Barts and The London  
School of Medicine and Dentistry

# Programme

4.30-5pm

**Registration/ tea and coffee**

Queens' Building Reception –  
No 1 on the map

5-5.30pm

**Welcome and Introduction  
to Graduate Schools:**

Science and Engineering  
Professor Maurice Elphick  
People's Palace Lecture Theatre 1 –  
No 2 on the map

Humanities and Social Sciences  
Professor Richard Schoch  
People's Palace Lecture Theatre 2 –  
No 2 on the map

5.30-7.00pm

**Subject Fair with Academic Departments**

The Octagon Library – No 3 on the map

7.00pm

**Close**

- Campus Tours are available throughout the evening upon request
- Admissions staff, International Office and Advice and Counselling staff will be available at the subject fair
- A Graduate Student Development Adviser from Educational Staff Development will be available at the Subject Fair
- Medicine and Dentistry staff available all evening
- Funding your Postgraduate Studies talk from 7.00pm - 7.30pm in PP1

**The Graduate School in Science and Engineering consists of the following five departments and schools:** Biological and Chemical Sciences; Electronic Engineering and Computer Science; Engineering and Materials Science; Mathematical Sciences and Physics

**The Graduate School in Humanities and Social Sciences consists of the following departments:** Business Management; Centre for Editing Lives and Letters; Centre for Commercial Law Studies; Drama; Economics; English; Geography; History; Laws; Languages, Linguistics and Film; Politics

**The School of Medicine and Dentistry is divided into six Institutes each containing a series of Research Centres. These Institutes are:** Institute of Cancer; Institute of Cell and Molecular Science; Institute of Dentistry; Institute of Health Sciences Education; William Harvey Research Institute; Wolfson Institute of Preventive Medicine

**Find out more about your Graduate School:**

Humanities and Social Sciences

[www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/hss](http://www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/hss)

Science and Engineering

[www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/se](http://www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/se)

Medicine and Dentistry

[www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/md](http://www.qmul.ac.uk/postgraduate/md)

"The biggest star among the research-intensive institutions was Queen Mary, University of London". According to tables published in the *Times Higher Education*, Queen Mary has been ranked 13th in the country out of the 132 institutions. The *Guardian* places Queen Mary even higher, 11th in the UK.

**Research Assessment Exercise 2008**

## Key facts about Queen Mary

- A budget of £682,000 has been allocated for upgrading the library.
- Over the last 4 years, £46m has been spent on the Student Village.
- £5.3m has been spent on the Students' Union Drapers Bar and Fitness Centre.
- £5.7m has been invested in teaching facilities.
- Scholarships, studentships, bursaries and prizes amounted to £17m in 2008.
- Research Income increased from £51.4m in 2006-07 to £60.7m in 2008.

### Science and Engineering

- Current active research grant value from all sources (Research Councils, Charities, Government organisations and industry) is in excess of £43 million
- Current peer-reviewed research council funded grants alone are in excess of £45 million which are distributed over more than 120 separate grants across the school

### Humanities and Social Sciences

- More than £10 million in major research grants have been awarded by such agencies as the Arts and Humanities Research Council, The Economic and Social Research Council, the Leverhulme Trust, the British Academy, the British Council, and the National Lottery since January 2001

### Medicine and Dentistry

- The School has over 250 research associates or fellows and has an annual budget of approximately £30 million.
- The School has around 800 registered postgraduate students: 400 MPhil/PhD students, 100 MRes students and 300 postgraduate taught course students.

  
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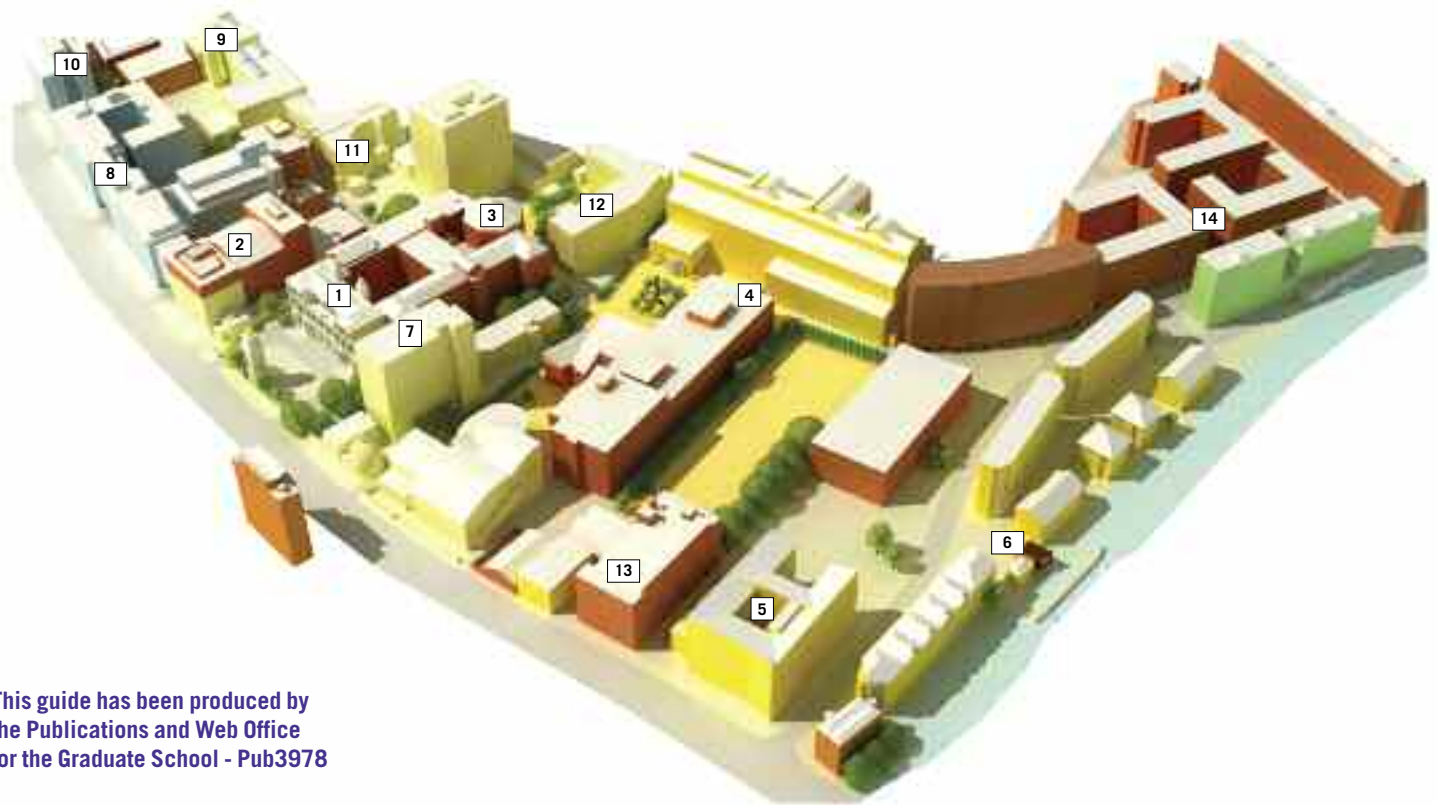
  
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## Key:

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| 1 Queens' Building/main reception for Open Day | 5 Arts Lecture Theatre                  | 11 Biological and Chemical Sciences |
| 2 People's Palace, PP1 and PP2                 | 6 Lock Keeper's Cottage Graduate Centre | 12 Geography                        |
| 3 The Octagon                                  | 7 Physics                               | 13 School of Law                    |
| 4 Library                                      | 8 Engineering                           | 14 Westfield Student Village        |
|  | 9 Computer Science                      |                                     |
|  | 10 Mathematics                          |                                     |



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