LIFE IS NEVER JUST BLACK AND WHITE.
It’s time to colour your life...
CHIEF EXECUTIVE’S FOREWORD

IT IS MY PLEASURE, ON BEHALF OF GOVERNORS AND STAFF OF THE SOUTH WEST COLLEGE (SWC), TO INTRODUCE THE 2019-20 HIGHER EDUCATION PROSPECTUS.

South West College has just been awarded ‘Higher Education Established Provider’ status by the Quality Assurance Agency (QAA) which indicates QAA’s confidence in our academic standards and the quality of the student experience at SWC.

This is a highly sought after award and gives the College and the Southwest Region confidence in the burgeoning, industry-focused higher education provision, currently on offer at SWC; this offer clearly meets the needs of regional and national employers as it is jointly developing by the College, in partnership with employers and local universities, and takes account of local, regional and national skill needs, as reflected in the Northern Ireland Skills Barometer, and the Industrial Strategy (Economy 2030).

A key target for the College is to widen access and participation opportunities for students, across the South West Region and beyond. This strategic focus has ensured that the College continues to provide an affordable and high quality Higher Education offer which has led to a growth in full-time provision exceeding 400% and similarly, a very significant growth in part-time provision.

Excellence in Teaching and Learning across all our Higher Education programmes remains a top priority for SWC, and students regularly comment upon the level of attention they receive from our teams of dedicated lecturers. Students are taught in small class sizes that afford high levels of guidance and support and the impact of this is borne out by the successive ‘highest level of confidence’ ratings we receive for our provision, in external quality inspections.

There are in excess of 1900 full-time and part-time places on offer at South West College where students can achieve a Higher Education qualification through full-time and part-time modes and can undertake Foundation Degrees, Higher Level Apprenticeships and Honours Degrees, locally at a campus of SWC. SWC students continue to achieve in national, international and global competitions and their skills and work ethic are exemplary. These admirable student qualities are much sought after and have been recognised and rewarded by industry, who provide SWC students with numerous scholarships, valued in excess of £100,000 per annum, in addition to several hundred internships.

SWC has achieved Investors in Innovation Status and works closely with industry to ensure that all students are employment-ready, whether new entrants to industry, or existing members of the workforce who are upskilling to meet increasingly complex, industry needs. In these aspects, SWC leads the way with a unique blend of qualifications and delivery models.

Articulation routes are provided to universities so that students can study in SWC for two or more years and if they choose, progress to QUB or Ulster University for top-up honours degrees, in a clear and managed fashion.

The College continues to expand its international reach and is developing partnerships in China, America, France, Germany, Russia and other regions, to broaden the horizons of all our students.

I hope there is a Higher Education option in SWC that meets your needs.

Yours Sincerely

Michael McAlister
Chief Executive
JOIN AN AWARD WINNING COLLEGE

EXCELLENCE
Be the best we can be.

CONFIDENCE
Having a positive attitude.

INTEGRITY
Delivering on what we promise.

TEAMWORK
Together we can do better.

INNOVATION
Improvement and new approaches.

OUR VISION
DEVELOPING PEOPLE / ACHIEVING POTENTIAL

OUR MISSION
“TO PROVIDE LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE SOUTH WEST REGION AND BEYOND, THROUGH QUALITY EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN SUPPORT OF ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.”

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GENERAL INFORMATION

EQUALITY STATEMENT
South West College is committed to ensuring that everyone who comes in contact with the College is treated fairly and should not experience inequality, prejudice or discrimination on the grounds of age, gender, disability, marital status, family or dependent responsibility, culture or nationality, race or ethnic group, religion or belief, political opinion, or sexual orientation.

DECLARATION
South West College has made every effort to ensure that the information contained in this prospectus is accurate. However, the College cannot accept responsibility for any inaccuracies or omissions. South West College reserves the right to review, change or cancel any of the courses outlined subject to application.

COLLEGE CENTRAL TELEPHONE NUMBER
For enquiries at all Campuses:
Tel 028 8225 0109
Web www.swc.ac.uk/contactus

ABOUT US
AN OUTSTANDING COLLEGE IN A RURAL REGION
South West College is a dynamic, innovative and entrepreneurial College, focused on delivering excellent results and outcomes for its students, industry and the local economy. The College catchment covers the counties of Tyrone and Fermanagh, a rural and industrious region.

The College is recognised locally, regionally, nationally and internationally and has gained numerous awards for its high quality and economically relevant education and training provision. It also has a vital role in helping to promote social inclusion by providing those with low or no qualifications and those with barriers to learning with the skills and qualifications they need to find employment.

The industrial profile of the region necessitates a particular focus on the development of higher level technical and professional skills. South West College has strategically responded to this need through the development of innovative apprenticeships and a modern FE curriculum.

The College has also developed a wide range of higher education programmes, including 25 Foundation Degrees, mainly in STEM subjects, and has extended its international outreach in support of its students and the development of the economy. It works closely with a wide range of partners, including universities, schools, businesses and local councils.

The College is a key player in the economic development of the region, working closely with the business community in developing the skills necessary for current and future jobs. It received an outstanding performance level in the most recent inspection of its further education and work based learning provision and has consistently received the highest level of confidence rating in successive inspections.

It does this with strong governance, an excellent staff who are committed to ensuring students receive the best possible learning experience, a track record of financial efficiency and a state of the art estate, including four technology and innovation centres, which help to meet the needs of the present and future economy.
At South West College we believe that we can provide an environment that’s right for you. We start with your individuality, ambitions and experiences and combine these with our bespoke courses to make sure you are ready for your chosen career.

The College campuses provide dedicated, relaxed and supportive learning environments perfect for student engagement, staff-student interactivity, social development and most importantly inclusivity.

All campuses have excellent study facilities with Innovation Centres, Learning Resource Centres and private study areas. What isn’t standard is the unrivalled support we offer you whilst you’re part of the SWC family.

We know that your learning experience is dependent on your physical and mental wellbeing and the quality of our teaching and learning input, and this combined will ultimately lead to your success.

Support is available throughout your journey and we have dedicated student support workers who are here to support and help you with all of your needs.
WHY CHOOSE SOUTH WEST COLLEGE?

WE’RE ON YOUR DOORSTEP PROVIDING...

• Qualifications that lead to real jobs and real careers
• Ulster University and Queen’s University Belfast accredited courses
• Affordable learning that will not leave you in huge debt
• Expert lecturers with real industry knowledge and experience
• World-class facilities to support innovative learners
• A smaller, friendlier and supportive learning environment.

WE CARE ABOUT YOU!

At SWC we offer excellent student support services which can help you with finances, welfare, careers guidance, learning support, counselling and much more. You can also get help with study skills such as essay and report writing, IT and referencing. We’re here to make sure you get the most out of your time at college and achieve the qualification and skills you need to succeed.

IT’S AN EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER!

With industry standard facilities and equipment you are guaranteed to experience a dynamic and modern learning experience. You’ll also find we have a range of exciting learning technologies available in very unique learning spaces in the College Innovation Centres; IDEA, CREST, STEM & IMAGE (see page 36).

WE WANT TO MAKE YOU EMPLOYABLE

We offer a wide range of courses designed to support your career development. We’ve worked with employers and industry to develop our courses to make sure you are gaining the skills and knowledge they need. You’ll also find opportunities to undertake work placements. All of our lecturers have worked in industry so they know first-hand what’s expected of you and they can enrich your learning with real experiences. These connections ultimately lead to an increasing amount of our students gaining employment.
CAMPUS OPENING HOURS

COOKSTOWN/DUNGANNON
- Monday – Wednesday: 8.30am – 10.00pm
- Thursday: 8.30am – 6.00pm
- Friday: 8.30am – 4.00pm

ENNISKILLEN CAMPUS
- Monday – Thursday: 8.30am – 10.00pm
- Friday: 8.30am – 4.00pm

OMAGH CAMPUS
- Monday – Thursday: 8.30am – 10.00pm
- Friday: 8.30am – 4.00pm

TECHNOLOGY & SKILLS CENTRE
- Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 7.45am – 9.00pm
- Wednesday & Friday: 7.45am – 6.00pm

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IDENTIFICATION
All students will be required to produce ID upon enrolment e.g. passport, driver’s license, National Insurance card, electoral card etc. Please note: This brochure will be made available, on request, in alternative formats for those unable to access information in the standard format.

EXAM ENTRY & TIMETABLE
It is the responsibility of all students to ensure they are entered for relevant examinations by the due closing date; similarly, the student is responsible for ascertaining the timing(s) of examinations(s) sitting. Enquiries should be made to the Course Tutor or Examinations Office at the campus you attend.

UNIQUE LEARNER NUMBER (ULN)
Whilst at the College, you will be issued with a Unique Learner Number (ULN). The ULN is a personal 10 digit number which will remain with you throughout your life, similar to your National Insurance (NI) Number. Like your National Insurance Number your ULN will be protected and only used for the purpose intended. It will only be used to pull together your educational experiences and outcomes, enable you to view your learner record online and be used by government agencies who have responsibilities for education. For further information please contact the Admissions Office at your local campus.
WE’RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU!

CAREERS ADVICE & GUIDANCE

Making the right career decision is important and at South West College the Student Engagement Officer HE and Employability will assist you in choosing the right course and help you plan your next step, be it entry into higher education or employment. From career planning and development, employer visits and job fairs, interviews and employment advice, our team of friendly, qualified careers advisers are on hand to provide advice for all full-time and part-time Higher Education students.

Advisers are based at Dungannon, Enniskillen and Omagh campuses and welcome you to contact them on careers@swc.ac.uk or just call in to your nearest Student Services office.

Careers Guidance and Support Key Contacts:
Dungannon & Cookstown Campuses: claire.o’neill@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen Campus: nichola.melanaphy2@swc.ac.uk
Omagh Campus: teresa.taggart@swc.ac.uk

STUDENT LEARNING SUPPORT

The College is committed to providing a supportive and friendly learning environment for all students. We have a confidential student learning support service that can help students with a disability and / or learning difficulty. Learning support offered can include:

- In class support (e.g. note takers and a learning support worker) as well as one-to-one support outside the classroom (e.g. help with assignments)
- Loan of specialist equipment (talking calculators, loop system) and specialist software

You are advised to register with the Student Learning Support Team to ensure that individual arrangements are put in place that will support you through your time at the College.

COUNSELLING

Hopefully your time at South West College will be an enjoyable and fulfilling experience but there may be times when things do not go to plan and you may want to consider counselling, which will give you the opportunity to talk, in confidence, with an independent and trained professional.

Each campus has its own confidential student counselling service to help with whatever difficulty you are facing.

To make an appointment with a counsellor, please contact the Student Support team at your campus.
LET’S TALK FINANCE

WITH THE COST OF UNIVERSITY DEGREES RISING, YOU MAY THINK HIGHER EDUCATION IS OUT OF YOUR REACH FINANCIALLY. BUT UNIVERSITY IS NOT YOUR ONLY OPTION.

TUITION FEES
Tuition fees at South West College are significantly lower than universities. These fees cover the cost of your tuition, registration and exams.

The Association of Colleges (AoC) revealed that HE students who study in FE colleges are likely to leave college with around £17,500 less debt than if they had studied their qualifications at university.

With lower tuition fees, the chance to live at home, work part time, and reduce travel costs, studying a HE course at a further education college is a fantastic way to gain internationally recognised qualifications close to home.

Our Student Support team is happy to provide information, advice and guidance on any aspect of student finance and budgeting.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT
You may be eligible for additional support if you:
• have a disability, mental health condition or specific learning difficulty
• have one or more dependent children
• have an adult member of the family who depends on you financially
• claim income-related benefits or are aged 60 or above
• are experiencing financial hardship.

You can find more information at: http://www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance

BE SMART ABOUT IT...
GAIN YOUR DEGREE WITH AN AVERAGE SAVING OF AROUND £17,500

Students starting university or college can apply for loans to help with their tuition fees and living costs. How much money you get depends on if you study full time or part time and on your living circumstances.

Tuition fee loan for full time and part time students - this covers the fees you’re charged each year for your course and is paid directly to college. To qualify, your part-time course needs to be at least 25 per cent of an equivalent full time course each year, for example four years instead of one year full time.

Maintenance loan to pay living costs for full time students only. This loan is paid into your bank account at the start of each term. The exact amount full time students can borrow depends on family income, where you live, what year of study you’re in, and what help you get through the Maintenance Grant.
HOW TO APPLY

If you are interested in one of our HE courses then you can apply directly to the college. Application forms are available online at www.swc.ac.uk or from any of our campuses.

Further information about the application process is available on the college website, or you can contact the Admissions team on: enquiries@swc.ac.uk Tel: 028 8225 0109

Unlike UCAS and CAO many of the Higher Education courses offered at South West College are by direct application to the College only.

Application forms are available to download from the college website or can be requested by telephoning the College or collecting in person. If you have a query relating to your application, please contact the appropriate Course Co-ordinator using the contact details provided in this prospectus. Alternatively get in touch with the Careers Officer at your relevant campus or log onto: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus.

Some points to note before submitting your application:

- Applications are accepted now. Please do not wait until your results are available. SWC can only accommodate a limited number of applications per course.
- Applying for a course does not guarantee a place on that course. All applicants will be assessed by formal interview prior to enrolment.
- Check that you meet the entry requirements detailed in the ‘Entry Requirements’ section for each course.
- Receipt of your application form will be formally acknowledged via a text message from the College Admissions Team.
- If you are successful at the application stage and are enrolled on a course you will be provided with all the relevant course information, including timetables, at a general course induction session in September.

INTERVIEWS

Interviews are a key aspect of our selection procedure and should confirm not only our choice of suitable students, but also your choice of course. We believe that your interview should be a positive experience and whilst we are thorough, our primary aim is to make you feel at ease and encourage you to tell us about yourself and your experiences.

ALL APPLICANTS WELCOME

The College welcomes applications from mature students, students with qualifications from other countries and those seeking to gain qualifications. The standard entry requirement for many courses may be waived if alternative qualifications or experience can be offered. For further information on fees for overseas students, please contact the Admissions Office at the relevant Campus.

MISSED THE UCAS DEADLINE... DON’T PANIC!

HEALTH & WELLBEING INITIATIVES

AT SWC WE LIVE BY THE PHILOSOPHY THAT HEALTH AND WELLBEING IS “A STATE OF COMPLETE PHYSICAL, MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL WELLBEING AND NOT MERELY THE ABSENCE OF DISEASE OR INFIRMITY” (WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION, 1946)

To support our students we have adopted an approach as a ‘healthy college’ recognising the importance of investing in the health and wellbeing of students by providing a physical and social environment/culture which is conducive to teaching, learning and working. We strive to have a strong culture where we work to promote student empowerment to maintain your own health and wellbeing whilst also providing you with the opportunity to achieve your full potential, in turn benefiting yourself, the staff and the College.

As an SWC student you will benefit from a range of opportunities including physical activity sessions, free health clinics, fresh fruit days as well as a range of health and wellbeing themed workshops through the year.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT
Niall.Marlow@swc.ac.uk
GET YOUR SUITCASE PACKED!

At SWC we love to give our students the opportunities to experience new things and broaden their horizons. We have a strong history and commitment to enabling students to take part in exchange experiences across Europe and internationally.

‘Currently SWC has 15 live European projects with over 40 partners worldwide through Erasmus+ and Erasmus+ International’. SWC is now positioned as one of the UK’s leading organisations achieving funding under all three key actions covered by the Erasmus+ Programme. These exchange experiences expose staff and students to new ideas and innovations that are central to their development and employability within their chosen area of specialism.

SWC recently secured its largest mobility grant which will see 150 students undertake 3-week work placements with employers based across Sweden, France, Spain, Germany, Lithuania & Iceland.

The college has also been successfully strengthening partnerships in China, Russia, USA and Canada and will continue to explore collaborative opportunities between partner institutions. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT YOUR COURSE CO-ORDINATOR

THE WORLD IS WAITING FOR YOU!

OUR INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

Erasmus+
SWC is the only further education college in Northern Ireland that is a Confucius Hub offering Mandarin Chinese, which is available both on and off site and is delivered by a team of Mandarin Chinese tutors who are assigned to work in our Confucius Hub.

The Hub, now in its fifth year has seen considerable growth and this year, 2017/18 we have a team of 12 tutors delivering lessons to college students, 54 schools (38 primary & 16 post-primary) together with 3 evening classes at SWC and enrolments exceeding 3400.

SWC recently launched the college’s new Business Chinese Test (BCT), an online Mandarin Chinese course, which has been designed to develop basic communication skills for collaboration with Chinese businesses. The BCT Online Mandarin Chinese course is accredited by Hanban, China and will be delivered online however tutorial support is available from the SWC Confucius Hub Mandarin Chinese tutors. All students will have the opportunity to avail of this programme, ideal for C.V. building in today’s competitive and increasingly global market place.

For further information contact linda.beatty@swc.ac.uk
LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRES
The Learning Resource Centres exist to support the information needs of everyone at the College including students, lecturers, managers and support staff. The LRCs offer an excellent range of services and facilities designed to provide access to both the latest technology and traditional learning resources. Experienced staff are available to answer enquiries, to help users access information and resources.

To support students in their studies all centres provide a range of mentoring services either in group sessions or one-to-one including the following:
- Getting Ready for Academic Study:
  - Student inductions - accessing College Systems
  - Referencing - how to reference and referencing tools
  - Researching projects / assignments
  - Using Discovery
  - Understanding plagiarism and copyright
  - Assistance with ‘Turn It In’

I.T. FACILITIES:
- Computer suite equipped with a wide range of software
- High speed internet access and Wi-Fi
- Blackboard learning environment
- Printing, photocopying and scanning
- Laptop loans for use in the LRC

OTHER:
- Stationery shop | Student ID cards
- Resetting student passwords | Printing credits

KEY CONTACTS:
Dungannon: Melissa Grimes 028 8225 0109 Ext 3630 melissa.grimes@swc.ac.uk
Omagh: Kerry-Jo Chesters 028 8225 0109 Ext 5213 kerry-jo.chesters@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen: Doreen Dunwoody 028 8225 0109 Ext 2216 doreen.dunwoody@swc.ac.uk

EXPERIENCE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS TAILORED FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDY!
INSPIRING YOU TO INNOVATE!

INNOTECH IS SOUTH WEST COLLEGE’S AWARD WINNING CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR INNOVATION. THE AIM OF THE CENTRE IS TO NURTURE AND GROW INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY WITHIN INDUSTRY ACROSS NORTHERN IRELAND AND BEYOND.

As part of the College’s drive to embed innovation within the curriculum across each Campus there are now four innovation centres, linked directly to InnoTech, available for students, of all levels, to utilise as part of their learning. These centres are:

- **STEM** – a specially designed state-of-the-art teaching facility and exhibition space, focused exclusively on delivering educational and instructional activities in the areas of STEM. The Centre at the Dungannon campus is now a model for learning replicated across the UK due to its pioneering approach to STEM delivery.

- **IMAGE** – an exciting creative technologies studio in the Enniskillen campus. It is a design and development area focused on providing resources and services in the area of digital animation. Image has state-of-the-art equipment such as motion capture technology, rendering facilities and recording studios.

- **IDEA** – a unique interactive learning and exhibition space in the Omagh Campus. The centre has been created to support a wide range of students and organisations from a variety of industrial backgrounds to participate in the creative process of generating new ideas. In this space ideas are conceived, nurtured and developed into prototypes that are then tested to establish proof of concept.

- **CREST** – a centre of excellence for Renewable Energy and Sustainable Technology. The centre is the only passive educational facility in the UK and comprises of three areas, the Pavilion, R&D Lab and Hub, providing industry R&D, demonstration and testing facilities for new renewable energy products and sustainable technologies. The centre contains bespoke laboratory and demonstration facilities for the design, development, manufacture and testing of renewable and sustainable technologies. The centre has quickly established a reputation for supporting SMEs and entrepreneurial students in bringing ideas for new products to fruition.
AT SOUTH WEST COLLEGE WE RECOGNISE THAT LEARNING IS CHANGING, SO OUR CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT HAS DEVELOPED TO INCLUDE BOTH FACE TO FACE TEACHING SUPPORTED BY E-LEARNING AND E-SERVICES TO BRING LEARNING TO LIFE. THE TECHNOLOGIES USED ARE FORWARD-THINKING, INTERACTIVE, BUT MOST IMPORTANTLY STUDENT-CENTRED, TO ENABLE YOU TO LEARN IN A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT.

As a student we aim to provide you with platforms to enable you to be engaged thinkers, active learners, knowledge constructors and global citizens of the 21st century. We want to take you on a rapidly evolving digital journey.

**SWC VIRTUAL ACADEMY**

As part of the SWC Virtual Academy you will be able to develop your skills, embrace new opportunities and experience emerging cutting-edge technologies through the SWC Virtual Academy. All students can take part in and avail of:

- Digital Badge Certifications
- Virtual Learner Resource Centre (LRC)
- Remote Home Access
- Immersive Technologies
- Game Based Learning
- Virtual Worlds

Our Virtual Academy aims to build your C.V. and increase your employability in today’s increasingly competitive workplace, through embracing ‘your world’ of on-line technologies.

More information is provided to students on induction, and through discussions with your course co-ordinator.
NEW ENNISKILLEN ERNE CAMPUS

OPENING 2020

THE NEW SOUTH WEST COLLEGE ERNE CAMPUS IN ENNISKILLEN WILL SEE THE DELIVERY OF THE FIRST EDUCATIONAL BUILDING WORLDWIDE TO ACHIEVE THE HIGHEST INTERNATIONAL STANDARD IN ENVIRONMENTAL CONSTRUCTION, PASSIVHAUS PREMIUM, RANKING IT ALONGSIDE PRESTIGIOUS BUILDINGS SUCH AS THE APPLE CAMPUS IN TERMS OF SUSTAINABLE INNOVATION AND DESIGN.

The new campus will be situated on the site of the former Erne hospital in Enniskillen and represents an investment of over £29 million by the Department for the Economy. The building, which is due to be completed in February 2020, will further enhance the College’s existing global reputation in the sustainable construction sector and will be used to attract international companies and students.
**UNDERSTANDING THE JOURNEY...**

If you have just completed a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma, A-Levels, Access Diploma or Leaving Certificate the table below provides a quick guide to help you understand the UCAS points required for higher education courses.

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### Key:
- D = Distinction
- M = Merit
- P = Pass

## REPUBLIC OF IRELAND QUALIFICATIONS

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### Entry to HND/C
- Full 8 subject Level 5 Major Award with five subjects at Merit Level and the remainder (three) at pass level.

### Foundation Maths:
- Foundation Mathematics at A2 and ILC D1 Ordinary will be accepted as subsidiary entry qualifications. However, for progression to degree programmes, it is advised that GCSE mathematics is undertaken by those students holding an A2 in Foundation Mathematics.

### Key:
- Entry requirements for all courses offered at South West College are detailed in the course information section of this prospectus.
- For further information please contact the Student Engagement Officer for H.E. and Employability at your local Campus.

**Cookstown/Dungannon Campus:** Claire O’Neill
claire.o’neill@swc.ac.uk

**Enniskillen Campus:** Nichola Melanaphy
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**Omagh Campus:** Teresa Taggart
teresa.taggart.ac.uk
AT SWC WE OFFER A LARGE RANGE OF COURSES WHICH ARE FULLY RECOGNISED BY EMPLOYERS AND UNIVERSITIES. THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT PATHWAYS AND PROGRESSION ROUTES WHICH ALLOW FOR FURTHER STUDY OR EMPLOYMENT.

HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC)
A full-time Higher National Certificate (HNC) takes one year full-time to complete, or two years part-time. Many HNC courses cover the same subjects as an HND, but an HNC is one level below an HND. It’s generally equivalent to first year of a university degree and is a Level 4 qualification.

HIGHER NATIONAL DIPLOMA (HND)
A Higher National Diploma (HND) is a work-related course provided by higher and further education colleges in the UK. A full-time HND takes two years to complete, or three to four years part-time. Generally an HND is equivalent to second year of a university degree and is a Level 5 qualification.

FOUNDATION DEGREE
A Foundation Degree is a degree level qualification which combines academic study with workplace learning. Designed in association with employers, they are qualifications to equip people with the relevant skills, knowledge and understanding to achieve academic results as well as improve performance and productivity in the workplace. Foundation Degrees focus on providing core skills for a particular job or profession to increase employability skills for employers.

A full-time foundation degree will take two years to complete, and part-time courses will normally take 3 years. However, at South West College a unique FastTrack option is also available part-time over 2 years [2 summer semesters included].

Completing an honours degree following on from a foundation degree will normally take an extra two years.

FAST TRACK FOUNDATION DEGREE
Since 2013 the South West College has been offering ‘Fast Track’ Foundation Degrees in the areas of Computing, Construction, Architecture, Engineering Management, and Sustainable Construction. This framework has been developed in partnership with the Ulster University and is specifically designed to enable work based learners to complete a part-time Foundation Degree in two years over six semesters, including 2 Summer Semesters, supported by blended learning. This model of delivery provides greater flexibility for work based learners.

For further information on all programmes log onto: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus

Please Note: All Foundation Degrees are accredited by either the Ulster University or Queen’s University Belfast and all have direct articulated pathways to honours degrees at each respective university.
SWC operates an Accreditation of Prior Experiential Learning (APEL) process to acknowledge unaccredited learning experiences. APEL is a process through which the learning students have gained from experience can be counted. This process relates to prior learning which has been gained by students that has not already been formally assessed. This includes prior learning gained through community based learning, workplace learning and training, continuing professional development and independent learning.

APEL can help students to:
- Get a place on an appropriate Foundation Degree. If you don’t have the normal entry qualifications but can demonstrate that you have the necessary knowledge, skills and understanding.
- Gain credit towards modules of a Foundation Degree to shorten the normal period of learning.

Who is APEL for?
- Individuals in the workplace looking for recognised credit for entry to an academic programme at higher education level.
- Learners who have exited a Higher Education programme prior to completion or the receipt of credit and who wish to count that learning towards another award.
- Learners who wish to ‘top-up’ an existing qualification.

For further information:
Contact the relevant Course Co-ordinator outlined in this prospectus or Liam Curran HE Co-ordinator.
E: liam.curran@swc.ac.uk

ACCESSNI
Some of our courses, particularly those in relation to Health Care and Early Years, require an AccessNI Criminal Record Check. This will disclose any criminal records or cautions that you may have and ensure that you are safe to work with the general public. There is a cost of £33 associated with this and it will be your responsibility to pay for this check, in order to enrol on the course.
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Full-time undergraduate study at SWC isn’t just about learning, the experience will enrich your life. You will:

- Increase your knowledge through studying what you enjoy and have an interest in with the top experts in their fields
- Get your first true taste of independence and freedom, build self-confidence, experience all aspects of student life, broaden your horizons and meet new people
- Gain a qualification that’s internationally recognised
- Develop the essential skills you’ll need in your career and working life such as; communication, organisation, time management, team work, leadership, problem-solving
- Increase your earning potential. Having a degree makes you more attractive to employers, you will have a greater choice of jobs and you will earn more. The average salary for graduates is 30% higher than for non-graduates aged 25-30
- Experience student life – yes, you are expected to work hard but it is also fun. Whatever your interests, there are a range of clubs and extra-curricular opportunities available at SWC!
ULSTER UNIVERSITY ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES (FULL-TIME/PART-TIME ENNISKILLEN CAMPUS) / ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES (FULL-TIME, PART-TIME DUNGANNON AND OMAGH CAMPUS)

Course Description
The Access Diploma offers a diverse range of social science subjects and is aimed at adult learners who would like to progress to university education. The course provides entry into higher education and also improves employment opportunities. The programme of study provides learners with an interesting, supportive and enjoyable learning environment in which they can become better learners.

Core Modules
This course provides learners with a varied range of social science based subjects along with a detailed and comprehensive knowledge and understanding of these. Learners studying this course learn about social issues and social problems, how modern society operates and how human people behave. The course can be studied either full-time or part-time, during the day in Omagh, Dungannon and Enniskillen campuses. Learners study eight modules: Semester 1 (FT)/Year 1 (PT) - (common modules)
- Communication;
- Maths 1;
- Maths 2;
- Sociology;
Semester 2 (FT)/Year 2 (PT) Dungannon/Omagh Campuses
- Social Policy;
- Social Research;
- Human Biology, Psychology & Health and Social Care (choose two modules from three).
Enniskillen Campus
- Studies in Contemporary Society;
- Explorations in Literature;
- Social, Economic and Political History of Ulster;
- Film Studies.

Entry Requirements
Applicants must be 19 years or over by the start date, and ideally be out of formal education for at least one full year. Applicants are interviewed to assess suitability regarding academic focus, motivation, commitment and drive, higher education goals and career aspirations; they do not require academic qualifications or profile, or recent experience of formal education. Applicants are individually assessed and composite scored, based on a short interview along with English and Maths assessments, which must reflect the required standard.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the entry requirements and follow the same admissions process as above.

Assessment
Learners will learn particularly through lectures and tutorials, and will be assessed by assignments, examinations, presentations and practicals.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Access courses are equivalent to A levels and are an increasingly popular way to advance into higher education at a local university or further education college. Most Access learners choose to study Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work. However, learners can also enrol onto any Social Science or Humanities related course such as Psychology, Sociology, Social Policy, Politics, Law, Media, Youth and Community Work or English Literature and even some specialist Science courses.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN APPLIED AND MEDICAL SCIENCE

Course Code: EXC50027  
Session Code: TEF1A  
Awarding Body: Ulster University  
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years  
Campus Location: Enniskillen  
Interview Required: Yes  
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Enniskillen - Tom Corr  
Tom.Corr@swc.ac.uk  
028 8225 0109 Ext 2241  
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:  
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus  
028 8225 0109

Course Description  
The course is designed to prepare you for a variety of careers across the Applied and Medical Sciences industries, through gaining the required skills and knowledge. It will provide you with specific practical, professional and transferable skills in analysis, organisation, design, teamwork, and communication. The course aims to prepare you to progress onto Honours degree programmes or to directly enter employment within the diverse science sector.

Core Modules  
Course Modules Year 1:  
• Introduction to Biology and Disease;  
• Fundamentals of Chemistry, Communications & IT;  
• Maths & Stats for Bioscience;  
• Introduction to Laboratory Practice for A&MS;  
• Human Physiology and Anatomy; Chemistry;  
• Introduction to Evidence-based Professional Practice.

Course Modules Year 2:  
• Cell Biology;  
• Biochemistry & Human Nutrition;  
• Work Based Learning 1;  
• Professional Practice in the Lab;  
• Laboratory Skills and Safety and Work Based Learning 2.

Entry Requirements  
Minimum 56 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points); GCSE English at Grade C or above; GCSE Maths at Grade C. In the event of over-subscription, entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Assessment  
Assessment will be carried out through coursework, practical assessments, short class tests and end of module examinations, throughout the duration of the course. There are also two short work placements which will be assessed.

Tuition Fees  
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course  
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions  
Students are required to:  
• Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).  
• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.  
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression  
On successful completion of the course, several progression opportunities exist. Learners can continue on to Ulster University to complete a full or part-time degree:  
• BSc (Hons) Biomedical Sciences.  
• BSc (Hons) Food and Nutrition.  
• BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition.

Learners can normally progress onto the second year of these programmes. There is also a Distance Learning degree BSc (Hons) Applied Biosciences (Healthcare Sciences) where Learners may progress onto the final year (providing they meet Ulster University module requirements).

ON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE COURSE, SEVERAL PROGRESSION OPPORTUNITIES EXIST. LEARNERS CAN CONTINUE ON TO ULSTER UNIVERSITY TO COMPLETE A FULL OR PART-TIME DEGREE
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
ARCHITECTURAL TECHNOLOGY

Course Code: EXC50048
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Omagh (during non-term time)
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator: (during term time) - John Dolan
Contact: The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: Omagh - John Dolan
john.dolan@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109 Ext 5293

Course Description
This course is designed for those who are interested in a career in architectural technology where you require a foundation degree to progress to a higher-level academic qualification or where seeking to enhance employment prospects. As such, the programme provides the cutting edge design skills and knowledge necessary for the construction industry. It will provide you with specific practical and professional skills, analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communication. The course aims to leave you equally prepared to progress to complete your Honours Degree, to directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee, or to start your own business.

Core Modules
During the course you will have the opportunity to study:
- Sustainable Construction 1
- Mathematics
- Architectural Technology
- 2D CADD
- BIM Basics
- Materials & Comfort
- Structures
- Architectural Design Project
- Supervised Work-based Learning
- Law & Contracts
- BIM Applications
- Design Principals & Management
- Economics & Estimating
- Construction Technology 2
- Maintenance & Adaptation

Entry Requirements
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by a variety of methods. These will include the use of coursework assignments and end of module examinations as well as group activities and professional presentations. You will also be assessed in the workplace as part of your six month industrial placement.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
- CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).
- Contractors Safety Record (reduced fee for students - £35).
- Steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by a variety of methods. These will include the use of coursework assignments and end of module examinations as well as group activities and professional presentations. You will also be assessed in the workplace as part of your six month industrial placement.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
- CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).
- Contractors Safety Record (reduced fee for students - £35).
- Steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

Progression
On successful completion of the Foundation Degree, and depending on performance, you may progress to Year 2 of the Honours Degree in Architectural Technology and Management at Ulster University with exemption from the placement year. You may also transfer to other universities to complete your degree or undertake employment in a design practice.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.

Many of your specialist design activities will be conducted in the IDEA Centre, a state-of-the-art innovation centre for product design and development.
Course Description

Embarking upon the study of Architectural Engineering and Energy can open a wide variety of career choices, for example, a career path that can lead you into a mechanical, electrical or a renewable engineering aspect of a building’s envelope. Building Services Engineers also have a growing role in the deployment of renewable energy systems, sustainability and energy efficiency in buildings. You will be playing a key role in delivering a low carbon environment, which may aid in combating climate change or fossil fuel depletion.

Core Modules

Year 1:
- Building Fabric & Energy Conservation
- 2D CAD
- Renewable Energy Technologies
- Mathematics
- Environmental Science & Comfort
- Building Services Design & Retrofit
- Structures
- 3D CAD & BIM Basics
- Work-based Learning
- Industrial Project and Entrepreneurship
- Design for Sustainable Services (Commercial)
- Mathematics for Engineers
- Project Management and Contract Administration
- Micro Generation for Renewable Technologies.

Entry Requirements

48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GSCE English and Maths at Grade C or University-approved equivalent. Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students

International students must meet the general entry requirements as defined above.

Assessment

Assessment will be carried out via a variety of assessment methods, which includes the use of coursework assignments, class tests, practical assessments, end of module examinations, group activities and professional presentations to an industrial panel. You will also be assessed in the workplace as part of your industrial placement.

Tuition Fees

£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course

CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions

Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

On successful completion, and depending on performance, you may progress to Year 2 of the following courses in Ulster University, with exemption from the placement Year 3.
- BEng Hons Architectural Engineering
- BSc Hons Energy

You may also transfer to other universities to complete your degree.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
DIGITAL ARTS AND TECHNOLOGIES
(FILM MAKING, ANIMATION, CGI, PHOTOGRAPHY, SOUND DESIGN)

Course Code: EXCS0036
Session Code: TDFA1, TEF1A, TOFA1
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Dungannon
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Dungannon - Sharon Wallace
Sharon.Wallace@swc.ac.uk
28 8225 0109 Ext 2535
Enniskillen - Kevin Mulveen
Kevin.Mulveen@swc.ac.uk
28 8225 0109 Ext 2554
Omagh - Larry Lowe
Larry.Lowe@swc.ac.uk
28 8225 0109
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
This programme provides learners with optional modules in Creative Arts, Animation and Media Production. Cert HE Digital Arts and Technologies exit award also available. The programme comprises seven compulsory modules, five at Level 4 and two at Level 5, including a 60 credit point Work Based Learning module, totalling 130 credits of study with the remaining 110 credits of study achieved through Learner's chosen options.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed learners to attend on a day release basis.

Core modules include:
- Visual Aesthetics;
- Media, Culture and Society;
- Sound Design;
- Introduction to Digital Film Making;
- Animation Pr Production to Digital Animation;
- Digital Compositing;
- Animation Project;
- Digital Audio Project;
- Digital Video Editing and Post Production;

Optional Modules
- Animation Project;
- Computer Game Engines;
- Creative Presentation for Industry;
- Digital Audio Production;
- Digital Audio Project;
- Digital Compositing;
- Documentary Film;
- Introduction to Digital Animation;
- Radio Production;
- On-line Video Content Creation;
- Digital Compositing;
- Animation Project;
- Digital Film Project;
- Digital Audio Project;
- Programming and Development for Apps; and
- Work Based Learning.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 32 UCAS tariff points (80 in old UCAS points). In the event of over-subscription entry criteria may be enhanced.
Minimum of 4 GCSEs grade C or above or equivalent. Students will be required to have GCSE English in order to articulate to the designated honours degree programme.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects including placement as part of the Work Based Learning module in Year 2.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
- On progression successful learners may progress directly to employment or may opt to continue their studies by progressing to Year 2 of BA Honours Degree in Screen Media (Belfast). Successful learners may also transfer to other universities to complete an Honours degree in a similar subject.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On progression successful learners may progress directly to employment or may opt to continue their studies by progressing to Year 2 of BA Honours Degree in Screen Media (Belfast). Successful learners may also transfer to other universities to complete an Honours degree in a similar subject.

THE PROGRAMME IS AVAILABLE FOR STUDY ON A PART TIME BASIS, AND CLASSES CAN BE TIMETABLED TO ENABLE EMPLOYED LEARNERS TO ATTEND ON A DAY RELEASE BASIS.
PEARSON BTEC HIGHER NATIONAL DIPLOMA
BUILDING SERVICES

Course Code : 60384649
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : Pearson
Mode of Study and Duration : Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location : Enniskillen - Stephen Moss
Enniskillen - Vanessa Cobane
Omagh - Aisling McCallan
Dungannon - Stephen Moss
Dungannon - Vanessa Cobane
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Yes
Enniskillen - Stephen Moss
Stephen.Moss@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Aisling McCallan
Aisling.McCallan@swc.ac.uk
Dungannon - Vanessa Cobane
Vanessa.Cobane@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
Embracing upon the study of Construction and Building Services can open a wide variety of career choices, for example, a career path that can lead you into Project Management, Building Surveying, mechanical, electrical or a renewable engineering aspect of a building’s envelope. Construction and Building Services Engineers also have a growing role in the deployment of renewable energy systems, sustainability and energy efficiency in buildings. You will be playing a key role in delivering a low carbon environment, which may aid in combating climate change or fossil fuel depletion.

Pearson BTEC Higher Nationals in Construction and the Built Environment have been developed to focus on:
- A common core of study applicable to the construction, building services and built environment sector.
- Recognition by the appropriate professional bodies.
- A choice of optional specialist curriculum studies appropriate to the main career disciplines within construction, building services engineering and civil engineering.
- A flexible approach to curriculum content within a nationally recognised framework.
- Changing training and educational needs relevant to construction, building services engineering and civil engineering disciplines.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.

Level 4:
- Individual Project (Pearson-set).
- Construction Technology.
- Science and Materials.
- Construction Practice and Management.
- Mathematics for Construction.
- Principles of Heating Services Design and Installation.
- Principles of Ventilation and Air-conditioning.
- Design and Installation.

Level 5:
- Group Project (Pearson-set).
- Further Mathematics for Construction.
- Advanced Heating.

Ventilation and Air-conditioning Design and Installation.
- Building Management Systems.

Optional Modules
Level 4:
- Principles of Alternative Energy.

Level 5:
- Environmental Assessment and Monitoring.
- Maintenance and Operations.

Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent to include English and Mathematics.

Level 3 Qualification:
- BTEC Diploma/Extended Diploma, A Levels or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or relevant NVQ Level 3. Minimum.
- Relevant subjects – science/technology.
- APEL for mature students.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Tuition Fees
Fee £2,600. Fee will include Pearson registration fee. Contact Admissions for further information.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students have the opportunity to complete a CSR card - £35 administration fee.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- Pass* all modules in each year of study in order to proceed to the next year of the programme.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of the Level 5 Higher National Diploma, students can develop their careers in the relevant industry or alternatively, students would be able to progress to a range of university courses for top up to degree level. This is evidenced on university course websites where HNC/D progression is clearly articulated for a range of Construction and Building Services related degree programmes.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING
WITH SURVEYING

Overview of the Course
This course is designed to prepare you for a career in Construction Engineering and Surveying - building, land and quantity surveying, through gaining cutting-edge technical skills and knowledge necessary for the modern Construction Industry. It will provide you with specific practical and professional skills, analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communications. The course aims to leave you equally prepared to progress to complete your Honours Degree, to directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee, or to start your own business.

Core Modules
During the course you will have the opportunity to study:
- Construction Technology 1
- Mathematics
- 2D CAD
- Surveying Technology
- Materials and Comfort
- BIM Basics
- Structures
- Introduction to Construction Measurement
- Work-based Learning
- Law and Contract
- Maintenance and Adaptation
- Site Management
- Construction Economics
- Project Development
- Construction Technology 2

The programme also involves construction site visits, guest speakers, specialist workshops and field surveys using Drone and GPS/GIS technologies.

The course of study also includes an industrial placement giving you the opportunity to develop your professional skills.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points); GCSE English and Maths at Grade C or above or University-approved equivalent. In the event of over subscription, entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Entry Requirements for Construction Industry students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

Entry Requirements for Honours degree programmes:
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of this course and depending on performance, students can apply for entry to Year 2 of the following Ulster University Honours degree programmes:
- BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management
- BSc Hons Building Surveying.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).

Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).

- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points); GCSE English and Maths at Grade C or above or University-approved equivalent. In the event of over subscription, entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Entry Requirements for Construction Industry students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

Entry Requirements for Honours degree programmes:
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of this course and depending on performance, students can apply for entry to Year 2 of the following Ulster University Honours degree programmes:
- BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management
- BSc Hons Building Surveying.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).

Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).

- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN ENGINEERING IN CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Course Description
This course is designed to prepare learners for a career in Civil Engineering and related industries at higher technician level. It will provide learners with specific practical and professional skills in analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communication. The course also aims to prepare learners to progress to Honours Degree level study or directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee.

Core Modules
• Infrastructure Engineering Practice & Design 1
• Surveying 1
• Mathematics & Structures
• Environmental Science & Materials
• Fluid Mechanics & Water Resources
• IT & Professional Development
• CAD for Civil Engineers
• Highway & Transportation Engineering
• Work-based Learning
• Introductory Geology & Soil Mechanics
• Digital Surveying
• Infrastructure Engineering Practice & Design 2
• Business Management, Law & Engineering Contract
• Environmental Engineering Project
• Mathematics for Engineers

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Maths at Grade C or University-approved equivalent. Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

Assessment
Learners will be assessed by coursework, examinations or a combination of both. Coursework assignments will include practical activities, laboratory experiments, live projects and group presentations. Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Graduates may (subject to performance) progress to BEng Honours Degree in Civil Engineering or BSc Honours Civil Engineering (Geoinformatics). Exemptions may also be given for entry onto the BSc Honours Construction Engineering and Management. These programmes are offered at Ulster University, Jordanstown. Learners may take up employment in the private sector with civil engineering consultants, contractors or specialists or in the public sector in government departments.
Overview of the Course
This qualification provides the perfect foundation for your successful career in business management in the private or public sector. The Foundation Degree in Business Management focuses on developing your knowledge, skills and abilities to prepare you for a range of careers in business such as Management, Marketing, Finance and Economics. Learners are supported to be entrepreneurial in their outlook to reflect local and regional economic needs.

Core Modules
Modules focus on equipping Learners with the skills, knowledge and abilities to secure a management position in a business. The modules taken include:
- Academic and Career Enhancement Skills
- Principles of Management
- Principles of Marketing
- Principles of Accounting
- Principles of Economics
- Foundations of Entrepreneurship
- Organisational Behaviour and Change
- Global Business Environment
- Finance for Decision Making
- Marketing Management
- Work Based Learning

There is a strong focus on industry engagement, with live projects and industry visits.

Entry Requirements
Range 64-72 UCAS points, four GCSE passes to include English and Maths at grade C (or equivalent), or equivalent approved qualification at Level 3. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Testing knowledge, understanding and application to industry will principally be through work-based assessment, practical reports, oral and written submissions and formal examinations.

Tuition Fees
£2,600

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, online: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40%, in all modules as per UU regulations.

Progression
The programme offers progression to:
- Part time Ulster University BSc Hons in Business (delivered at South West College);
- Ulster University’s BSc (Hons) Business with Specialisms full-time or part-time at Magee College; or other degrees at Ulster University.

A range of careers in business such as marketing, finance, administration, purchasing and management, with a specific emphasis on meeting local and regional needs.
Course Code: EXC50003
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: Queen’s University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Omagh
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Omagh – Roisin McGrath
Contact (during non-term time): Omagh – Roisin McGrath
Contact: 028 8225 0109 Ext 5318

Course Description
The Foundation Degree will provide you with the opportunity to develop a thorough knowledge and understanding of early years and related issues, enabling you to become a competent and well qualified Early Years Practitioner. The Foundation Degree will give you a nationally recognised qualification and evidence of your ability to work in the Early Years sector. You will also have the chance to articulate to Level 2 (Semester 2, Year 2) BA Early Childhood Studies at Stranmillis and South West College, Omagh Campus. Alternatively, you may progress to the full-time BA programme offered at Stranmillis, joining in Semester 1 of year 2.

Core Modules
This course will be run over 2 years and will consist of 15 hours per week in College and 10 hours per week work placement.

Optional Modules
You will study one optional module in each academic year. These are:
- Shared Perspectives of the Young Child
- and Anti-Discriminatory Practice

Entry Requirements
Applicants must meet the general requirement of Queen’s University Belfast. English and Maths GCSE at grade C or above are required (level 2 in Communication Skills is acceptable in lieu of GCSE grade C in English Language; however, level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Maths) and, one of the following:
- BTEC Diploma in Early Years, NVQ Level 3 CCLD/Two A Levels/equivalent. Access Course at 55%. Leaving Certificate English and Maths Grade D (Ordinary). Refer to general entry requirements.
- In the event of over subscription to the course, and if you meet the entry requirements specified above, entrance requirements will be enhanced at shortlisting stage.
- An offer of a place on this course will be conditional until satisfactory completion of an Access NI criminal records check and if appropriate, a Social Services check.

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment methods include assignments, case studies, practical exercises, presentations, examinations and placement assessments.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Enhanced Access NI disclosure is required and costs £33.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Please note that progression to a postgraduate teaching qualification in Northern Ireland requires Learners to have GCSE English, Maths and Science at grade C or above or specified equivalent qualifications. The full-time Foundation Degree can only be applied for through UCAS.
Overview of the Course
This course is designed around the computing requirements of local industry. Learners will gain the knowledge, understanding and design skills to formulate solutions to computing problems and the practical skills to implement those solutions. Additionally, ‘soft’ skills will be developed in teamwork, communications, professional practice and time management.

Core Modules
- Computer Technologies
- Computing Mathematics
- Programming in Python and Java
- Programming Mobile Applications for Android
- Database Systems Design and Application
- Software Systems, Emerging Technologies
- Interactive Web Authoring, Network Database Management Systems
- Computer Networks
- Server Management and Work-based Learning

The Work-based learning requires learners to complete an industrial placement of 400 hours.

Optional Modules
Dungannon (Options Available)
Year 2 Semester 1
- Network Database Management Systems or Software Testing
- Programming Mobile Devices or Technician Skills

Enniskillen
- Compulsory Modules
- May Change Each Year

- Software Testing and Emerging Technologies

- Network Database Management Systems and Programming Mobile Applications

Entry Requirements
A minimum of 64 (CC) UCAS tariff points with grade C or above for GCSE English and Maths. Entry is also subject to successful interview.

Applicants who do not meet the formal entry requirements may be eligible for Accreditation of Prior Learning (APSL).

In the event of over-subscription entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment is by the use of coursework assignments with module examinations throughout the duration of the course.

Tuition Fees
£2,400.

Progression
The articulation route for successful graduates from the South West College Foundation Degree in Science in Computing is as follows and depends on the overall grade achieved:
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computing Science (Full-time / Jordanstown)
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computing Systems (Part-Time / Jordanstown)
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computer Science (full-time / part-time / Magee). You may also progress to other universities to complete your degree.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE.
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

LEARNERS WILL GAIN THE KNOWLEDGE, UNDERSTANDING AND DESIGN SKILLS TO FORMULATE SOLUTIONS TO COMPUTING PROBLEMS AND THE PRACTICAL SKILLS TO IMPLEMENT THOSE SOLUTIONS.
Queen’s University Foundation Degree in Energy, Environment and Sustainability

Course Code: EXC50014
Session Code: TOF1A
Awarding Body: Queen’s University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years (Application must be made through UCAS at www.ucas.co.uk)
Campus Location: Omagh
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Omagh - John Moore
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course has a broad application, from school leavers and national diploma students with a science or business studies background to skilled labour employees wanting to up-skill in the fields of Sustainability and Renewable Energy.

Sustainability, energy and the environment are at the forefront of current business and policy priority areas and this course offers the opportunity to:
• Learn about renewable energy technologies and energy efficiency.
• Investigate strategies for waste and resource management.
• Develop the business skills necessary to apply this knowledge in a practical working environment.
• Gain entrepreneurial skills relevant to environmental business development.
• All presented in a highly accessible format with an emphasis on hands-on project work and relevant up-to-date information.
• This course is accredited by the UK Institution of Environmental Sciences (IES) and students are eligible for student membership of the IES.

Core Modules
• Sustainability and the Environment
• Renewable Energy Applications
• Biomas and Biofuels Technology
• Business and Management
• Engineering Principles
• Waste Management
• Environmental Science
• Wind Turbine Technology
• Environmental Business Planning
• Energy Assessment
• Economics of Renewable Energy
• Business Improvement Techniques
• Work Based learning

Entry Requirements
• A-Level - normally CC, or CD with a relevant science. Relevant sciences are biology, chemistry, maths, physics, geography or computer science.
• BTEC National Diploma in a relevant subject with majority of passes at Merit level. Relevant subjects include Business, Computing, Building Studies, Science or Engineering.
• Plus:
  • GCSE passes in English, Maths and Double-Award science (or biology and chemistry) at Grade C or above.
  • Irish Leaving Certificate - five subjects including a minimum BCCC at higher Level in relevant subjects. English and Maths Ordinary Level Grade C would be necessary if not offered at Higher Level.
  • Access Course containing significant science with overall average of 55% or an average of 60% in a non-relevant science course plus GCSE Double Award Science. (for biology or chemistry).
  • Other qualifications as deemed acceptable by the admissions committee for the Foundation Degree.

Or:
• Mature candidates who cannot offer any of the above will be assessed for admission on the basis of their appropriate skills and knowledge.
• All candidates must be aged at least 18 years at the date of entry and will be interviewed prior to admission.

Entry Requirements for International Students
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Assessment
• Assessment for each module will take the form of an assignment and an exam, or assignment only. Exams usually take place in January and May.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
• Candidates must be interviewed prior to entry and will be demanded at least 18 years at the date of entry and will be interviewed prior to admission.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
• Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).

Progression
Graduates of the Foundation Degree in Energy, Environment and Sustainability can progress directly to the pre-honours year on the Honours Degree programme in Environmental Management at Queen’s University Belfast, or can opt to continue their studies in Energy Environment and Sustainability to BSc Hons level at South West College.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 4 HNC ENGINEERING

Course Code: 68366059
Session Code: TEF1A
Awarding Body: Pearson
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 1 Year
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Stephen Moss, Enniskillen
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk, 028 8225 0109 Ext 2232

Overview of the Course
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills such as mechanical design, manufacture, maintenance, technical services, procurement and management.

The course is aimed at those working in the engineering industry and seeking an academic progression route whilst continuing to work. It is also designed for persons who want to formalise the skills already acquired in the industry or those wishing to re-skill.

In addition to this the course is also aimed at full time students completing A-Levels or BTEC National Diplomas who wish to continue their academic career in Engineering.

This course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.

- Analytical Methods for Engineers
- Engineering Science
- Project Design, Implementation and Evaluation
- Mechanical Principles
- Health, Safety and Risk Assessment in Engineering
- Business Management Techniques for Engineers
- Engineering Design
- Materials Engineering
- Applications of Pneumatics and Hydraulics
- Fluid Mechanics
- Engineering Thermodynamics
- Strengths of Materials
- Manufacturing Process
- Design for Manufacture
- Computer-aided Design and Manufacture
- Quality and Business Improvement
- Programmable Logic Controllers
- Employability Skills
- Personal and Professional Development
- Research Project
- Work-based Experience
- Quality Assurance and Management
- Industrial Robot Technology
- Statistical Process Control

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 5.5 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Course delivery is part-time, and will include practical and written assessments over a wide range of engineering disciplines.

The course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment, and opportunities to progress into higher education.

Entry Requirements
Level 3 Qualification:
- BTEC Diploma
- Equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.

- Relevant subjects – science/technology.
- APEL for mature students.

Additional Information
The model is designed to make the course more suitable for candidates in full-time employment, and for their respective employers.

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- The minimum overall pass mark of 49% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Completion of this HNC/HND will facilitate progression to higher level roles within the candidate’s own place of work. / Progression to BEng qualifications at University, with opportunity for Stage-Level 2 entry.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students have the opportunity to complete a CSR card - £35 administration fee.

Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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Course Code: 68304510
Session Code: TEF1A
Awarding Body: Pearson BTEC
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Co-ordinator: The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: 028 8225 0109 Ext 2232
Contact (during non-term time): Stephen.Moss@swc.ac.uk

Course Description
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills such as mechanical design, manufacture, maintenance, technical services, procurement and management.

The course is aimed at those working in the engineering industry and seeking an academic progression route whilst continuing to work. It is also designed for Persons who want to formalise the skills already acquired in the industry or those wishing to re-skill.

In addition to this the course is also aimed at full time students completing A-Levels or BTEC National Diplomas who wish to continue their academic career in Engineering.

This course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development.

Core Modules
• Analytical Methods for Engineers
• Engineering Science
• Project Design, Implementation and Evaluation
• Mechanical Principles
• Health, Safety and Risk Assessment in Engineering
• Business Management

Techniques for Engineers
• Engineering Design
• Materials Engineering
• Applications of Pneumatics and Hydraulics
• Fluid Mechanics
• Engineering Thermodynamics
• Strengths of Materials
• Manufacturing Process
• Design for Manufacture
• Computer-aided Design and Manufacture

• Quality and Business Improvement
• Programmable Logic Controllers
• Employmability Skills
• Personal and Professional Development
• Research Project
• Work-based Experience
• Quality Assurance and Management
• Industrial Robot Technology
• Statistical Process Control
• Management of Projects
• Managing People in Engineering

Core Modules Continued
• Knowledge-based Systems and Techniques
• Energy Management
• Mechatronic Systems
• Mathematics for Technicians
• Computer Programming Techniques
• Composite Materials in Engineering
• Microprocessor Interfacing and Control.

Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent to include English and Maths.

Level 3 Qualification:
• BTEC Diploma/Extended Diploma, A Levels or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.
• Relevant subjects – science/technology.
• APEL for mature students.

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Tuition Fees
£2,600 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
• CSR card (reduced fee for students - £35).

Further information is available online or by contacting the College.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Progression to BEng qualifications at University, with opportunity for Stage/Level 2 entry.

Direct entry to employment in engineering sector at advanced technician level.

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Overview of the Course
Are you a problem-solver? Do you ever wonder how things work? Do you want to be part of one of the largest and most innovative sectors in Northern Ireland?

This course has a broad application in the fields of wind turbine technology, manufacturing engineering and mechatronics. The course attracts school and college leavers, as well as employees wanting to up-skill. The course focuses on common core engineering disciplines and skills and then incorporates specialist topics relevant to each specialism.

The course provides a comprehensive foundation in the skills needed to design and maintain electronic equipment, pneumatic and hydraulic systems, mechanical systems and products, as well as the specialist skills needed for each of the three specialisms.

The course aims to prepare learners to progress to Honours Degree level or directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee.

Core Modules
Core modules include:
• Mathematics for Engineering;
• Electrical and Electronic Principles;
• Introduction to Engineering;
• Hydraulics and Pneumatics;
• Materials and Manufacturing Processes;
• CAD and Project;
• Engineering Science;
• Mechanical Technology;
• Engineering Analysis;
• Work Based Learning.

Optional Modules
There are no optional modules, however depending on specialist the following modules are delivered

Manufacuring:  
• Six Sigma and Lean Manufacturing;
• Design for Manufacture;
• Computer Aided Manufacture,
• Programming Concepts and Robotics;
• Manufacturing Systems,
• Manufacturing Planning and Scheduling.

Mechatronics:  
• Digital Electronics;
• PLCs;
• Programming Concepts and Robotics;
• Hardware and Networking,
• Computer Aided Manufacture,
• Power Generation,
• Transmission and Utilisation of Electrical Energy.

Entry Requirements
32 UCAS points (80 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Maths at Grade C or University-approved equivalent.

Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Please contact course director for information on acceptable alternatives to GCSE prior to application.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
This course is primarily assessed by coursework and examination, with a focus on work-based projects. Coursework will typically take the form of project work, written reports, class assessments, presentation, lab testing etc.

Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Tuition Fees:
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
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• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The Foundation Degree in Engineering offers the following articulation routes:
• Manufacturing Engineering - BEng Hons in Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering (Magee);
• Mechatronics - BEng Hons in Mechatronic Engineering (Jordanstown).

Career opportunities for Engineering graduates are also available in a wide range of industries.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE
IN FINANCIAL SERVICES
MANAGEMENT

Course Code : EXC50019
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Mode of Study and Duration : Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location : Omagh
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Omagh - Siobhan Breen
Siobhan.Breen@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109 Ext 5337
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
The overall aim of this Foundation Degree is to provide a sufficiently broad education in financial services that will ensure that degree holders are well equipped for further career enhancement. To assist in this, an integral part of the programme is an industrial placement that includes an appropriate Work-based Learning component. This Foundation Degree will equip students with the combination of technical skills, academic knowledge and transferable skills that employers locally are demanding. Ongoing consultation through the College’s Industrial Advisory Board ensures the industrial relevance of the programme and will ensure that a suitable range of career paths is available to the graduate.

Core Modules
Year 1:
• Personal and Professional Development with Finance
• Financial Institutions and Markets
• Accounting for Financial Decision Makers
• Financial Mathematics and Statistics
• Microeconomic Principles
• Quantitative methods for Finance

Year 2:
• Finance and Investment Analysis
• Corporate Governance
• Corporate Finance
• Business and Career Enterprise
• Work-based Learning

Optional Modules
None

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Tuition Fees
£2,600

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Progression from the award may take the form of either a career as a professional within the Financial Services industry or the subsequent pursuit of a higher-level academic qualification – Ulster University BSc Honours Degree in Finance and Investment Management.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
SCIENCE IN HEALTH AND
SOCIAL CARE

Course Code: EXC50001
Session Code: FBA
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Dungannon

Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Dungannon - Deirdre Fox
Deirdre.Fox@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109 Ext 3403

Enniskillen Omagh
Deirdre.Fox@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109 Ext 3301

Interview Required: Yes

Contact Co-ordinator (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description:
The Foundation Degree in Science (FdSc) in Health and Social Care is an innovative and contemporary course from Ulster University which will be attractive to both students and employers in the Health and Social Care sector. The aim of this Foundation Degree is to address the needs of the local market by preparing graduates to gain the range of knowledge, skills, attitudes and values required to meet the current and future evolving needs of Health and Social Care services in Northern Ireland.

Core Modules:
In Year 1 you will gain an exciting introduction into Health and Social Care by studying a range of modules including:
- Effective Communication in Health and Social Care;
- Safeguarding and Managing Risk;
- Foundations in Anatomy and Physiology for Health and Social Care;
- Psychology Theory and Application;
- Introduction to Social Policy Concepts;
- Introduction to Sociology and Professional Conduct and Ethical Practice.

In Year 2 you will undertake a variety of modules including:
- Evidence Based Practices
- Principles of Safe Practice
- Physiological Responses for Health and Well-being
- Introduction to Public Health
- Innovative Practices to Support Health and Well-being

In addition, all students must complete 240 hours of Work Based Learning (placement), which also will be assessed.

Entry Requirements:
Applicants must:
(a) satisfy the University’s general entry requirements
(b) have attained grade A, B or C at GCSE level in 5 subjects or an equivalent standard in an approved alternative qualification
(c) provide evidence of competence in numeracy (GCSE grade C or above or equivalent - this requirement may be met within (b)
(d) hold a BTEC Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care or a related Level 3 subject area, or 1 GCE A Level pass or equivalent (with a minimum of 48 UCAS points) OR as an alternative to (a), (b), (c) and (d):
- provide evidence of their ability to undertake the programme through the accreditation of prior experiential learning.
- Non-standard admission will be agreed with the University Faculties.
- All applicants must also satisfy Enhanced Disclosure from Access NI.

Shortlisted applicants will be invited for an interview.

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment:
All modules undertaken will have a number of assessment activities including written assignments, reports, oral presentations, reflective journals and examinations.

Tuition Fees:
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course:
Enhanced Access NI disclosure is required and costs £33.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions:
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE.
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted. / D Pass all modules in each year of study in order to proceed to the next year of the programme.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression:
Upon successful completion of the course students may be able to progress to Year 3 part-time of either BSc (Hons) Health and Wellbeing or BSc (Hons) Applied Health Studies at Ulster University. Students may also be eligible to apply to Year 2 of the BSc (Hons) Health and Social Care Policy programme at Ulster University. In addition, upon successful completion of the FdSc in Health and Social Care students can also apply for admission to Year 1 of a range of Allied Health Profession Degree programmes including Nursing, Social Work and Community Youth Work as well as a range of Social and Life Science Degrees including Psychology, Sociology, Social Policy, Criminology and many more.

Note: It is the responsibility of the applicant to check each University’s admission and progression requirements before enrolling on a course at the College.
PEARSON BTEC HND IN CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION (FILM/VISUAL EFFECTS/ JOURNALISM)

Course Code: 60322822
Session Code: TDF1A TEF1B TDF1A
Awarding Body: Pearson
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Course Co-ordinator (during term time): Enniskillen – Paul McGovern
Paul.McGovern@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen – Paul McGovern
028 8225 0109 Ext 2581
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus; www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
The purpose of BTEC Higher Nationals in Creative Media Production is to develop students as professional, self-reflecting individuals able to meet the demands of employers in Creative Media Production and adapt to a constantly changing world. The qualification aims to widen access to higher education and enhance the career prospects of those who undertake them. Designed to support progression into relevant occupational areas or onto degree-level study. These pathways are linked to Professional Body standards (where appropriate) and can provide professional status and progression to direct employment and processes, meaning a student could pursue work immediately after completion. Learners can expect to gain skills in Film Production, Animation, Editing, Creative Writing and Visual Effects. Providing them with countless opportunities to enhance their skills and showcase their creative talent.

What you will study?
This qualification consists of 240 credits, 120 credits at Level 4 and 120 credits at Level 5. There is a mix of core, specialist and optional units which over the course of 2 years totals 240 credits. 150 credits come from the mandatory core & specialist units and the remaining 90 credits are chosen from the optional units.

Why choose this course?
The course will allow students to develop their technical and creative skills, opening avenues of future study in film, animation or visual effects. The course teaches industry standard software and processes, meaning a student could pursue work immediately after completion. Learners can expect to gain skills in Film Production, Animation, Editing, Creative Writing and Visual Effects. Providing them with countless opportunities to enhance their skills and showcase their creative talent.

Core Modules
- Individual Project
- Creative Media Industry
- Professional Practice
- Personal Professional Development
- Collaborative Project
- Plus 4 Specialist Pathway Units

Optional Modules
- Storyboarding
- Principles of Animation
- Principles of Photography
- Single Camera Techniques
- Editing for Film & TV
- Sound for Media Products
- Documentary
- Project Management
- Scriptwriting for Film & TV
- Specialist Journalism

Entry Requirements
The minimum entry qualifications for the programme are:
- 32 UCAS Tariff Points: This must include one full 6-unit award (GCE A2 or equivalent at A-level).
- 4 GCSE grades A* to C (or equivalent), and/or 9 to 4 (or equivalent) in subjects such as Maths and English, however students may be required to have GCSE English for articulation on to degree programmes.
- Access Diploma: Pass relevant subject-related Access course with a minimum of 48 credits at level 3 or above including 14 credits at Merit.

Entry Requirements for International Students
Diploma (from a State Board of Technical Education at 3 years study). Other considerations:
- National Apprenticeship Certificate = Equiv. between NVQ Level 2 and Level 3
- All India Senior School Certificate Examination/ Delhi Senior School Certificate Examination) = Equivalent to AS Level.

English language requirements
In addition, all non-UK applicants must meet our English language requirements. For this course, it is 5.0 Academic IELTS.

Assessment
Teaching on the course is provided by a team of highly qualified staff who are experienced in their respective fields. Teaching methods include lectures, seminars, tutorials, practical media production workshops and library-based study.

Assessment is entirely coursework based, with many modules having a theoretical or planning element followed by a practical development piece.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year. There may also be the opportunity to participate in international exchange or field trips which may incur additional costs.

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• The minimum overall pass mark of a pass is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The Level 5 Higher National Diploma allows students to specialise by committing to specific career paths and progression routes to degree-level study. On successful completion of the Level 5 Higher National Diploma, students can develop their careers in the Creative Media sector through Progression to full time top up degrees at other academic institutions in areas such as Visual Effects, Film, Animation, Moving Image, Journalism and Film & TV Or by entering employment in creative areas such as: Film Editing, Film Production, Film Scriptwriting, Art Direction, Production Design, Digital Journalism, Print Journalism, Editing, Reporting, Visual Effects Design, Visual Effects Editing, Visual Effects Compositing and Digital Art Development.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
SCIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL
AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT
(WITH SPECIALISMS) (SUBJECT TO
VALIDATION APPROVAL)

Course Code: EXC50043
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Mode of Study and Duration: Full-time - 2 Years
Campus Location: Dungannon
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Course Co-ordinator (during term time): Enniskillen - Siobhan Hallawell
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This Foundation Degree prepares you for a career in International Travel and Tourism Management. It focuses on acquisition and application of knowledge relevant to the role of the manager in the global hospitality industry. Through work based learning, the course provides opportunities to develop and enhance your practical, personal and interpersonal skills vital to successful performance in the workplace. On completion, you will be equipped to operate in a management role in the industry.

Core Modules
Successful completion of the programme requires learners to achieve 240 CATS points from modules studied including:
• Introduction to Tourism, Hospitality and Events;
• Management in Action;
• Managing Financial Performance;
• Events Operations;
• Employability Skills;
• Work Based Learning;
• People Management;
• Marketing and Entrepreneurship

Optional Modules
Range of optional modules to be studied, to determine specialism pathways including:
• Tourism
  • Inbound and Domestic Tourism;
  • Visitor Experience;
  • Global Destinations;
  • Global Travel and Tourism Management;
• Hospitality
  • Food and Beverage Operations;
  • Food and Beverage Management
• Events
  • To be confirmed;
  • To be confirmed.

Entry Requirements
72 UCAS tariff points (180 in old UCAS points). Four GCSE passes including English and Maths or equivalent. One A Level or equivalent. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students:
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE - Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will take the form of written assignments, written reports, practical assessments, presentations and formal examinations. Learners will complete a period of Work Based Learning and complete a project whilst on placement.

Tuition Fees
£2,600.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. You will also be required to travel within, and outside of the UK, as part of your programme of studies. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On completion of the course successful Learners may progress to Honours Degree such as International Hospitality Management or International Travel & Tourism Management at Ulster University. Bridging options for final year entry are possible subject to academic performance. Learners can progress into employment in a wide variety of organisations at junior or duty management level.

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Studying for a higher education qualification part-time is a popular choice for many people.

- Working while you study. Studying part-time allows you to continue to work and maintain your income whilst you learn. Part-time courses are structured to allow you to balance your studies with your work commitments, and many courses encourage you to make use of your workplace experiences and expertise as an integral part of your studies.

- Balancing personal life and study. One of the greatest advantages of part-time study is being able to combine learning with family or personal commitments. Although sometimes challenging, part-time study allows you to balance different parts of your life, and to study at a rate that suits your personal circumstances.

- All of our courses are supported through our Virtual Learning Environment, VLE, which allows you to access materials, library resources and study support remotely and in your own time.

- Financial benefits. Part-time study allows you to maintain your income while you learn. This will help you to balance your personal commitments and to finance your studies.

- Career enhancement. Part-time study can help enhance your existing career, develop new skills if you are looking for promotion or increase job prospects if you are looking for a career change. The SWC offers a growing range of distinct professional body awards, and many of our courses are accredited or endorsed by professional bodies to make sure you develop the knowledge and skills employers are looking for.

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**ULSTER UNIVERSITY ACCESS DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING**

**Course Code**: P10012  
**Session Code**: HDP1A  
**Awarding Body**: Ulster University  
**Campus Location**: Dungannon, Enniskillen Omagh  
**Year of Study**: 2 Years  
**Mode of Study and Duration**: Part-time - 2 Years  
**Day**: Monday & Wednesday  
**Start Time**: 9:30  
**End Time**: 18:30  
**Interview Required**: Yes  
**Course Valid From**: Sep 2019  
**Course Valid to**: Jun 2021  
**Contact Course Co-ordinator**: Omagh - Melanie Thompson, Melanie.Thompson@swc.ac.uk  
Dungannon & Cookstown - Sinead McGee, Sinead.McGee@swc.ac.uk  
Enniskillen - Heather Ellison, Heather.Ellison@swc.ac.uk

### Course Description

The Access Diploma in Computing course aims to enable successful learners to progress to Higher Education Computing degree programmes. The course includes Maths and English modules of study which equate to GCSE English and Maths. The course teaches vocationally relevant hardware and software skills to those wishing to follow careers in the Computing industry.

### What you will learn

In the initial year of this diploma you will learn the foundation elements of programming in a variety of languages. Along with this you will cover Maths and English up to an equivalent at GCSE Level.

In year 2, you will develop the skills needed to become a computer technician covered elements of both hardware and software. You will also learn the necessary skills to develop websites and databases.

### Core Modules

**Year 1**
- Access Basic Maths;  
- Communication;  
- Access Maths;  
- Introduction to Programming.

**Year 2**
- Technician Skills;  
- Systems Development;  
- Website Development;  
- Databases.

### Optional Modules

N/A

### Additional Information

Financial assistance may be available (based on individual cases/circumstances) *Days and times subject to change.

### Assessment Methods

The course includes a variety of assessment methods including examinations, coursework, and presentations.

### Entry Requirements

Over the age of 19 years; out of formal education 2 years and pass entrance exam.

### Progression

Successful learners may progress to Ulster University Foundation Degree courses within the Computing discipline if they satisfy entry criteria based on UCAS tariff equivalence.

**Total Fee**  
£450 per year
ULSTER UNIVERSITY ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES (FULL-TIME/PART-TIME ENNISKILLEN CAMPUS)

ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES (FULL-TIME/PART-TIME DUNGANNON & OMAGH CAMPUS)

Overview of the Course
The Access Diploma offers a diverse range of social science based subjects aimed at adult learners who would like to progress to university education. The course provides entry into higher education and also improves employment opportunities. The programme of study also provides learners with an interesting, supportive and enjoyable learning environment in which they can become better learners.

What you will learn
This course provides learners with a varied range of social science based subjects along with a detailed and comprehensive knowledge and understanding of these. Learners studying this course learn about social issues and social problems, how modern society operates and how human people behave. The course can be studied either full-time or part-time, during the day in Omagh, Dungannon and Enniskillen campuses.

Core Modules
Semester 1 (FT)/Year 1 (PT)
• Communication
• Maths 1
• Maths 2
• Sociology

Semester 2 (FT)/Year 2 (PT)
• Social Policy
• Social Research
• Human Biology, Psychology & Health and Social Care (choose two modules from three).

Entry Requirements
Learners are interviewed to assess suitability regarding academic focus, motivation, commitment and drive, Higher Educations goals and career aspirations; they must also be 19 years or over by the start date, and ideally out of formal education college. Most Access learners choose to study Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work. However, learners can also enrol onto any Social Science or Humanities related course such as Psychology, Sociology, Social Policy, Politics, Law, Media, Youth and Community Work or English Literature and even some specialist Science courses.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the entry requirements and follow the same admissions process as above.

Assessment
Learners will learn particularly through lectures and tutorials, and will be assessed by assignments, examinations, presentations and practicals.

Tuition Fee
£450 per year.

International Students
Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the entry requirements and follow the same admissions process as above.

Other Fees Associated
Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.

The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Access courses are equivalent to A levels and are an increasingly popular way to advance into higher education at a local university or further education college. Most Access learners choose to study Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work. However, learners can also enrol onto any Social Science or Humanities related course such as Psychology, Sociology, Social Policy, Politics, Law, Media, Youth and Community Work or English Literature and even some specialist Science courses.

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# ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS IRELAND (ATI) LEVEL 4 CERTIFICATE FOR ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS

**Course Code:** 6063373  
**Session Code:** BDP1A BEE1A BOP1A  
**Awarding Body:** Accounting Technicians Ireland  
**Campus Location:** Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh  
**Level:** 4  
**No. Weeks:** 30  
**Year of Study:** 1 Year  
**Mode of Study and Duration:** Part-time - 1 Year  
**Day:** Tue - Dungannon  
Tue and Wed - Enniskillen  
Mon - Omagh  
**Start Time:** 13:00 - Dungannon  
18:00 - Enniskillen  
14:00 - Omagh  
**End Time:** 21:00 - Dungannon  
21:15 - Enniskillen  
21:30 - Omagh  
**Interview Required:** Yes  
**Course Valid From:** Sep 2019  
**Course Valid to:** Jun 2020

### Overview of the Course
This course is the first step on your journey to a new and rewarding career as an Accounting Technician. The Certificate prepares you to carry out basic accounting tasks in the workplace.

### What you will learn
A solid grounding in business as well as a strong foundation in accountancy and taxation, together with an introduction to business and company law.

### Core Modules
- Financial Accounting
- Taxation
- Law and Ethics
- Business Management

### Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs including Grade C Mathematics and English or 2 AS Levels or 1 A Level or Applied Leaving Certificate. Mature learners who have reached over 21 years but do not possess the minimum educational requirements.

### Additional Information
Students who gain a place on this course must also register as a student member of Accounting Technicians Ireland.

### Assessment
External examination.

### Tuition Fee
£462 plus registration fee. Students must pay their registration fee directly to Accounting Technicians Ireland.

### Progression
Successful completion allows you to progress to the Level 5 Diploma for Accounting Technicians, which, together with two years’ relevant work experience, allows you to become a fully qualified Accounting Technician.

### Total Fees
£610 which includes the registration fee.

### Terms and Conditions
- Students are required to:
  - Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
  - Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
  - The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

- During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.
ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS IRELAND (ATI) LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA FOR ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS

Overview of the Course
This course is for successful completers of the Level 4 Certificate for Accounting Technicians, to bring them to the next level in their accounting studies.

What you will learn
You will progress your studies of Financial Accounting and Taxation and gain a good foundation in Management Accounting, while also developing relevant practical skills in using electronic accounting systems.

Core Modules
- Advanced Taxation.
- Management Accounting.
- Integrated Accounting Systems.

Entry Requirements
Level 5 entry exemptions may be given from ATI directly.

Additional Information
Students who gain a place on this course must also pay their annual subscription as a student member of Accounting Technicians Ireland.

Assessment
External examination.

Tuition Fee
£462 plus registration fee. Students must pay their registration fee directly to Accounting Technicians Ireland.

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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates. Coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Upon successful completion of this course, you can become an Affiliate Member of Accounting Technicians Ireland, and maintain your professional affiliation while you complete the work experience requirements, successful completion of which leads to the status of fully qualified Accounting Technician.

THIS COURSE IS FOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETERS OF THE LEVEL 4 CERTIFICATE FOR ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS, TO BRING THEM TO THE NEXT LEVEL IN THEIR ACCOUNTING STUDIES.
Overview of the Course

ACCA is the global body for professional accountants. Employers know and respect the qualifications and value the skills taught. It is relevant to all areas of accountancy and finance. At SWC, we offer the qualification at two levels – Fundamentals and Professional. To become a qualified accountant, you must also get relevant, supervised practical experience. This proves to employers that you have proven experience and practical skills relevant to the role. You can complete your work experience before, during or after your exams. In order to achieve the complete ACCA Qualification, students have to:

- Complete a maximum of 13 exams, depending on prior experience and qualifications
- Complete an Ethics and Professional Skills module
- Evidence three years of practical work experience within a relevant role.

This means that students can complete the ACCA Qualification in a minimum of three years.

Core Modules

- Exams
  - Applied Knowledge
    - Accountant in Business; Management Accounting; Financial Accounting
  - Applied Skills
    - Corporate and Business Law; Performance Management; Taxation; Financial Reporting; Audit and Assurance; Financial Management

Ethics and Professional Skills Module

Professional accountants need to demonstrate that they understand and can apply ethical and professional behaviour in real-world work situations. They must be capable of doing this in a broader, more complex scenarios where integration of technical and professional skills is key. So in the Ethics and Professional Skills module, you will meet a number of these real-world work scenarios to help you develop your ethical and professional skills.

The module is made up of 7 units. At the end of each Unit 1-6, there will be a series of assessments to embed your learning. Unit 7 is a final assessment and you’ll get a dashboard of your performance in that unit and a transcript and certificate on successful completion of the assessment.

Entry Requirements

The minimum entry requirements are:

- 3 GCSE passes including English and Maths or equivalent.
- Two A Level or equivalent approved qualification at Level 3 including approved Access course

Note: This must be in 5 different subjects. If you have achieved a relevant degree or the Level 5 Diploma for Accounting Technicians, you may be given exemptions on entry.

Entry Requirements for International Students

International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5.

Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment

To achieve the ACCA qualification you must complete exams, an ethics module and practical experience.

- Exams
- Applied Knowledge exams
- Applied Skills exams are available to registered students
- Students will register for the programme and will be charged for individual Applied Skills modules at a cost of £250 per module.

Tuition Fee

Applied Knowledge exams are available to registered students on the Omagh campus at SWC at a cost of £110 per exam.

Progression Diploma in Accounting and Business

If you decide to complete the ACCA qualification, you will be awarded the Diploma in Accounting and Business on your way to completing the ACCA qualification.

What is involved?

You will need to register as a student on the ACCA qualification and complete the Applied Knowledge exams:

- Accountant in Business
- Management Accounting
- Financial Accounting

Plus complete the professionalism and ethics module called Foundations in Professionalism.

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How long will it take to complete?
You can complete Foundations in Professionalism before or after the exams, so you could complete this diploma in 6-12 months.

Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business
If you decide to complete the ACCA qualification, you will be awarded the Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business on your way to completing the ACCA qualification.

What is involved?
You will need to register for the ACCA qualification. When you have completed the Applied Knowledge and the Applied Skills exams, plus the Ethics and Professional Skills module you will be awarded the Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business.

The Applied Skills exams include: Corporate and Business Law; Performance Management; Taxation; Financial Reporting; Audit and Assurance; Financial Management.

How long will it take to complete?
You can complete the Ethics and Professional Skills module after you have taken these exams, allowing you to complete this Advanced Diploma in 12-18 months.

BSc (Hons) degree in Applied Accounting
If you did not study an undergraduate degree course at university, then you can still have the chance to gain a degree while studying to become a qualified accountant with ACCA.

In partnership with Oxford Brookes University, you can work towards achieving your ACCA qualification. It is the perfect way to enhance your ACCA qualification and broaden your skill set.

What is involved?
You will need to register for the ACCA qualification. When you have completed the Applied Knowledge and the Applied Skills exams, plus the Ethics and Professional Skills module you will be awarded the Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business.

The Applied Skills exams include: Corporate and Business Law; Performance Management; Taxation; Financial Reporting; Audit and Assurance; Financial Management.

How long will it take to complete?
You can complete the Ethics and Professional Skills module after you have taken these exams, allowing you to complete this Advanced Diploma in 12-18 months.

Masters in Professional Accountancy
ACCA are the first accountancy body worldwide to offer an integrated master’s programme. Alongside studying for your professional qualification, you can gain a Master’s in Professional Accountancy from the University of London.

You’ll build on the commercial, strategic and creative skills the ACCA Qualification gives you – and develop both academic and professional perspectives that will give you unique opportunities in your career.

Strategic Professional exams: Strategic Business Leader; Strategic Business Reporting (Compulsory) plus 2 optional from the following: Advanced Financial Management; Advanced Performance Management; Advanced Taxation; Advanced Audit and Assurance.

Other Fees Associated with the Course:
You will be required to complete initial registration with ACCA and pay an annual subscription to them. In addition, you will be required to pay for individual exams directly to ACCA and for any exemptions sought. These costs vary annually but a copy of the costs can be attained on www.accaglobal.com.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• Pass all modules in each year of study in order to proceed to the next year of the programme.

*The minimum overall pass mark of 50% is required to be achieved in all modules.

ACCA Connect is your global support service and is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

You can contact Connect by phone, email or webchat and a dedicated member of the Connect team will be on hand to answer your queries at any time of the year.

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ASSOCIATION OF CHARTERED CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANTS (ACCA)

Overview of the Course
ACCA is the global body for professional accountants. Employers know and respect the qualifications and value the skills taught. It is relevant to all areas of accountancy and finance. At SWC we offer the qualification at two levels – Fundamentals and Professional. To become a qualified accountant, you must also get relevant, supervised practical experience. This proves to employers that you have proven experience and practical skills relevant to the role. You can complete your work experience before, during or after your exams.

In order to achieve the complete ACCA Qualification, students have to:
• complete a maximum of 13 exams, depending on prior experience and qualifications
• complete an Ethics and Professional Skills module
• evidence three years of practical work experience within a relevant role. This means that students can complete the ACCA Qualification in a minimum of three years.

Core Modules
Students on completion of the Applied Knowledge and Applied Skills exams will progress onto this course to complete the ACCA qualification. Students will be required to complete the two compulsory modules listed below plus the Practical Experience element and two optional modules.

Strategic Professional Exams
Strategic Business Leader; Strategic Business Reporting

Practical Experience
You will need to complete three years’ relevant practical experience and achieve 13 performance objectives (details of these are available at www.accaglobal.com). The aim of this is to demonstrate that you can apply your knowledge. You must keep a record of your practical experience in your online ‘My Experience’ record once registered with ACCA.

Entry Requirements
Successful completion of the Applied Knowledge, Applied Skills exams and the Ethics and Professional Skills module; Or
Proof of exemptions granted by ACCA.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
To achieve the ACCA qualification you must complete exams, an ethics module and practical experience.


Tuition Fees
Students will register for the programme and will be charged for individual Strategic Professional modules at a cost of £300 per module.

Progression
Diploma in Accounting and Business
If you decide to complete the ACCA qualification, you will be awarded the Diploma in Accounting and Business on your way to completing the ACCA qualification.

What is involved?
You will need to register as a student on the ACCA qualification and complete the

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Applied Knowledge exams:
Accountant in Business; Management Accounting; Financial Accounting, plus complete the professionalism and ethics module called Foundations in Professionalism.

How long will it take to complete?
You can complete Foundations in Professionalism before or after the exams, so you could complete this diploma in 6-12 months.

Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business
If you decide to complete the ACCA qualification, you will be awarded the Advanced Diploma in Accounting and Business on your way to completing the ACCA qualification.

BSc (Hons) degree in Applied Accounting
If you did not study an undergraduate degree course at university, then you can still have the chance to gain a degree while studying to become a qualified accountant with ACCA.

In partnership with Oxford Brooks University, you can work towards achieving your ACCA qualification. It is the perfect way to enhance your ACCA qualification and broaden your skill set.

Students need to:
- pass the ACCA Qualification exams
- pass the Ethics and Professional Skills module
- submit a research and analysis project

Masters in Professional Accountancy
ACCA are the first accountancy body worldwide to offer an integrated master’s programme. Alongside studying for your professional qualification, you can gain a Master’s in Professional Accountancy from the University of London.

You’ll build on the commercial, strategic and creative skills the ACCA Qualification gives you – and develop both academic and professional perspectives that will give you unique opportunities in your career.

 strategic Professional exams: Strategic Business Leader; Strategic Business Reporting (Compulsory) plus 2 optional from the following: Advanced Financial Management; Advanced Performance Management; Advanced Taxation; Advanced Audit and Assurance.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
You will be required to complete initial registration with ACCA and pay an annual subscription to them. In addition, you will be required to pay for individual exams directly to ACCA and for any exemptions sought. These costs vary annually but a copy of the costs can be attained on www.accaglobal.com.

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, online: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE.
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 50% is required to be achieved in all modules.

ACCA Connect is your global support service and is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.
You can contact Connect by phone, email or webchat and a dedicated member of the Connect team will be on hand to answer your queries at any time of the year.

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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 5 HND IN ART AND DESIGN (ARTS PRACTICE)

Overview of the Course
This course’s purpose is to develop students as professional, self-reflective individuals able to meet the demands of employers in creative industries sector and adapt to an ever-changing world. It provides the learner with the opportunity to develop as a Fine Art Practitioner and gain a thorough knowledge and understanding of contemporary practice allowing you to become confident and professional.

What you will learn
A range of 2D and 3D fine art practices namely, drawing processes, painting, printing, ceramics, sculpture, cross disciplinary procedures, history and contextual studies.

During the first year of the HND students will undertake a creative industries placement—an opportunity which undoubtedly enhances the student’s chances of employment in the industry.

There is also an international field trip where students have the valuable experience of researching first hand other artists, designers and practitioners.

Core Modules
- Professional Practice
- Contextual Studies
- Individual Project (Pearson-set)
- Techniques and Processes
- Media Practices
- Material Practices
- Art/Craft Production
- Applied Practice – Collaborative Project (Pearson – set)
- Advanced Art Practice Studies

Optional Modules
- Printmaking
- Art Direction
- Ceramic Design
- Creative Industries Placement

Entry Requirements
- Foundation Diploma in Art and Design.
- 4 GCSEs grade A* - C including Maths and English (C or above or equivalent qualification).
- Subject to interview (with an art portfolio).

Additional Information
This course will expose you to some of the most contemporary practices inclusive of digital multimedia and fabrication. You will also have the opportunity to exhibit to the public.

Assessment
Students will be expected to complete examinations in a range of subjects and to complete assessment material for all modules. Knowledge of practical procedures will be assessed through practical exercises.

Tuition Fee
£610 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
You can progress into a relevant degree programme at university with exemption of year 1 and year 2 in some cases, or seek employment opportunities in this field.

DURING THE FIRST YEAR OF THE HND STUDENTS WILL UNDERTAKE A CREATIVE INDUSTRIES PLACEMENT
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 4
HNC IN ART & DESIGN
(PHOTOGRAPHY OR GRAPHIC DESIGN)

Overview of the Course
The Photography & Graphic Design Higher Education Pathway at South West College is taught within the Pearson BTEC HNC/D Art and Design RQF Level 4 Specification, and is a 2-year course split into two 1 year elements.

The HNC/D Photography & Graphic Design is a unique commercially driven course with an exciting blend of employer engagement, industry collaboration and contemporary design projects. The course is designed to produce industry-ready graduates who can think and execute design solutions across the range of print and digital formats.

This client and project-led course will teach you the elements of visual design for both web and print delivery. You will work on creative live briefs to ensure you have practical experience of the design processes.

What you will learn
You will study a variety of units during this two year period including Digital Technology, Branding, Digital Photography, Motion Graphics, Advertising Photography and Fashion Photography. A typical unit within the course will consist of initial research, experimentation, generating ideas for a brief, developing ideas, presenting ideas to a client, using client feedback to refine ideas, and presenting a final outcome in response to a brief. Each unit is designed to be delivered as a project, based on commercial outcomes driven by real clients.

Studying with us will offer you the opportunity to be part of a creative community where you can reflect on and react to the changing nature of your discipline, and develop an individual confidence in undertaking any visual based problem.

You will begin your Graphic Design and Photographic journey by being introduced to the Adobe Range of Industry Standard softwares, and will be expected to build upon these skills throughout the course. A series of industry talks and educational and team building visits are conducted over the 2-year period to allow you to develop your commercial awareness and allow for informed decision making at the point of exit.

Core Modules
Year 1 HNC Core Modules.
- UNIT 1 Professional Development (15)
- UNIT 2 Contextual Studies (15)
- UNIT 3 Individual Project (Pearson Set 1) (15)
- UNIT 4 Techniques & Processes (15)
- UNIT 10 Lighting for Photography (15)
- UNIT 11 Photographic Practices (15)
- UNIT 14 Graphic Design Practices (15)
- UNIT 31 Visual Narratives (15)
- Total Level 4 Credits 120

Entry Requirements
- A BTEC Level 3 qualification in Art and Design over 32 UCAS points.
- A GCE Advanced Level profile that demonstrates strong performance in a relevant subject or adequate performance in more than one GCE subject.
- This profile is likely to be supported by GCSE grades at A* to C and/or 7 to 4 (or equivalent).
- Other related Level 3 qualifications over 32 UCAS points
- An Access to Higher Education Diploma awarded by an approved further education institution.
- A BTEC Foundation Diploma in Art and Design.
- Related work experience.
- An international equivalent of the above.
- We will also consider applicants’ prior learning when considering their acceptance on a BTEC Higher Nationals, through Recognition of Prior Learning.
- All applications will need to be supported by a recent portfolio of work and each applicant will be interviewed.

Assessment
Assessment is through practical projects, where students tackle a range of client-initiated briefs, design competitions, and studio projects. The curriculum mixes research, problem-solving and teamwork skills with theory and practice in areas such as typography, colour, layout, publishing, and creative advertising. This will include the production of 2D and 3D work with accompanying sketchbooks and written work. This will culminate in a final major project and end-of-the-year show. There are no formal examinations.

Tuition Fee
£575 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The BTEC Level 4 HNC Diploma in Art & Design offers a progression route for learners to further study on a BTEC Level 5 HND Diploma in Art & Design. On successful completion of the course students may also progress to other universities to complete their degree, usually being accepted onto their second or third year dependent on portfolio, interview and satisfactory completion of the course.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
DIGITAL ARTS AND TECHNOLOGIES
(FILM MAKING, ANIMATION, CGI, PHOTOGRAPHY, SOUND DESIGN)

Overview of the Course
This programme provides learners with optional modules in Creative Arts, Animation and Media Production. Cert HE Digital Arts and Technologies exit award also available. The programme comprises seven compulsory modules, five at Level 4 and two at Level 5, including a 40 credit point Work Based Learning module, totalling 130 credits of study with the remaining 110 credits of study achieved through Learner’s chosen options.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.

Core modules include:
• Visual Aesthetics;
• Media, Culture and Society;
• Sound Design;
• Introduction to Digital Film Making;
• Introduction to Digital Photography;
• Digital Video Editing and Post Production;

Optional Modules
• Animation Project;
• Computer Game Engines;
• Creative Presentation for Industry;
• Digital Audio Production;
• Digital Audio Project;
• Digital Compositing;
• Documentary Film;
• Introduction to Digital Animation;
• Radio Production;
• and Studio Photography.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 32 UCAS tariff points (80 in old UCAS points). In the event of over-subscription entry criteria may be enhanced.

Minimum of 4 GCSEs grade C or above or equivalent. Students will be required to have GCSE English in order to articulate to the designated honours degree programme.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects including placement as part of the Work Based Learning module in year 2.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On progression successful Learners may progress directly to employment or may opt to continue their studies by progressing to Year 2 of BA Honours Degree in Screen Media (Belfast). Successful Learners may also transfer to other universities to complete an Honours degree in a similar subject.
**Overview of the Course**
The management role covers a broad range of work activities in a variety of contexts, most of which are complex and non-routine. Managers, at this level, play an integral role in supporting organisational objectives through a range of functions, including:

- Leadership;
- Business Planning;
- Project Management;
- Business Finance;
- Marketing;
- Supporting and Developing Staff;
- Managing Business Compliance;
- and Managing Customer Service.

The qualification assignments are specifically contextualised for the automotive environment. This contextualisation aids the learners’ ability to retain information and apply their knowledge effectively. The qualification also provides a broad overview of the workplace, especially in areas such as organisational structures.

**What you will learn**
You will also complete laboratory work to help prepare you for employment or enhance the skills you already have. Along with the vocational skills you will also develop employability skills through workshops such as teamwork, innovation and problem solving.

**Core Modules**
- Information Computer Technology for Automotive Operations
- Leadership in the Retail Automotive Industry
- Recruitment, Selection and Reward
- Business Planning in the Retail Automotive Industry
- Customer Service and Quality in Automotive Retail Operations
- Marketing the Retail Motor Business
- Managing Automotive Business Compliance
- Managing Automotive Service and Workshop Organisations

**Entry Requirements**
Candidates should hold a Level 3 vocational qualification or equivalent; have Grade C or equivalent in English and Maths; be currently employed within the Motor Vehicle Industry and ideally working in a middle manager’s role.

**Assessment**
This qualification has rigorous written assignments and online tests to ensure critical aspects of the learner’s knowledge and skills are addressed. Assignments are specifically contextualised for the automotive environment.

**Tuition Fee**
£373 plus IMIAL registration fee.

**Terms and Conditions**
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

**Progression**
This qualification provides Learners with the knowledge and understanding to progress to higher levels of management within the motor vehicle industry. Learners may also progress to a Foundation Degree or Honours Degree in Management.

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NOCN L4 3D CAD / BIM / REVIT

Overview of the Course

This course is aimed at those who would benefit from a knowledge of BIM software, in this case Autodesk Revit. Students learn through hands on activities, and tutor led practical demonstrations of the software in use.

Students typically create a 3-D architectural model of a chosen project which can be used not only for rendering and animation purposes, but also to create working drawings and enable collaborative working on a project.

BIM is fast becoming the industry standard and the basic knowledge gained through completion of this course ensures students maintain an edge in the market.

What you will learn

Students will focus on the practical use of the package, with all the functions needed to create a usable model of their chosen building. There will be an opportunity to investigate the emergence of BIM software and implications for the sector.

Core Modules

• Understand the structure of a BIM project.
• Understand the BIM platform.
• Understand creation of objects, using Revit work in a 3-D space.
• Develop Project Drawings.

Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements, however, students are expected to have a good knowledge of CAD, and interest or experience in the construction sector.

Additional Information

This course will expose you to some of the most contemporary practices inclusive of digital multimedia and fabrication.

You will also have the opportunity to exhibit to the public.

Terms and Conditions

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

STUDENTS TYPICALLY CREATE A 3-D ARCHITECTURAL MODEL OF A CHOSEN PROJECT WHICH CAN BE USED NOT ONLY FOR RENDERING AND ANIMATION PURPOSES, BUT ALSO TO CREATE WORKING DRAWINGS AND ENABLE COLLABORATIVE WORKING ON A PROJECT.
Overview of the Course
This course is designed to provide you with the opportunity to up-skill/re-skill in the use of modern digital land surveying equipment and techniques suitable for a career in Construction/Civil Engineering and Architecture. It is designed as a practical introduction to digital surveying hardware and software, creating cutting-edge technical skills and knowledge necessary for the modern construction industry.

What you will learn
Students will carry-out a range of typical surveying tasks and in doing so will learn to:
- Apply key engineering theories, principles and processes to the operation of surveying instruments as used in the civil engineering industry.
- Describe the common techniques, methods and procedures used in surveying and setting out.
- Plan surveying tasks effectively to meet specified criteria and to make informed design decisions.
- Use mathematical methods and/or computer software to assist with the solution of surveying and setting out problems.
- Effectively carry out various practical surveying tasks and basic setting out.
- Reproduce in graphical form information recorded from the surveys using CAD or other design software.
- Communicate results from the surveys effectively and produce a graphical representation of the survey information.

Core Modules
- Control Frameworks
- Post Processing
- Setting-out
- Survey Equipment
- Linear Measurement
- Angular Measurement
- Vertical Control

Entry Requirements
Learners should have a working knowledge of basic land surveying equipment and techniques applied generally in the construction industry.

Assessment
A submitted assignment comprising of evidence of participation in practical activities, the ability to utilise modern surveying equipment and manipulate software, booking sheets, calculations, scale drawings and plan drawings. Students will also be observed throughout the module to ensure they are competent at using the equipment accurately and effectively.

Tuition Fee
£181

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The programme is designed to lead on to a NOCN Level 5 Course in Advanced Digital Surveying covering GPS/GIS, Autonomous Drone Technologies and 3D Computer modelling/3D Printing (currently under development). Successful learners can also apply for a range of other construction related programmes of study in the college.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE YOU WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO UP-SKILL/RE-SKILL IN THE USE OF MODERN DIGITAL LAND SURVEYING EQUIPMENT AND TECHNIQUES SUITABLE FOR A CAREER IN CONSTRUCTION/CIVIL ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE.
PASSIVE HOUSE DESIGNER (CEPH)

Overview of the Course
This course is designed to prepare students for the Passive House Institute Certified European PassivHaus Designer’s (CEPH) exam. It is appropriate for construction industry professionals and contractors.

What you will learn
Using our Passive House building, air tightness, MVHR units and accredited materials, students will gain practical experience in the Passive House discipline. This will be coupled with knowledge of accredited materials, products, SketchUP and PHPP softwares.

Core Modules
1. Introduction to the Passive House Standard.
2. The thermal envelope.
8. Thermal imaging and modelling.
9. Site supervision and quality assurance.
10. Revision and exam preparation.

Entry Requirements
A degree in a construction related discipline. Mature candidates will be assessed on an individual basis.

Additional Information
The course is delivered by qualified Passive House Designers and Trainers who have a range of construction industry experience. We have a wide range of facilities such as demonstration models of air tightness and MVHR units to demonstrate the practical aspects of the course and accredited materials and products for familiarization. We have licensed PHPP software and the SketchUp Designer plugin from the Passive House Institute for use during the course in the PHPP unit.

Assessment
This course culminates in a 3 hour PHI externally set exam, which leads to Certified Designer/Consultant.

Tuition Fee
£700 plus examination fee £250.

USING OUR PASSIVE HOUSE BUILDING, AIR TIGHTNESS, MVHR UNITS AND ACCREDITED MATERIALS, STUDENTS WILL GAIN PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE IN THE PASSIVE HOUSE DISCIPLINE.
PEARSON BTEC HND BUILDING SERVICES

Overview of the Course

Embracing upon the study of Construction and Building Services can open a wide variety of career choices, for example, a career path that can lead you into Project Management, Building Surveying, mechanical, electrical or a renewable engineering aspect of a building’s envelope. Construction and Building Services Engineers also have a growing role in the deployment of renewable energy systems, sustainability and energy efficiency in buildings. You will be playing a key role in delivering a low carbon environment, which may aid in combating climate change or fossil fuel depletion.

Pearson BTEC Higher Nationals in Construction and the Built Environment have been developed to focus on:
- A common core of study applicable to the construction, building services and built environment sector.
- A choice of optional specialist curriculum studies appropriate to the main career disciplines within construction, building services engineering and civil engineering.
- A flexible approach to curriculum content within a nationally recognised framework.
- Changing training and educational needs relevant to construction, building services engineering and civil engineering disciplines.

What you will learn

During your studies you will be exposed to a number of construction, building services, energy and building management systems units. As part of the course you will have the opportunity to work independently and as part of a team which are key skills required in the industry.

You will cover the key skill areas to ensure you can integrate into a number of the areas within the Built Environment Industry. The modules listed below demonstrate the wide range of units on offer.

Core Modules

The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.
- Level 4: Individual Project (Pearson-set).
- Construction Technology.
- Science and Materials.
- Construction Practice and Management.
- Mathematics for Construction.
- Principles of Heating Services Design and Installation.
- Principles of Ventilation and Air-conditioning.
- Design and Installation.

Optional Modules


Entry Requirements

5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent to include English and Mathematics.

Level 3 Qualification:
- BTEC Diploma/Extended Diploma, A Levels or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.
- Relevant subjects – science/technology.
- APEL for mature students.

Assessment

Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Tuition Fee

£610 Year 1 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

On successful completion of the Level 3 Higher National Diploma, students can develop their careers in the relevant industry or alternatively students would be able to progress to a range of university courses for top up to degree level. This is evidenced on university course websites where HND/D progression is clearly articulated for a range of Construction and Building Services related degree programmes.

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Awarding Body: Pearson
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 30 per year
Year of Study: 2 Years
Mode of Study and Duration: Part-time - 2 Years
Day: TBC
Start Time: TBC
End Time: TBC
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid to: September 2021
Entry Requirements:
- 5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.
- Relevant subjects – science/technology.
- APEL for mature students.

Terms and Conditions
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- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
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EMBARKING UPON THE STUDY OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING AND ENERGY CAN OPEN A WIDE VARIETY OF CAREER CHOICES

Overview of the Course

Embracing upon the study of Architectural Engineering and Energy can open a wide variety of career choices, for example, a career path that can lead you into a mechanical, electrical or a renewable engineering aspect of a building’s envelope. Building Services Engineers also have a growing role in the deployment of renewable energy systems, sustainability and energy efficiency in buildings. You will be playing a key role in delivering a low carbon environment, which may aid in combating climate change or fossil fuel depletion.

What you will learn

The core subjects forming a basis for Architectural Engineering & Energy will be covered in year 1 to allow students to enter work placement with substantial knowledge in the industry. These core modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics and structures. All learners will have the opportunity to use industry standard software including BIM and Revit. Group projects and practical assessment will form an integral part of the assessment in year 1. The work-based learning module involves securing a placement in the Building Services and Energy industries.

Core Modules

Year 1
- Building Fabric & Energy Conservation
- 2D CADD
- Renewable Energy Technologies
- Mathematics
- Environmental Science & Comfort
- Building Services Design & Retrofit
- Structures
- 3D CADD & BIM Basics

Year 2
- Work-based Learning
- Industrial Project and Entrepreneurship
- Design for Sustainable Services (Commercial)
- Mathematics for Engineers
- Project Management and Contract Administration
- Micro Generation for Renewable Technologies.

Entry Requirements

48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS Points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.

*Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Assessment

Assessment will be carried out via a variety of assessment methods which includes

- the use of coursework assignments, class tests, practical assessments, end of module examinations, group activities and professional presentations to an industrial panel.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

On successful completion, and depending on performance, you may progress to Year 2 of the following courses in Ulster University, with exemption from the placement Year 3.

- BEng Hons Architectural Engineering
- BSc Hons Energy

You may also transfer to other universities to complete your degree.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Course Code: EXC50038
Session Code: TOP1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon, Enniskillen, Omagh
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45
Year of Study: 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration: Part-time - 2 Years (3 Semesters)
Day: TBC
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid to: Jun 2021
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Overview of the Course
This course is designed to prepare learners for a career in Civil Engineering and related industries at higher technician level. It will provide learners with specific practical and professional skills in analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communication. The course also aims to prepare learners to progress to Honours Degree level study or directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee.

What you will learn
The core subjects forming a basis for civil engineering will be covered in Year 1. These include structural mechanics, soil mechanics, fluid mechanics and highway engineering. These core modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics, science and materials, IT, surveying, civil engineering design and CAD. All learners will have the opportunity to use digital surveying equipment and industry-standard software. Group projects form an integral part of the assessment for the Highways module in Year 1 and the Environmental Engineering project module in Year 2. The work-based learning module involves securing a work placement in the civil engineering industry.

Core Modules
- Infrastructure Engineering Practice and Design 1
- Surveying 1
- Mathematics and Structures
- Environmental Science and Materials
- Fluid Mechanics and Water Resources
- IT and Professional Development
- CAD for Civil Engineers
- Highway and Transportation Engineering
- Work-based Learning
- Introductory Geology and Soil Mechanics
- Digital Surveying
- Infrastructure Engineering Practice and Design 2
- Business Management, Law and Engineering Contract
- Environmental Engineering Project
- Mathematics for Engineers

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GSCE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.

Assessment
Learners will be assessed by coursework, examinations or a combination of both. Coursework assignments will include practical activities, laboratory experiments, live projects and group presentations. Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Graduates may (subject to performance) progress to BEng/MEng (Hons) Degree in Civil Engineering or BSc (Hons) Civil Engineering (Geoinformatics). Exemptions may also be given for entry onto the BSc (Hons) Construction Engineering and Management. These programmes are offered at Ulster University, Jordanstown. Learners may take up employment in the private sector with civil engineering consultants, contractors or specialists or in the public sector in government departments.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING WITH SURVEYING

Course Code: EXC50046
Session Code: TDP1A TEP1A T0P1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon, Enniskillen, Omagh
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45
Year of Study: 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration: Part-time 2 Years, 3 Semesters
Day: TBC
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid to: Jun 2022
Contact: Omagh - Dr Danielle McKelvey
Danielle.McKelvey@swc.ac.uk
028 8225 0109 Ext 5206
Enniskillen - Stephen Moss
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028 8225 0109 Ext 2232

Overview of the Course
This course is designed to prepare you for a career in Construction Engineering and Surveying - building, land and quantity surveying, through gaining cutting edge technical skills and knowledge necessary for the modern Construction Industry. It will provide you with specific practical and professional skills, analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communications. The course aims to leave you equally prepared to progress to complete your Honours Degree, to directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee, or to start your own business.

What you will learn
The course subjects form a broad basis for Construction Engineering. Subjects include CADD, BIM basics, measurement, law, project management and surveying. These modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics, materials and comfort. A Group project will form an integral part of the assessment where students will take a chosen project from inception through to completion.

Core Modules
During the course you will have the opportunity to study:
- Construction Technology 1
- Mathematics
- 2D CADD
- Surveying Technology
- Materials and Comfort
- BIM Basics
- Structures
- Introduction to Construction Measurement
- Work-based Learning
- Law & Contract
- Maintenance & Adaptation
- Site Management
- Construction Economics
- Project Development
- Construction Technology 2

Modules are subject to change under revalidation.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 48 UCAS points; GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or above or University approved equivalent. In the event of over subscription, entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out via a variety of assessment methods. These will include: coursework assignments and end of module examinations as well as group activities and professional presentations. You will also be assessed in the workplace as part of your industrial placement.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of this course and depending on performance, students can apply for entry to Year 2 of the following Ulster University Honours degree programmes:
- BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management.
- BSc Hons Building Surveying.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

Course Code : EXC50041
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Campus Location : Dungannon
Enniskillen Omagh
Level : No. Weeks : 30 weeks per year
Year of Study : 3 Years
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time (One day per week)
Day : TBC
Start Time : TBC
End Time : TBC
Contact Course Co-ordinator (during term time) : Dungannon - Marina Malcolm
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Omagh - Avis Brunt
Avis.Brunt@swc.ac.uk 084 5603 1881 Ext 5714
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 084 5603 1881

Overview of the Course
This qualification provides the perfect foundation for your successful career in business management in the private or public sector. The Foundation Degree in Business Management focuses on developing your knowledge, skills and abilities to secure a management position in a business. The modules taken include:

- Academic and Career Enhancement Skills
- Principles of Management
- Principles of Marketing
- Principles of Accounting
- Principles of Economics
- Foundations of Entrepreneurship
- Organisational Behaviour and Change
- Global Business Environment
- Finance for Decision Making
- Marketing Management
- Work Based Learning
There is a strong focus on industry engagement, with live projects and industry visits.

Core Modules
Modules focus on equipping Learners with the skills, knowledge and abilities to prepare you for a range of careers in business such as Management, Marketing, Finance and Economics. Learners are supported to be entrepreneurial in their outlook to reflect local and regional economic needs.

Optional Modules
Not applicable.

Entry Requirements
Range 64-72 UCAS points, four GCSE passes to include English and Maths at grade C (or equivalent), or equivalent approved qualification at Level 3. Refer to general entry requirements

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Testing knowledge, understanding and application to industry will principally be through work-based assessment, practical reports, oral and written submissions and formal examinations.

Tuition Fees
£250 per module.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40%, in all modules as per UU regulations.

Progression
The programme offers progression to:
Part time Ulster University BSc Hons in Business (delivered at South West College); Ulster University’s BSc (Hons) Business with Specialisms full-time or part-time at Magee College, or other degrees at Ulster University. More options are available through the UCAS or CAO system.
A range of careers in business such as marketing, finance, administration, purchasing and management, with a specific emphasis on meeting local and regional needs.
Overview of the Course
This qualification is designed for project managers, department heads and other practising middle managers, helping them to develop their skills and experience, improve performance and prepare for senior management responsibilities. The qualifications are made up of a broad range of units covering skills in six core areas:
- achieving results
- facilitating innovation and change
- managing yourself and personal skills
- providing direction
- using resources
- working with people
The flexibility in unit choice allows the qualification to be tailored to meet the needs of the learners and employer with over 50 units available to choose from.

Core Modules
Semester One
September - January
- Understanding the organisational culture and context
- Assessing your own leadership capability and performance
- Managing Individual Development
- Developing and Leading Teams to achieve organisational goals and objectives
Semester Two
January – May
- Understanding the skills principles and practices of effective coaching and mentoring
- Leading Innovation and Change
- Managing Stress and Conflict in the organisation
- Developing Mental Toughness
- Making professional presentations

Optional Modules
Not applicable.

Entry Requirements
Participants will be either practising or aspiring middle managers with experience to meet the assessment demands and have a background that will enable them to benefit from the programme. Learners with experience in project management will also be considered. An interview is required prior to entry on this programme.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Knowledge, understanding and application of theory to industry will be principally assessed through written assignments, presentations and professional discussion. There are no formal exams.

Tuition Fees
TBC. Contact Admissions for further information.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Other Costs
- Additional costs incurred to support your studies may include costs for printing, photocopying text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding.
- The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- Pass all modules in each year of study in order to proceed to the next year of the programme.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Learners could progress to the ILM L5 Diploma or any other suitable relevant qualification.
# ILM LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

## Overview of the Course

This qualification is designed for project managers, department heads, and other practising middle managers to develop skills and experience, improve your performance and prepare for senior management responsibilities. The qualification is made up of a broad range of units covering skills in six core areas:

- Achieving Results;
- Facilitating Innovation and Change;
- Managing Yourself and Personal Skills;
- Providing Direction;
- Using Resources;
- Working with Learners.

The flexibility in unit choice allows the qualification to be tailored to meet the needs of the Learners and the employer with over 50 units available to choose from.

**What you will learn**

Students will learn how to develop their ability to lead, motivate and inspire. Use core management techniques to drive better results, provide strategic leadership as well as day-to-day management. Benchmark their managerial capability and raise their professional profile within the organisation.

**Core Modules**

Examples of modules delivered:

- Assessing your own Leadership Capability and Performance;
- Developing and Leading Teams to Achieve Organisational Goals and Objectives;
- Leading Innovation and Change;
- Making a Professional Presentation;
- Managing Individual Development;
- Managing Stress and Conflict in the Organisation;
- Solving Problems and Making Effective Decisions;
- Understanding the Organisational Culture and Context;
- and Understanding the Skills, Principles and Practices of Effective Coaching and Mentoring.

**Additional Information**

The benefits for Learners and employers include using core management techniques to drive better results and encouraging strategic thinking to foster business improvement. Engage middle managers with training and development – this qualification is designed to provide clear, measurable benefits to career-minded professionals.

**Assessment**

Knowledge, understanding and application to industry will be principally assessed through written assignments, presentations and professional discussions. There are no formal examinations.

**Tuition Fee**

£305 plus £134 ILM registration fee.

**Entry Requirements**

Participants will either be practising or aspiring middle managers with experience to meet the assessment demands and have a background that will enable them to benefit from the programme.

**Progression**

Learners could progress to the ILM Level 7 Diploma or any other suitable relevant qualification.

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**Interview Required**: Yes

**Course Valid From**: Sep 2019

**Course Valid to**: Jun 2020

**Contact Course Co-ordinator (during term time)**: Dungannon & Omagh - Rosemary Carson Rosemary.Carson@swc.ac.uk 028 8225 0109 Ext 3313

Enniskillen - Clare Donohoe Clare.Donohoe@swc.ac.uk 028 8225 0109 Ext 2246

**Terms and Conditions**

- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

**Progression**

Learners could progress to the ILM Level 7 Diploma or any other suitable relevant qualification.
ILM LEVEL 7 LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

Course Title: ILM Level 7 Award in Leadership and Management
QAN: 601/5286/2
ILM Level 7 Certificate in Leadership and Management
QAN: 601/2510/X
ILM Level 7 Diploma in Leadership and Management
QAN: 601/2511/1

Course Code:
Award 601/5286/2
Certificate 601/2510/X
Diploma 601/2511/1

Awarding Body: Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM)

Campus Location: Enniskillen

Level: 4/5
No. Weeks: 30 (per year for 3 year programme)
(3 semesters per year for 2 year programme)
Day: TBC
Start Time: TBC
End Time: TBC

Contact Course Co-ordinator (during term time):
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Enniskillen - Clare Donohoe
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Overview of the Course
These qualifications are designed to enable existing and aspiring senior managers, who recognise they must satisfy various stakeholders and want to invest in their own personal brand, to create organisational and personal impact through high level engagement with practice, innovation and critical thinking, underpinned by practical and applied research and the application of theoretical frameworks.

The Award in Leadership and Management consists of one, flexible, mandatory unit that allows the learner to identify and work on the areas of leadership and management development specific to their own work context and of particular interest and relevance.

The Certificate in Leadership and Management consists of one, flexible, mandatory unit.

The Diploma in Leadership and Management consists of two additional mandatory units. The first focuses on presenting arguments for change, constructing business cases and leading change implementation, the second on the creation and maintenance of high performance cultures.

Mode of Study and Duration
A detailed induction will be provided and delivery will be via blended learning, with workshops and one-to-one coaching/mentoring tutorial sessions. The programme requires the learner to be a member of an online learning community in their area of practice.

Total Qualification Time
Award: 100 hours
Certificate: 200 hours
Diploma: 600 hours

Entry Requirements
Successful completion of these qualifications can lead to a range of progression options including the following:
- Level 7 Certificate in Leadership and Management
- Level 7 Diploma in Leadership and Management
- Entry onto university Masters programmes
- Eligibility for ILM Fellowship.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.
English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Criterio assessment applies to all units within this qualification (i.e. the learner must adequately evidence each assessment criterion).

Tuition Fee
Award: TBA
Certificate: TBA
Diploma: TBA

Progression
Successful completion of these qualifications can lead to a range of progression options including the following:
- Level 7 Certificate in Leadership and Management
- Level 7 Diploma in Leadership and Management
- Entry onto university Masters programmes
- Eligibility for ILM Fellowship

* The Diploma provides one third of the credit value towards a Masters qualification. Please check entry requirements directly with university.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

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Overview of the Course
This Diploma is aimed at those working with children and young people from 0-19 years, concentrating on Early Years Practice. The qualification meets the minimum standards for managing Child Care settings as set out in DHSSPS Child-minding and Day Care (Children under 12). It is designed to guide and assess the development of knowledge and skills including those relating to leading teams and managing resources within children and young people’s settings.

What you will learn
This qualification has been designed to:
- provide a broad understanding of the children and young people’s sector and to develop and enhance the practical skills and knowledge required;
- enable learners to make an informed assessment of their own aptitude for work in this sector and to make informed decisions about careers;
- encourage learners to reach a level of knowledge and skills that will facilitate progress into further vocational learning or to potential employment in the sector;
- encourage learners to value continued learning and remain in the learning process;
- allow learners to learn, develop and practice selected skills required for progression in the sector;
- provide an opportunity to develop knowledge and skills that will aid progression to a management role for those practitioners who wish to follow this career pathway.

Core Modules
You must achieve a minimum of 90 credits from mandatory and optional units delivered over two years to pass this qualification. These include:
- Support Children’s Care, Learning and Development in the Early Years;
- Understand Children and Young Person’s Development;
- Lead Practice that Supports Positive Outcomes;
- Develop and Implement Policies and Procedures to Support Safeguarding;
- Professional Practice in Children’s Care, Learning and Development;
- Work in Partnership in Children and Young People’s Settings;
- Promote Professional Development;
- Use and Develop Systems that Promote Communication;
- Lead and Manage a Team within a Children and Young People’s Setting.

Entry Requirements
This qualification is for senior practitioners who are Managers, Deputy Managers or Assistant Managers working in Early Years settings or Children and Young People’s settings. To be eligible you must hold a minimum Level 3 qualification in Childcare or have extensive experience working with children. Preference will be given to those who have GCSE English and Maths or equivalent. Students will be expected to achieve this by the end of the course if they do not already have it.

Assessment
The primary assessment method for this competence-based qualification will take place in the workplace under real work conditions, using observations and professional discussion by a qualified assessor and/or testimony from an expert witness. A portfolio of evidence will provide written evidence for assignments, self-reflective accounts and the implementation of new programmes within the setting.

Tuition Fee
Year 1 £1130, Year 2 £947 which includes the City & Guilds registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
This course provides for progression in your employment or into Higher Education. This course meets the minimum standards for managing Childcare settings as set out in DHSSPS Child-minding and Day Care (Children under 12).
QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES

Overview of the Course
The Foundation Degree will provide you with the opportunity to develop a thorough knowledge and understanding of early years and related issues, enabling you to become a competent and well qualified Early Years Practitioner. The Foundation Degree will give you a nationally recognised qualification and evidence of your ability to work in the Early Years sector. You will also have the chance to articulate to Level 2 (Semester 2, Year 2) BA Early Childhood Studies at Stranmillis and South West College, Omagh Campus.

What you will learn
This course will provide you with the necessary knowledge and skills needed to pursue a career as an Early Years Practitioner.

Core Modules
This part-time programme will be run over 3 years and will consist of 7.5 hours per week in College and a 10 hour per week work placement.

Optional Modules
You will study one optional module in each academic year. These are:
- Shared Perspectives of the Young Child
- Working with Babies

Additional Information:
Enhanced Access NI disclosure is required and costs £33. During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Entry Requirements
Applicants must meet the general requirement of Queen's University Belfast including English and Maths GCSE at grade C or above (level 2 in Communication Skills is acceptable in lieu of GCSE grade C in English Language; however, level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Mathematics) and one of the following:
- BTEC Diploma in Early Years, NVQ Level 3 Equivalent, Access Course at 55%. Leaving Certificate English and Maths at grade C or above (level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Mathematics) and one of the following:
  - BTEC Diploma in Early Years, NVQ Level 3 Equivalent, Access Course at 55%. Leaving Certificate English and Maths at grade C or above (level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Mathematics) and one of the following:
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Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Assessment
Assessment methods include assignments, case studies, practical exercises, presentations, examinations and placement assessments.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

Progression
You may progress to the BA (Hons) Early Childhood Studies programme, also offered at the Omagh Campus of SWC. Please note that progression to a postgraduate teaching qualification in Northern Ireland requires Learners to have GCSE English, Maths and Science at grade C or above or specified equivalent qualifications.

Part-time Learners applying must complete the following:
- ECS - Employment History, ECS - Reference and Application Form.

Course Code: EXC50003
Session Code: HEPT1A (Enniskillen) HDPT1A (Omagh)
Awarding Body: Queen's University
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 30 per year
Year of Study: 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration: Part-time - 3 Years
Day: Tuesday - Enniskillen Monday - Omagh
Start Time: 13.30
End Time: 17.00
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid to: May 2022
Contact Course Co-Ordinator: Enniskillen - Rebecca Boylan Rebecca.Boylan@swc.ac.uk 028 8225 0109
Omagh - Breidge McGuigan Breidge.McGuigan@swc.ac.uk Tel. 028 8225 0109

Additional Information:
Enhanced Access NI disclosure is required and costs £33. During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for photocopying, binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Entry Requirements
Applicants must meet the general requirement of Queen's University Belfast including English and Maths GCSE at grade C or above (level 2 in Communication Skills is acceptable in lieu of GCSE grade C in English Language; however, level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Mathematics) and one of the following:
- BTEC Diploma in Early Years, NVQ Level 3 CCLD/two A Levels/equivalent, Access Course at 55%. Leaving Certificate English and Maths at grade C or above (level 2 Application of Number cannot be substituted for GCSE Mathematics) and one of the following:

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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Assessment
Assessment methods include assignments, case studies, practical exercises, presentations, examinations and placement assessments.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

Progression
You may progress to the BA (Hons) Early Childhood Studies programme, also offered at the Omagh Campus of SWC. Please note that progression to a postgraduate teaching qualification in Northern Ireland requires Learners to have GCSE English, Maths and Science at grade C or above or specified equivalent qualifications.

Part-time Learners applying must complete the following:
- ECS - Employment History, ECS - Reference and Application Form.
QUEEN’S UNIVERSITY
BA (HONS) IN EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES

Overview of the Course
This is a four year part-time course aimed at those interested in a career in Early Years. The theoretical training establishes and develops the skills necessary to cope with the challenges of supporting, caring for and educating young children in a professional environment. A work based element forms an integral part of the degree and graduates will be highly qualified with a sound, practical and theoretical training. Applications must be made to Stranmillis before 1st March on year of entry.

What you will learn
This course will provide you with the necessary knowledge and skills needed to pursue a career as an Early Years Practitioner.

Core Modules
The BA (Hons) Degree in Early Childhood Studies is based on the concept of 'Educare'. It aims to both investigate and further advance a multi-professional approach within the Early Years services in Northern Ireland and beyond. The modules offered will address broad areas such as:
- Understanding the Child;
- The Child in the Learning Context;
- and The Child in the Family and Community.

Specific modules include:
- Childhood in Society;
- Support Children’s Health and well-being;
- Foundation in Social and Developmental Learning;
- Child Development;
- Children’s Learning Intentions;
- Early Years Curriculum;
- Management, Leadership and Professionalism;
- Research Methods;
- Partnership with Children and Families;
- International Perspectives; and Dissertation.

Optional Modules
Examples of optional units studied include:
- Current Issues;
- Advanced Social and Developmental Learning;
- and Advanced Understanding of Diversity and Inclusion.

Entry Requirements
Applicants must meet the minimum admission requirements of:
- 4 GCSEs at Grade C (including English Language and Mathematics) and 3 GCE; A levels at Grades BBB (relevant subject required) or Grades BBB in VCE A Level / totaling 18 units (relevant subject required)

Alternative qualifications:
- Level 3 Diploma Children’s Care Learning and Development;
- Access or HND qualifications.

Opportunities for articulation arrangements are available for Learners who have completed a Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies.

Assessment
Learners will be assessed using a variety of assessment methods including:
- Reflective Practice Portfolio (RPP);
- Examinations;
- Presentations;
- Practical;
- Seminars;
- Reflective Diaries/Logs;
- and Reports.

Tuition Fee
£275 per module.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The degree provides the essential knowledge and experience for those working with young children in a variety of establishments and contexts. Graduates can pursue further study at both Postgraduate Diploma and Master’s level in the fields of Early Childhood Studies, Play Therapy and provides a foundation for entry to postgraduate study to gain qualified teacher status, including the Post-Graduate Certificate in Education (Early Years).

Course Code : EXC60004
Session Code : HOP1A
Awarding Body : Queen’s University
Campus Location : Omagh
Level : 6
No. Weeks : 30
Year of Study : 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time - 4 Years
Day : Tuesday
Start Time : 15:30
End Time : 21:00
Interview Required : Yes
Course Valid From : Sep 2019
Course Valid to : Jun 2023
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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 5
HND IN COMPUTING

Overview of the Course
This HND Computing will equip you with a range of up to date technical and practical skills that are in high demand for careers in the computing and business world.

You can study part-time to suit personal or working commitments.

You will be introduced to a range of subjects building your skills in the areas of security, programming, databases and hardware infrastructure through professional practice.

What you will learn
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Core Modules
• Programming
• Networking
• Professional Practice
• Database design and development
• Security
• Managing a Successful Computing Project

Optional Modules
Option modules in subjects relating to the following areas:
• Network Engineering
• Software Engineering
• Data Analytics
• Security
• Intelligent Systems
• Applications Development

These are subject to change.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs including English and Maths (or recognised equivalent) at grade C or above.

Minimum UCAS entry points of 60 points from any of the following:
• A BTEC Level 3 qualification in Computing.
• A Levels.
• Other related Level 3 qualifications.
• An Access to Higher Education Certificate awarded by an approved further education institution.
• Related work experience (APL).

Entry Requirements for International Students
An international equivalent of the above, supported by NARIC official documentation.

Assessment
Combination of coursework and external assessment.

Tuition Fee
£610 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Ulster University in BSc in Computer Systems.

This HND Computing will equip you with a range of up to date technical and practical skills that are in high demand for careers in the computing and business world.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN SCIENCE IN COMPUTING

Course Code : EXC50002
Session Code : TBC
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Campus Location : Dungannon
Level : 4/5
No. Weeks : 30
Year of Study : 3 Years (2 Semesters per year)
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time - 3 Years
Day : TBC
Start Time : TBC
End Time : TBC
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Overview of the Course
This course is designed around the computing requirements of local industry.

What you will learn
Learners will gain the knowledge, understanding and design skills to formulate solutions to computing problems and the practical skills to implement those solutions. Additionally, ‘soft’ skills will be developed in teamwork, communications, professional practice and time management.

Core Modules
- Computer Technologies;
- Computing Mathematics;
- Programming in Python and Java;
- Programming Mobile Applications for Android;
- Database Systems Design and Application;
- Software Systems;
- Emerging Technologies;
- Interactive Web Authoring, Network Database Management Systems;
- Computer Networks;

Optional Modules
- Dungannon (Options Available)
  - Year 2 Semester 1 Network Database Management Systems or Software Testing
  - Year 2 Semester 2 Programming Mobile Devices or Technician Skills
- Omagh (Compulsory Modules May Change Each Year)
  - Software Testing and Emerging Technologies
- Enniskillen (Compulsory Modules May Change Each Year)
  - Network Database Management Systems and Programming Mobile Applications

The Work-based learning requires learners to complete an industrial placement of 400 hours.

Entry Requirements
A minimum of 64 (CC) UCAS tariff points for Full-time, 56 (CD) UCAS tariff points with grade C or above for GCSE English and Maths. Entry is also subject to successful interview.

Applicants who do not meet the formal entry requirements may be eligible for Accreditation of Prior Learning (APL).

In the event of over-subscription entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Assessment is by the use of coursework assignments with some module examinations throughout the duration of the course.

Tuition Fee
£250 per Module.

Progression
The articulation route for successful graduates from the South West College Foundation Degree in Science in Computing is as follows and depends on the overall grade achieved:
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computing Science [Full-time / Jordanstown].
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computing Systems [Part-time / Jordanstown].
- Ulster University BSc Hons Computer Science [Full-time: part-time / Magee]. You may also progress to other universities to complete your degree.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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ULSTER UNIVERSITY
CERTIFICATE IN COUNSELLING STUDIES

Course Code : EXC40015
Session Code : HDP1A HEP1A HOP1A
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Campus Location : Dungannon
Enniskillen Omagh
Level : 4
No. Weeks : 30
Year of Study : 2018-2019
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time - 2 Years
Day : Wed - Dungannon
Tue - Enniskillen
Tue - Omagh
Start Time : 17:00 - Dungannon
17:30 - Enniskillen
9:00 - Omagh
End Time : 21:30 - Dungannon
22:00 - Enniskillen
13:30 - Omagh
Interview Required : Yes
Course Valid From : Sep 2019
Course Valid to : Jun 2021
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Overview of the Course
The Certificate qualification has been awarded advanced training status from the National Counselling Society. This course has been designed to introduce Learners to relevant counselling theories/models and basic counselling skills. It supports Learners to understand and develop the knowledge and skills which underpin the counselling process.

This course will be of interest to those who wish to pursue a career in counselling or those who may wish to develop their use of basic counselling skills within their current professional/voluntary role.

What you will learn
You will learn theories used in the counselling relationship and also the skills required for a therapeutic relationship. Learners will also be guided by NCS Code of Conduct and other relevant registering bodies.

Core Modules
It is delivered in modular form and combines theory with practical skills training. You will study the following modules:
- The Helping Relationship;
- Interpersonal Skills and Personal Development;
- Practical Application of the Helping Relationship.

Entry Requirements
Five GCSEs Grades A-C including English or equivalent standard, or provide evidence of ability to undertake the course through APEL.
References may be required.
Applicants will be invited for an interview.

Additional Information
This course is approved by the Ulster University and as a student on this programme you will receive Associate Student Members status.

Assessment
You will be assessed through coursework assignments which includes Personal Learning records of reflection on course content.
For the final module you will be asked to submit a DVD [completed in class with fellow Learners], to demonstrate your practical use of counselling skills. All assignments are word processed so you will need basic computer literacy.

Tuition Fee
£401.

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- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
You may apply to progress to the Ulster University Foundation Degree in Counselling.
COUNSELLING IN COUNSELLING FOUNDATION DEGREE

Overview of the Course

The course provides a balance between theory and practice that from professional bodies such as National Counseling society (NCS) and the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP) for counsellor training programmes. The programme also provides an exit point at Cert HE level and is accredited by the National Counselling Society (NCS) for Learners who wish to gain knowledge of counselling to support other professional roles. It is important that Learners have good mental / psychological / emotional health to support their own wellbeing and that of clients when they are in clinical placement.

What you will learn

This course provides a balance between theory and practice than meets the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapys recommendations for counsellor training programmes. Students will gain knowledge of counselling approaches and develop an understanding of key aspects such as personal development and a variety of counselling therapies.

Core Modules

The course is delivered in modular form and combines theory with practical skills training.

In Year 1 you will study the following modules:

• Integrative Approach;
• Personal Development;
• Humanistic Approach;
• Developing the Therapeutic Relationship.

Progress to Year 2 and Clinical Placement is dependent on successful completion of Developing the Therapeutic Relationship. Additional costs for completion of the course will be incurred including:

• Personal Therapy;
• Clinical Supervision;
• BACP Learners Membership, however, students can also register with the National Counselling Society (NCS) at no cost;
• Professional Indemnity Insurance;
• A minimum of £1500 is involved excluding travel costs.

Complete supplementary information form and application form, provide two character references, and attend group and Learners interview.

Entry Requirements

To be eligible to apply you need to:

• Provide evidence of competence in written and spoken English (GCSE English Language grades A-C/4-9 or equivalent);
• Provide evidence of passes in five subjects, two of which must be at A level (grades A-E) and three at GCSE level* (grades A-C/4-9);
• Provide evidence of passes in four subjects, three of which must be at A level (grades A-E) and one at GCSE level* (grades A-C/4-9);
• Provide evidence of an approved qualification at an equivalent level such as a BTec Level 3 Extended Diploma or Access to Higher Education qualification or equivalent**;
• Provide evidence, for a process of formal accreditation by the University, of learning you have gained.

The Foundation Degree is the progression from the Certificate in Counselling but students need to fulfil the entry criteria above, as the Foundation Degree is level 5, which is also a progression route to level 6 BSc (Hons) Professional Development in Counselling at the University.

If students do not meet points 1-4 above, please encourage them to apply under point 5 – acquired prior learning (APL) route, and use the Certificate in Counselling and other relevant experience.

Entry Requirements for International Students

International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment

All modules include practical assignment. Some modules include examinations in keeping with Ulster University regulations. A Portfolio in relation to Clinical Practice, including supervisor and agency reports, must also meet a required standard for successful completion of the course.

Tuition Fee

£250 per module.

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• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

Graduates have progressed to part-time employment in the voluntary sector, GP surgeries and to the establishment of a private counselling practice. Progression is also possible to the Ulster University for completion of a BSc (Hons) Professional Development in Counselling [Top-up].

Anyone interested in this pathway needs to access the Ulster University prospectus for course descriptions and admissions’ requirements/ procedures. Others use the course to progress to careers in allied professions.

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Course Code : EXCS0024
Session Code : HOP1A
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Campus Location : Omagh
Level : 5
No. Weeks : 30
Year of Study : 3 Years (2 Semesters per year)
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time - 3 Years
Day : Tuesday
Start Time : 9:00
End Time : 19:00
Interview Required : Yes
Course Valid From : Sep 2019
Course Valid to : Jun 2022
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QUEEN’S UNIVERSITY
BSC (HONS) IN ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

Overview of the Course
This course has a broad application, from school leavers and national diploma students with a science or business studies background to skilled labour employees wanting to up-skill in the fields of Sustainability and Renewable Energy. Sustainability, energy and the environment are at the forefront of current business and policy priority areas. This course is accredited by the UK Institution of Environmental Sciences (IES) and students are eligible for student membership of the IES.

What you will learn
This course offers the opportunity to:
• Learn about renewable energy technologies and energy efficiency.
• Investigate strategies for waste and resource management.
• Develop the business skills necessary to apply this knowledge in a practical working environment.
• Gain entrepreneurial skills relevant to environmental business development.
• All presented in a highly accessible format with an emphasis on hands-on project work and relevant up to date information.

Core Modules
Stage 1
• Introduction to Sustainable Development and Environmental Protection
• Introduction to Renewable Energy Applications
• Principles of Environmental Science
• Principles of Business & Economics
• Engineering Principles and Applications
• Study & Professional Skills

Stage 2
• Environmental Modelling and Geospatial Analysis
• Renewable Energy Technologies 2
• Policies for Environmental Sustainability
• Sustainable Waste and Water Management
• Environmental Management
• Work Placement

Stage 3
• The Economics of the Environment
• Transition to a Low Carbon Economy
• Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship
• Environmental Engineering
• Research Project

Entry Requirements
• A-level: BBB + GCSE English and Mathematics at grade C.
• BTEC Extended Diploma: any BTEC Extended Diploma with 10 Distinctions and 8 Merits + GCSE Mathematics grade C.
• Access: average 65%.
• Foundation Degree: candidates will be considered on an individual basis. Offers will normally be based on year 1 performance [normally minimum 55% in each module] and include a specified year 2 average mark and individual module mark targets depending on subject area.

OR
• Mature candidates who cannot offer any of the above will be assessed for admission on the basis of their appropriate skills and knowledge.
• All candidates must be aged at least 18 years at the date of entry and will be interviewed prior to admission.

Assessment
Assessment for each module will take the form of an assignment and an exam, or by assignment only. Exams usually take place in January and May.

Tuition Fees:
£275 per module.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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• Students are required to meet programme regulations with regards to progression between years.

The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Graduates of the BSc in Energy, Environment and Sustainability (EES) will have developed key graduate skills in identifying and working towards targets for personal, academic and career development, developing an adaptable and flexible approach to professional activity, responsible citizenship and the world of work. Graduates of this degree can progress to post-graduate studies in many fields, for example in Environmental Management, or Sustainable Development. In both the public and private sectors there is widespread and increasing interest in a broad range of environmental and sustainability issues and a growing need in the workplace for people with an understanding of the sustainability agenda.

An emphasis on employability throughout the BSc. EES programme aims to provide the skills required for future employment in the fields of energy, environmental management, environmental consultancy and sustainable policy development.
Overview of the Course
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills such as mechanical design, manufacture, maintenance, technical services, procurement and management.

The course is aimed at those working in the engineering industry and seeking an academic progression route whilst continuing to work. It is also designed for Persons who want to formalise the skills already acquired in the industry or those wishing to re-skill.

In addition to this the course is also aimed at full time students completing A-Levels or BTEC National Diplomas who wish to continue their academic career in Engineering.

This course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development.

What you will learn
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills such as mechanical design, manufacture, maintenance, technical services, procurement and management.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.

• Analytical Methods for Engineers
• Engineering Science
• Project Design, Implementation and Evaluation
• Mechanical Principles
• Health, Safety and Risk Assessment in Engineering
• Business Management Techniques for Engineers
• Engineering Design
• Materials Engineering
• Applications of Pneumatics and Hydraulics
• Fluid Mechanics
• Engineering Thermodynamics
• Strengths of Materials
• Manufacturing Process
• Design for Manufacture
• Computer-aided Design and Manufacture
• Quality and Business Improvement

Programmable Logic Controllers
Employability Skills
Personal and Professional Development
Research Project
Work-based Experience
Quality Assurance and Management
Industrial Robot Technology
Statistical Process Control
Management of Projects
Managing People in Engineering
Knowledge-based Systems and Techniques
Energy Management
Mechatronic Systems
Mathematics for Technicians
Computer Programming Techniques
Composite Materials in Engineering
Microprocessor Interfacing and Control

Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent to include English and Mathematics.
Level 3 Qualification:
BTEC Diploma/Extended Diploma, A Levels or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.
Relevant subjects – science/technology
APEL for mature students.

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English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Additional Information
The model is designed to make the course more suitable for candidates in full-time employment, and for their respective employers.

Course delivery is part-time, and will include practical and written assessments over a wide range of engineering disciplines.

The course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment, and opportunities to progress into higher education.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Tuition Fee
£375 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

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The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Completion of this HNC/HND will facilitate progression to higher level roles within the candidates own place of work. Progression to BEng qualifications at University, with opportunity for Stage/Level 2 entry.

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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 5
HND ENGINEERING

Overview of the Course
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The course is aimed at those working in the engineering industry and seeking an academic progression route whilst continuing to work. It is also designed for persons who want to formalise the skills already acquired in the industry or those wishing to re-skill.

In addition to this the course is also aimed at full time students completing A-Levels or BTEC National Diplomas who wish to continue their academic career in Engineering. This course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development.

Core Modules
The programme is available for study on a part time basis, and classes can be timetabled to enable employed Learners to attend on a day release basis.

• Analytical Methods for Engineers
• Engineering Science
• Project Design, Implementation and Evaluation
• Mechanical Principles
• Health, Safety and Risk Assessment in Engineering
• Business Management Techniques for Engineers
• Engineering Design
• Materials Engineering
• Applications of Pneumatics and Hydraulics
• Fluid Mechanics
• Engineering Thermodynamics
• Strengths of Materials
• Manufacturing Process
• Design for Manufacture
• Computer-aided Design and Manufacture

What you will learn
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills such as mechanical design, manufacture, maintenance, technical services, procurement and management.

Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs grade C or above, or equivalent to include English and Mathematics.

Level 3 Qualification:
• BTEC Diploma/Extended Diploma, A Levels or equivalent, minimum 48 UCAS points or equivalent.
• Relevant subjects – science/technology.
• APEL for mature students.

Additional Information
The model is designed to make the course more suitable for candidates in full-time employment, and for those already in employment, and for their respective employers.

Course delivery is part-time, and will include practical and written assessments over a wide range of engineering disciplines.

The course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment, and opportunities to progress into higher education.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out by the use of coursework assignments and practical projects.

Progression
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Progression to BEng qualifications at University, with opportunity for Stage/Level 2 entry.

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• Relevant subjects – science/technology.
• APEL for mature students.

International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Tuition Fee
£610 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

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Overview of the Course
This course has been designed to meet the specific needs of the local engineering industry by providing a range of higher level technical skills in manufacturing, procurement and management.

The course is aimed at those working in the engineering industry and seeking an academic progression route whilst continuing to work. It is also designed for persons who want to formalise the skills already acquired in the industry or those wishing to re-skill.

In addition to this the course is also aimed at full time students completing A-Levels or BTEC National Diplomas who wish to continue their academic career in Engineering.

This course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development.

What you will learn
This course will appeal to employees within the manufacturing industry, requiring training in:
• Pneumatics and Hydraulics
• Project Management
• CNC programming
• Manufacturing Technology
• Business management techniques

Aside from this the development of team work, presentation and Interpersonal Skills will be unavoidable.

Core Modules
The 8 units delivered in this course provides a specialist work-related programme of study covering the key knowledge, understanding and practical skills required in the manufacturing sector.

Course units include:
• Engineering Maths
• Engineering Science
• Engineering Design
• Managing a Professional Engineering Project
• Computer Aided Design and Manufacture (CAD/CAM)
• Electro, Pneumatic and Hydraulic Systems
• Quality and Process Improvement
• Machining and Processing of Engineering Materials

Optional Modules
All units are compulsory.

Entry Requirements
Students should attain a grade C or above in English and Maths and hold a relevant NVQ Level 3 or BTEC National Diploma.

Mature students who possess a third level qualification in an alternative discipline or students with experiential learning (APEL) may apply.

Additional Information
The model is designed to make the course more suitable for candidates in full-time employment, and for their respective employers.

Course delivery is part-time, over two years, classes run on a Monday from 1:30pm – 9pm and will include practical and written assessments over a wide range of engineering disciplines.

The course provides a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment, and opportunities to progress into higher education.

Assessment
Students will be assessed through practical and written assessments over a wide range of engineering disciplines.

COMPLETION OF THIS HNC WILL FACILITATE PROGRESSION TO HIGHER LEVEL ROLES WITHIN THE CANDIDATES OWN PLACE OF WORK.

Tuition Fee
£1575 which includes the Pearson Registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
• Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, on-line: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Completion of this HNC will facilitate progression to higher level roles within the candidates own place of work.

In addition to this candidates will be eligible to enter year one of a range of Degree courses at either the Ulster University or Queen’s University.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN ENGINEERING (WITH SPECIALISMS: MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING OR MECHATRONICS)

Overview of the Course
Are you a problem-solver? Do you ever wonder how things work? Do you want to be part of one of the largest and most innovative sectors in Northern Ireland?

This course has a broad application in the fields of wind turbine technology, manufacturing engineering and mechatronics. The course attracts school and college leavers, as well as employees wanting to up-skill. The course focuses on common core engineering disciplines and skills and then incorporates specialist topics relevant to each specialism.

The course provides a comprehensive foundation in the skills needed to design and maintain electronic equipment, pneumatic and hydraulic systems, mechanical systems and products as well as the specialist skills needed for each of the three specialisms.

Core Modules
- Mathematics for Engineering;
- Electrical and Electronic Principles;
- Introduction to Engineering;
- Hydraulics and Pneumatics;
- Materials and Manufacturing Processes;
- CAD and Project;
- Engineering Science;
- Mechanical Technology;
- Engineering Analysis;
- Work Based Learning.

Optional Modules
- Manufacturing:
  - Six Sigma and Lean Manufacturing;
  - Design for Manufacture;
  - Computer Aided Manufacture;
  - Programming Concepts and Robotics;
  - Manufacturing Systems;
  - Manufacturing Planning and Scheduling.

What you will learn
The course provides a comprehensive foundation in the skills needed to design and maintain electronic equipment, pneumatic and hydraulic systems, mechanical systems and products as well as the specialist skills needed for each of the three specialisms.

Entry Requirements
- 48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level
- BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.
- * Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

* Please contact course director for information on acceptable alternatives to GCSE prior to application.

Assessment
This course is primarily assessed by coursework and examination, with a focus on work-based projects. Coursework will typically take the form of project work, written reports, class assessments, presentation, lab testing etc.

Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Tuition Fee
£250 per module.

Terms and Conditions
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.

- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The Foundation Degree in Engineering offers the following articulation routes:
- Manufacturing Engineering - BEng Hons in Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering (Magee);
- Mechatronics - BEng Hons in Mechatronic Engineering (Jordanstown).

Career opportunities for Engineering graduates are also available in a wide range of industries.
Overview of the Course
The overall aim of this Foundation Degree is to provide a sufficiently broad education in financial services that will ensure that degree holders are well equipped for further career enhancement. To assist in this, an integral part of the programme is an industrial placement that includes an appropriate Work-based Learning component. This Foundation Degree will equip students with the combination of technical skills, academic knowledge and transferable skills that employers locally are demanding. On-going consultation through the College’s Industrial Advisory Board ensures the industrial relevance of the programme and will ensure that a suitable range of career paths is available to the graduate.

Core Modules
Year 1
- Personal and Professional Development with Finance
- Financial Institutions and Markets
- Financial Mathematics and Statistics
- Microeconomic Principles

Year 2
- Accounting for Financial Decision Makers
- Quantitative methods for Finance
- Corporate Finance
- Business and Career Enterprise

Year 3
- Finance and Investment Analysis
- Corporate Governance
- Work based Learning

Optional Modules
- None

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Students will be assessed using a variety of methods including coursework and/or examination. A number of techniques appropriate to the profession are also used to measure student progress comprising observational assessments, interview skills, research methods and presentations.

Tuition Fees
£250 per module.

Progression
Progression from the award may take the form of either a career as a professional within the Financial Services industry or the subsequent pursuit of a higher-level academic qualification – Ulster University BSc Honours Degree in Finance and Investment Management.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.
PEARSON EDEXCEL HND HAIRDRESSING AND BEAUTY MANAGEMENT

Overview of the Course
The HND Hair and Beauty Management programme provides learners with a solid foundation in management skills which can either be applied to the hair and beauty sector or be transferred to other industries and sectors.

What you will learn
This two-year course is ideal for those who already work in the hair and beauty industry and require knowledge and experience of management principles. The HND Hair and Beauty Management programme allows the learner the opportunity to apply the management principles practically in the context of the Hair and Beauty Industry.

Core Modules
The course includes four core units:
• Sales Management;
• Quality Management of Client Care;
• Salon Management;
• and Management of Health, Safety and Security.

Examples of specialist units offered are:
• Manage the Creation of a Hairstyle Collection;
• Public Relations;
• and Project Management.

Entry Requirements
A Level 3 qualification in either Hairdressing or Beauty Therapy and Level 2 Essential Skills in Literacy and Numeracy or equivalent. A qualification in ICT and relevant work experience is desirable. Refer to general entry requirements.

Tuition Fee
£610 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.

English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes. Students must enrol by 28th August 2019 with SWC.

Assessment
Assessment is by a variety of means including group work, written reports, team activities, Learners practical work, presentations and project work.

Progression
Options for progression include self-employment or careers in areas such as day spas, salons, health farms, cruise ships and brand management. You may also progress to degree level programmes in business, health, beauty, or science related areas. Past Learners have also progressed to a career in lecturing.

*Registration for this course must take place by 31st August 2019.

THIS TWO-YEAR COURSE IS IDEAL FOR THOSE WHO ALREADY WORK IN THE HAIR AND BEAUTY INDUSTRY AND REQUIRE KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE OF MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 4
HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN
HEALTHCARE PRACTICE (INTEGRATED
HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE)

Overview of the Course
The purpose of Pearson BTEC Higher National in Healthcare Practice (Integrated Health and Social Care) is to develop students as professional, self-reflecting individuals, able to meet the demands of employers in the healthcare sector and adapt to a constantly changing world.

What you will learn
To equip students with the Healthcare Practice skills, knowledge and the understanding necessary to achieve high performance in the global health and social care environment.

To provide insight and understanding into the diversity of roles within the healthcare sector, recognising the importance of collaboration at all levels.

To equip students with knowledge and understanding of culturally diverse organisations, cross-cultural issues, diversity and values.

To provide opportunities for students to develop the skills, techniques and personal attributes essential for successful working lives.

To support students to understand the local, regional and global context of healthcare practice, management and health promotion and, for those students with a global outlook, to aspire to international career pathways.

Core Modules
1. Law, Policy and Ethical Practice in Health and Social Care.
2. Demonstrating Professional Principles and Values in Health and Social Care Practice.
5. Effective Reporting and Record-keeping in Health and Social Care Services.

Optional Modules
SUBJECT TO APPROVAL
10. Supporting Dementia Care.
12. Supporting the Individual Based Practice.

Additional Information
To provide students with opportunities to address contemporary health and care issues facing the sector, and society at large, with particular emphasis on integrated and compassionate care, and person-centred approaches to providing healthcare to individuals across their lifespan.

Core Modules
1. Law, Policy and Ethical Practice in Health and Social Care.
2. Demonstrating Professional Principles and Values in Health and Social Care Practice.
5. Effective Reporting and Record-keeping in Health and Social Care Services.

Optional Modules
SUBJECT TO APPROVAL
10. Supporting Dementia Care.
12. Supporting the Individual Based Practice.

Entry Requirements
Applicants may be admitted to the Higher National Certificate who possess either:
A BTEC Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care or a related L3 subject area,
or two GCE A level passes or equivalent, an Access to Higher Education Diploma together with three appropriate GCSE passes, grades C or above and/or 9 to 4 (or equivalent).

The management reserve the right to enhance the criteria according to the demand for the programme.

Additional Information
The Pearson BTEC Level 4 Higher National Certificate in Healthcare Practice requires at least 225 hours of work experience/placement in health and/or social care settings and a Professional Learning and Development portfolio (PLAD), including reflective accounts, to be completed.

Students are expected to be allocated a placement supervisor during their placement in each setting who will monitor and contribute to the continuous assessment of their progress; students are also required to be assessed during their practice on placement by a tutor/assessor from SWC.

Access NI Clearance is a requirement of this course.

Assessment
In order to demonstrate achievement, learners typically undertake assessment activities that include a series of tasks or assignments, reflecting typical practice in sector concerned. In order to judge the level of achievement, assessment criteria are used for the pass grade and grade descriptors for the merit and distinction grades. Formative and summative assessment is used across all units.

The assessment methods provide opportunities for learning as well as assessment and these include essays, reports, PowerPoint (or similar) presentations, case study, work-based projects and portfolio, Academic posters, displays, leaflets, video work, Logbooks and reflective journals.

Students must complete - The Practical Learning, Assessment and Development portfolio - linked to placement/work setting.

Tuition Fee
£575 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Students completing the HNC course can proceed towards further academic qualifications including a L5 HND, professional qualifications, including university study and/or a future career within the health and social care sector.
Overview of the Course
The Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development is the professional body for those involved in the management and development of Learners. This is a one year course of one evening per week. Delivered on a workshop basis, this is ideal for those currently working in HR but who need to develop and extend their knowledge and skills.

What you will learn
The Intermediate Certificate in HR Management provides the knowledge towards Associate Professional membership of the CIPD.

Intermediate qualifications are ideal for those who:
- Seek to develop a career in HR management and development
- Are working in the field of HR management and development and need to extend their knowledge and skills
- Have responsibility for implementing HR policies and strategies
- Need to understand the role of HR in the wider organisational and environmental context.
## Overview of the Course
HNC in Performing Arts offers students the chance to develop broad range of skills in the subject area. Learners are given the opportunity to build on their existing skills gained at Level 3 in order to pursue a specialist interest and further develop their practical performance skills.

### What you will learn
There is a strong practical element to the course which is underpinned by academic processes. The core unit focus on developing an understanding of the performing arts industry and research skills. Practical work begins with a focus on building skills in areas such as voice, acting styles and writing. These practical and academic skills are then applied to a number of performance projects. A total of 120 credits, 60 credits accrued from 4 mandatory units and 60 credits gained from 4 optional modules.

### Core Modules
There are 4 mandatory units:
- **2 Core**
  - Specialist units may include: The Performing Arts Industry, Professional Development
- **2 Specialist**
  - Acting 1
  - Voice & Speech for Actors

### Optional Modules
4 optional units may be chosen from the extensive list, such as:
- Acting for Camera
- Movement for Actors
- Devising Theatre & Performance
- Investigation of Specialism
- Vocal Repertoire
- Stagecraft
- Music Theatre History in Practice
- Special FX

## Entry Requirements
**For UK Students**
- A minimum of 80 credits from an Access to Higher Education Diploma
- A minimum of 40 credits at Merit grade
- A minimum of 20 credits at Distinction grade

**For International Students**
- An IELTS Academic 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5

**Additional Requirements**
- An Access to Higher Education Diploma or other relevant qualifications
- A minimum of 32 UCAS points from GCE subject(s)
- A BTEC Level 3 qualification in Performing Arts
- A GCE Advanced Level grade A* - C and/or 9 to 4 (or equivalent) including GCSE Maths & English or equivalent (Students should be aware that GCSE in one or both might be required in order to articulate on to an honors degree programme)

## Assessment
Assessment is through assignments to be completed throughout the year. These will take a variety of formats including: presentations, written assignments, recorded demonstrations, rehearsal journals, research tasks, evaluations and performances.

## Progression
- This course could lead to continued study on a HND programme as well as a career in acting for stage, screen or radio. It also leads directly into further study at higher level in subjects such as Acting, Drama, Theatre Studies, Performing Arts, Drama Therapy and Education.
- The course provides a range of transferrable skills which would be useful in a wide range of careers, including: teaching, youth and community work, presenting, marketing, customer service and journalism.

## Tuition Fee
- £375 which includes the Pearson registration fee.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 4 HNC DIPLOMA APPLIED BIOLOGY

Overview of the Course
The HNC in Applied Biology prepares you for employment in the science industry and provides you with the opportunity to gain entry to relevant Degree programmes. The learning experience is a combination of laboratory based training, field work, theoretical knowledge and e-learning. The programme incorporates a number of talks by experts from the industry and includes visits to industries, laboratories and conservation areas.

The teaching team are highly qualified, with industrial and research experience and some holding PhD degrees. The staff continually develop their professional skills by attending specialised training programmes. You are encouraged to take up work placement in hospital labs, civil service labs, industries and educational sectors. It is the responsibility of the student to organise this work placement.

What you will learn
You will learn about the structure and function of all the macromolecules that form the basic building blocks of life. You will learn about the levels of organisation and the interrelationships between all parts of an organism.

You will also complete laboratory work to help prepare you for employment or enhance the skills you already have. Along with the vocational skills you will also develop employability skills through workshops such as teamwork, innovation and problem solving.

Core Modules
Five Mandatory units:
• Cell Biology
• Biochemistry of Macromolecules and Metabolic Pathways
• Physiology of Cellular Systems in Animals
• Laboratory Techniques for Applied Biology
• Analysis of Scientific Data and Information

Optional Modules
Three other units covering a range of applied biology topics.

Entry Requirements
Learners must be over 18. Learners must have 4 GCSEs including a science subject and Maths and English or equivalent. Learners must have at least 1 GCE A Level pass or equivalent in an appropriate subject.

Additional Information
The Pearson BTEC Level 4 HNC in Applied Biology provides a specialist work-related programme of study that covers the key knowledge, understanding and practical skills required in the applied biology sector.

Assessment
Assessment is continuous throughout the course with a combination of written assignments, practical tasks both in the laboratory and in the field, presentations and time constraint assignments.

The assessment is criterion-referenced and all units will be individually graded as ‘pass’, ‘merit’ or ‘distinction’.

Both oral and written feedback will be provided during your course to help improve and monitor performance.

Tuition Fee
£575 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
BTEC Level 4 HNCs provide a nationally recognised qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment and opportunities to progress into higher education.

The Pearson BTEC Level 4 HNC in Applied Biology offers a progression route for learners who are employed in the applied biology and related science industries.

Learners studying the BTEC Level 4 HNC will be able to progress to an undergraduate degree for example BSc(Hons) Microbiology and Biological Science at Queen’s University Belfast and Applied Biochemical Science.

It may also lead to;
• BSc(Hons) Physiotherapy;
• BSc(Hons) Optometry and BSc(Hons) Radiography at Ulster University;
• BSc(Hons) Applied Biological Sciences and Marine Biology at Ulster University and;
• BSc(Hons) Environmental Science Degrees.

Learners will be able to seek employment in the biological sciences and their related industries.
VTCT LEVEL 4
CERTIFICATE IN SPORTS THERAPY MASSAGE

Overview of the Course
This qualification will prepare you for working with injured clients. You will develop a number of skills which include: skills to conduct subjective and objective assessments, covering passive and resisted range of movements, posture analysis, functional and special tests, skills to work safely and effectively on muscles and para-tendon injuries using a variety of soft tissue techniques and you will be able to advise on treatment modalities to support soft tissue repair.

What you will learn
Students will develop the knowledge, understanding and skills required to apply, adapt and evaluate sports massage methods for maintenance and corrective purposes. You will develop an understanding of the protocols for use for each soft tissue technique and be able to evaluate the effects critically.

Core Modules
• Conducting Subjective and Objective Assessment.
• Provide Sports Massage Techniques to Prevent and Manage Injury.
• Treatment Modalities to Support Soft Tissue Repair.

Entry Requirements
Level 3 Certificate or Diploma in Sports Massage Therapy or equivalent.

Assessment
The course comprises of the practical aspects of sports massage and learning the correct techniques to a competent standard. Theoretical learning will also take place and learners are expected to complete assignments and practical assessments in a commercial setting.

Tuition Fee
£401 which includes the VTCT registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Graduates of this qualification will be able to gain employment as a Level 4 Sports Massage Practitioner, providing a range of advanced sports massage techniques for recent non-acute injuries and for pre-existing conditions. This may include working in clinics, sporting teams or as a mobile therapist and may be in an employed or self-employed context. Progression is also available onto the VTCT Level 5 Certificate in Sports Massage.

GRADUATES OF THIS QUALIFICATION WILL BE ABLE TO GAIN EMPLOYMENT AS A LEVEL 4 SPORTS MASSAGE PRACTITIONER, PROVIDING A RANGE OF ADVANCED SPORTS MASSAGE TECHNIQUES FOR RECENT NON-ACUTE INJURIES AND FOR PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 4 HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE

Overview of the Course
The HNC in Sport and Exercise Science is a Part-time course, delivered over 2 days a week, over 1 year. It is available in ALL Campuses (Enniskillen, Omagh and Dungannon).

This HNC is intended to equip you with the knowledge, understanding and skills required for success in current and future employment or for progression to final year degree or employment.

What you will learn
The 8-unit Edexcel BTEC Higher National Certificate provides opportunities for learners to apply their knowledge and practical skills in the workplace. Students will have access to particular resources i.e. state-of-the-art technology facilities and first class teaching.

Core Modules
• Anatomy and Physiology for Sport and Exercise.
• Sport and Exercise Psychology.
• Health Promotion.
• Training and Fitness for Sport.

Optional Modules
• Work Based Experience.
• Event Management.
• Physical Activity, lifestyle and wellbeing.
• Functional Exercise Physiology.

Entry Requirements
Reference which supports your suitability to gain a place on the course (Academic and Personal).

A BTEC National Diploma or other relevant level 3 qualification, preferable in a relevant subject OR - A minimum of one A Level preferably in a relevant subject OR - An Access to Higher Education Certificate. As a guideline, a typical offer would require you to obtain a UCAS tariff score of between 32 - 48 points, based on your level 3 studies.

Maths and English grade C (or Essential Skills equivalent).

Additional Information
In addition to the HNC Sport Course, students have the opportunity to complete CYQ (Level 2) Certificate in Fitness Instructing - Gym-Based Exercise. This qualification is aimed at people who want to pursue a career in the health and fitness industry as a fitness instructor in the context of gym-based exercise. This qualification enhances employment opportunities and offers progression to the Level 3 Certificate in Personal Training and other CYQ professional qualifications.

Assessment
In order to demonstrate achievement, learners typically undertake assessment activities that include a series of tasks or assignments, reflecting typical practice in sector concerned. In order to judge the level of achievement, assessment criteria are used for the pass grade and grade descriptors for the merit and distinction grades. The assessment methods used provide opportunities for learning as well as assessment and these include essays, reports, presentations, case study, portfolio and video work.

Tuition Fee
£575 which includes the Pearson registration fee.

Terms and Conditions
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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Students completing the HNC course can proceed towards further academic qualification (HND), including professional qualifications and/or a future career within the sport sector.
ACTIVE IQ LEVEL 4
CERTIFICATE IN STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING

Course Code : 60311617
Session Code : BEP1A
Awarding Body : Active IQ
Campus Location : Enniskillen
Level : 4
No. Weeks : 30
Year of Study : 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration : Part-time - 1 Year
Day : TBC
Start Time : 4:30pm
End Time : 10:00pm
Interview Required : Yes
Course Valid From : 01/03/18
Course Valid to : 01/09/22
Contact : Enniskillen - Rodney Topping
Rodney.Topping@swc.ac.uk

Overview of the Course
This course aims to provide students with the background knowledge and practical skills to be able to plan, deliver and review strength and conditioning programmes that work towards athletes achieving their performance goals. This course is suitable for those currently working in the fitness industry in roles such as personal trainers, sports coaches and strength and conditioning coaches.

This is a bespoke, industry relevant qualification which helps currently qualified fitness instructors to build upon their professional competence and to open up further employment opportunities. In order to possess and demonstrate a suitable level of occupational competence, instructors are now required to hold a bespoke qualification within this discipline.

What you will learn
During this qualification students will cover the following:
- The role of a strength and conditioning coach as part of an athlete’s support team.
- Methods of carrying out performance-related needs analysis, measurements and assessments.
- Strategies to analyse and evaluate assessment findings in order to be able to develop and agree short, medium- and long-term performance goals.
- Planning, delivering and evaluating periodised, performance-related strength and conditioning programmes.

Core Modules
- Performance analysis of the activity and athlete.
- Plan, deliver and evaluate periodised performance-related strength and conditioning programmes

Entry Requirements
Students must be 16+ must hold a Level 3 Diploma in Personal Training (or equivalent), a Level 3 Coaching qualification (or equivalent) or a Level 3 Strength and conditioning qualification (or equivalent).
Students may also hold relevant higher education or further education qualifications that are equivalent or higher than those listed above (e.g. physiotherapy, sports therapy).

Additional Information
There is an element of communication (discussing, presenting, reading and writing) involved and students should have basic skills in communication.

Assessment
Coursework, portfolio of evidence and practical demonstration.

Tuition Fee
£425.00
Reduced fee £265.00.
Course text £65.00.

This is a bespoke, industry relevant qualification which helps currently qualified fitness instructors to build upon their professional competence and to open up further employment opportunities.
**EDEXCEL BTEC LEVEL 5 HND SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE**

**Overview of the Course**
This HND is intended to equip students with Sport & Exercise Science skills, knowledge and the understanding necessary to achieve high performance in the global Sport & Exercise Science environment. The purpose of BTEC Higher Nationals in Sport & Exercise Science is to develop students as professional, self-reflecting individuals able to meet the demands of employers in the Sport & Exercise Science sector and adapt to a constantly changing world. The qualifications aim to widen access to higher education and enhance the career prospects of those who undertake them.

**Core Modules**
- Anatomy and Physiology for Sport and Exercise
- Fundamentals of Sport & Exercise Psychology
- Research Project
- Nutrition
- Professional Skills

**Optional Modules**
- Physical Activity, lifestyle and wellbeing
- Training and Fitness for Sport
- Exercise Physiology
- Field Based Fitness testing for Sport and Exercise
- Physical Education & School Sport
- Exercise Prescription
- Work Based Experience
- Sports Coaching
- Injury Prevention
- Strength & Conditioning for Coaching

**Entry Requirements**
- 70 UCAS Points and a References which supports your suitability to gain a place on the course [Academic and Personal]
- Maths and English grade C [or Essential Skills equivalent]

**Entry Requirements for International Students**
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

**Progression**
Students completing the HND course can proceed towards further academic qualification [Degree], including professional qualifications and/or a future career within the sport sector.

**Other Fees Associated with the Course**
Access NI disclosure is required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

**Terms and Conditions**
Students are required to:
- Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, online: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

**Website**
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Overview of the Course

This Foundation Degree prepares you for a career in International Travel and Tourism Management. It focuses on acquisition and application of knowledge relevant to the role of the manager in the global hospitality industry. Through work-based learning, the course provides opportunities to develop and enhance your practical, personal and interpersonal skills vital to successful performance in the workplace. On completion, you will be equipped to operate in a management role in the industry.

What you will learn

You will gain an understanding of the underpinning theory of travel and tourism and management from a global perspective. You will also have the opportunity to develop skills required to work effectively as a manager in this industry.

Core Modules

Successful completion of the programme requires learners to achieve 240 CATS points from modules studied including:

- Introduction to Tourism, Hospitality and Events;
- Management in Action;
- Managing Financial Performance;
- Events Operations;
- Employability Skills;
- Work Based Learning;
- People Management;
- Marketing and Entrepreneurship

Optional Modules

Range of optional modules to be studied, to determine specialism pathways including:

- Inbound and Domestic Tourism;
- Visitor Experience;
- Global Destinations;
- Global Travel and Tourism Management; Hospitality
- Food and Beverage Operations;
- Food and Beverage Management

Events

- To be confirmed;
- To be confirmed.

Entry Requirements

- 72 UCAS tariff points (180 in old UCAS points). Four GCSE passes including English and Maths or equivalent. One A Level or equivalent at Grade C. Refer to general entry requirements.
- International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma.
- English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment

Assessment will take the form of written assignments, written reports, practical assessments, presentations and formal examinations. Learners will complete a period of Work Based Learning and complete a project whilst on placement.

Tuition Fee

£250 per module.

Terms and Conditions

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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

On completion of the course successful learners may progress to Honours Degree such as International Hospitality Management or International Travel & Tourism Management at Ulster University. Bridging options for final year entry are possible subject to academic performance. Learners can progress into employment in a wide variety of organisations at junior or duty management level.

Course Code: EXC50043
Session Code: HEP1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 30
Year of Study: 1 Year
Mode of Study and Duration: Part-time - 3 Years
Day: TBC
Start Time: 9:00
End Time: 17:00
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid to: Jun 2022
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These unique programmes offer employees the opportunity to gain a third level qualification at Foundation Degree level while gaining the skills that employers need and that are relevant to the local economy, thereby improving prospects through better earnings and sustained employment.

Successful candidates will be employed in an organisation relevant to their chosen profession to gain valuable experience over a 2 or 3 year period. This experience will coincide with a close mentoring relationship and academic support provided by South West College as they progress through the Foundation Degree.

The Higher Level Apprenticeship programme is widely recognised as the best combination of on the job training and employee higher level study available. The unique programme offers employees the opportunity to gain a third level qualification at Foundation Degree level, whilst improving business practice by developing a progressively skilled workforce essential for today’s competitive global market.

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ACCOUNTING TECHNICIANS IRELAND (ATI) (HLA)

Course Code: 68063373
Session Code: BDP1C
Awarding Body: Accounting Technicians Ireland
Campus Location: Omagh
Level: 4/5
No. Weeks: 30 per year
No. Years: 2 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid To: Jun 2021
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Course Description
The level 4 certificate course is the first step on your journey to a new and rewarding career as an Accounting Technician. The Certificate prepares you to carry out basic accounting tasks in the workplace.

Successful completer of the level 4 certificate can advance to the next level, a level 5 Diploma to further their accountancy studies.

What you will learn
Level 4 will provide you with a solid grounding in business as well as a strong foundation in accountancy and taxation, together with an introduction to business and company law.

By advancing to the Level 5 you will progress your studies in Financial Accounting and Taxation and gain a good foundation in Management Accounting, while also developing relevant practical skills in using electronic accounting systems.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Core Modules
• Financial Accounting.
• Taxation.
• Law & Ethics.
• Business Management.
• Advanced Financial Accounting
• Advanced Taxation
• Management Accounting
• Integrated Accounting Systems

Additional Information
Students who gain a place on this course must also register as a student member of Accounting Technicians Ireland.

Assessment
External examination.

Entry Requirements
5 GCSEs including Grade B Maths and English
96 UCAS Points

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall Pass* mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Upon successful completion of this course, you can become an Affiliate Member of Accounting Technicians Ireland, and maintain your professional affiliation while you complete the work experience requirements, successful completion of which leads to the status of fully qualified Accounting Technician.

Career Opportunities
Accounting Technician in a wide variety of sectors and industries for example;
• Accounting Practice
• Manufacturing Sector
• Health Services
• Financial Services

* Minimum overall Pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.
Course Code: EXC50047
Session Code: TDP1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45 per year
No. Years: 2 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid To: Jun 2021
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Course Description
Embracing upon the study of Architectural Engineering and Energy can open a wide variety of career choices, for example, a career path that can lead you into a mechanical, electrical or a renewable engineering aspect of a building’s envelope. Building Services Engineers also have a growing role in the deployment of renewable energy systems, sustainability and energy efficiency in buildings. You will be playing a key role in delivering a low carbon environment, which may aid in combating climate change or fossil fuel depletion.

What you will learn
The core subjects forming a basis for Architectural Engineering & Energy will be covered in year 1 to allow students to enter work placement with substantial knowledge in the industry. These core modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics and structures. All learners will have the opportunity to use industry standard software including BIM and Revit. Group projects and practical assessment will form an integral part of the assessment in year 1.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Core Modules
Year 1
- Building Fabric & Energy Conservation
- 2D CADD
- Renewable Energy Technologies
- Mathematics
- Environmental Science & Comfort
- Building Services Design & Retrofit
- Structures
- 3D CADD & BIM Basics

Year 2
- Work-based Learning
- Industrial Project and Entrepreneurship
- Design for Sustainable Services (Commercial)
- Mathematics for Engineers
- Project Management and Contract Administration
- Micro Generation for Renewable Technologies.

Career Opportunities:
- Mechanical or Electrical Site Engineer
- Mechanical or Electrical Consultant
- Mechanical or Electrical Project/Contracts Manager
- Energy Engineer/Consultant

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS Points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GSCE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent. *Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out via a variety of assessment methods which includes the use of coursework assignments, class tests, practical assessments, end of module examinations, group activities and professional presentations to an industrial panel. You will also be assessed in the workplace as part of your industrial placement which contributes to 40% of the overall Foundation Degree Qualification.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall Pass* mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion, and depending on performance, you may progress to Year 2 of the following courses in Ulster University, with exemption from the placement Year 3:
- BEng Hons Architectural Engineering
- BSc Hons Energy

You may also transfer to other universities to complete your degree.

Total Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
FOUNDATION DEGREE IN
CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL
ENGINEERING (HLA)

Course Code: EXC50038
Session Code: TOP1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Omagh
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45 per year
No. Years: 2 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: 1 Jun 2021
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Course Description
This course is designed to prepare learners for a career in Civil Engineering and related industries at higher technician level. It will provide learners with specific practical and professional skills in analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communication. The course also aims to prepare learners to progress to Honours Degree level study or directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee.

What you will learn
The core subjects forming a basis for civil engineering will be covered in Year 1. These include structural mechanics, soil mechanics, fluid mechanics and highway engineering. These core modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics, science and materials, IT, surveying, civil engineering design and CAD. All learners will have the opportunity to use digital surveying equipment and industry-standard software. Group projects form an integral part of the assessment for the Highways module in Year 1 and the Environmental Engineering module in Year 2.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Course Content Core Modules
- Infrastructure Engineering Practice and Design
- Surveying 1
- Mathematics and Structures
- Environmental Science and Materials
- Fluid Mechanics and Water Resources
- IT and Professional Development
- CAD for Civil Engineers
- Highway and Transportation Engineering
- Work-based Learning
- Introductory Geology and Soil Mechanics
- Digital Surveying
- Infrastructure Engineering Practice and Design 2
- Business Management, Law and Engineering Contract
- Environmental Engineering Project
- Mathematics for Engineers

Career Opportunities
- Structural Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Transportation Engineering
- Geotechnical Engineering
- Water Resource Engineering
- Construction Engineering
- Project Management

Assessment
Learners will be assessed by coursework, examinations or a combination of both. Coursework assignments will include practical activities, laboratory experiments, live projects and group presentations. Learners will also be assessed in the workplace.

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (1120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.

*Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course, you may be required to purchase course text books and incurring additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
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- Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
- The minimum overall Pass mark at 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
Graduates may (subject to performance) progress to BEng/MEng (Hons) Degree in Civil Engineering or BSc (Hons) Civil Engineering (Geoinformatics). Exemptions may also be given for entry onto the BSc (Hons) Construction Engineering and Management. These programmes are offered at Ulster University, Jordanstown. Learners may take up employment in the private sector with civil engineering consultants, contractors or specialists or in the public sector in government departments.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING WITH SURVEYING (HLA)

Course Code: EXC50046
Session Code: TDP1A TEP1A TOP1A
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon
Enniskillen Omagh
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45 per year
No. Years: 2 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
Course Valid To: Jun 2021
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Course Description
This course is designed to prepare you for a career in Construction Engineering and Surveying - building, land and quantity surveying, through gaining cutting edge technical skills and knowledge necessary for the modern Construction Industry. It will provide you with specific practical and professional skills, analysis, organisation, design, teamwork and communications. The course aims to leave you equally prepared to progress to complete your Honours Degree, to directly enter employment as a highly skilled employee, or to start your own business.

What you will learn
The course subjects form a broad basis for Construction Engineering. Subjects include CADD, BIM basics, measurement, law, project management and surveying. These modules will be enhanced by supplementary modules in mathematics, materials and comfort. A Group project will form an integral part of the assessment where students will take a chosen project from inception through to completion.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Core Modules
During the course you will have the opportunity to study:
• Construction Technology 1
• Mathematics
• 2D CADD
• Surveying Technology
• Materials and Comfort
• BIM Basics
• Structures
• Introduction to Construction Measurement
• Work-based Learning
• Law & Contract
• Maintenance & Adaptation
• Site Management
• Construction Economics
• Project Development
• Construction Technology 2

Modules are subject to change under revalidation.

The programme also involves construction site visits, guest speakers, specialist workshops and field surveys using Drone and GPS/GIS technologies.

Career Opportunities:
• Contracts Management
• Project Management
• Quantity Surveying
• Building Surveying
• Land Surveying
• Building Control Officer

Assessment
Assessment will be carried out via a variety of assessment methods which will include coursework assignments and end of module examinations as well as group activities and professional presentations. You will also be assessed in the workplace.

Entry Requirements
Minimum 48 UCAS points; GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or above or University approved equivalent. In the event of over subscription, entry criteria may be enhanced. Refer to general entry requirements.

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course, you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
Students are required to:
• Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Honours degree programmes:
• BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management.
• BSc Hons Building Surveying.

• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall Pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of this course and depending on performance, students can apply for entry to Year 2 of the following Ulster University Honours degree programmes:
• BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management.
• BSc Hons Building Surveying.

Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.

• The minimum overall Pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
On successful completion of this course and depending on performance, students can apply for entry to Year 2 of the following Ulster University Honours degree programmes:
• BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management.
• BSc Hons Building Surveying.

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• BSc Hons Construction Engineering & Management.
• BSc Hons Building Surveying.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

Course Code: EXC50041
Session Code: Foundation Degree: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 30 Weeks
No. Years: 2
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: 2019
Course Valid To: 2022
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Course Description
This qualification provides the perfect foundation for your successful career in business management in the private or public sector. The Foundation Degree in Business Management focuses on developing your knowledge, skills and abilities to prepare you for a range of careers in business such as Management, Marketing, Finance and Economics. Learners are supported to be entrepreneurial in their outlook to reflect local and regional economic needs.

Course Content Core Modules
Modules focus on equipping Learners with the skills, knowledge and abilities to secure a management position in a business. The modules taken include:
• Academic and Career Enhancement Skills
• Principles of Management
• Principles of Marketing
• Principles of Accounting
• Principles of Economics
• Foundations of Entrepreneurship
• Organisational Behaviour and Change
• Global Business Environment
• Finance for Decision Making
• Marketing Management
• Work Based Learning

There is a strong focus on industry engagement, with live projects and industry visits.

Entry Requirements
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to any College First Degree, Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma. English language requirements for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – Pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes.

Assessment
Testing knowledge, understanding and application to industry will principally be through work-based assessment, practical reports, oral and written submissions and formal examinations.

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
• The minimum overall pass mark of 40%, in all modules as per UU regulations.

Progression
The programme offers progression to:
Part time Ulster University BSc Hons in Business (delivered at South West College), Link modules delivered at Dungannon and Enniskillen.
Ulster University’s BSc (Hons) Business with Specialisms full-time or part-time at Magee College, or other degrees at Ulster University.
More options are available through the UCAS or CAO system.

Career Opportunities
A range of careers in business such as marketing, finance, administration, purchasing and management, with a specific emphasis on meeting local and regional needs.
**Course Description**
This course is designed around the computing requirements of local industry.

**What you will learn**
Students will gain the knowledge, understanding and design skills to formulate solutions to computing problems and the practical skills to implement those solutions. Additionally, ‘soft’ skills will be developed in teamwork, communications, professional practice and time management.

**Work Placement**
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of the course.

**Core Modules**
- Computer Technologies
- Computing Mathematics
- Programming in C+
- Programming Mobile Applications for Android
- Database
- Systems Analysis and Design
- Professional Development
- Web Application Development
- Network Databases
- Computer Networks
- Server Management

**Career Opportunities**
- Software Engineering
- Web Developer
- App Developer
- Database Administrator
- Security Specialist
- Analyst
- Technician/Systems Administrator

**Assessment**
Assessment is by the use of coursework assignments with some module examinations throughout the duration of the course.

**Entry Requirements**
Minimum 50 UCAS points, and grade C in GCSE English and Mathematics (or recognised equivalent). Entry is also subject to successful interview. Applicants who do not meet the formal entry requirements may be eligible for Accreditation of Prior Learning (APEL).

**Tuition Fees**
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

**Other Fees Associated with the Course**
During your course, you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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- The minimum overall Pass* mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

**Progression**
The articulation route for successful graduates from the South West College Foundation Degree in Science in Computing is as follows and depends on the overall grade achieved:
- BSc Hons Computing Science - Full-time - Jordanstown
- BSc Hons Computing Systems - Part-time - Jordanstown
- BSc Hons Computer Science - Full-time/Part-time - Magee

You may also transfer to other universities to complete your degree.
ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN ENGINEERING (WITH SPECIALISM: MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING) (HLA)

Course Description
Are you a problem-solver? Do you wonder how things work? Do you want to be part of one of the largest and most innovative sectors in Northern Ireland?

Talented engineers, technicians and managers are vital to the future success of our engineering and advanced manufacturing sectors and the opportunities are both vast and impressive.

Manufacturing Engineers are the individuals responsible for the design, manufacture, implementation, and monitoring of everything from hair straighteners to aircraft. Locally Manufacturing Engineers are heavily involved in the Design and Manufacture of machinery to support areas such as Agriculture, Quarrying and Recycling.

In order to be a successful Manufacturing Engineer, you should possess strong analytical, communication, technical and organisational skills.

What you will learn
The work of engineers is both challenging and rewarding. There are countless innovative and exciting jobs for professionals in this field, allowing you to employ your creative and analytical skills to develop products and services that improve lives.

Core Modules
• Mathematics for Engineering (Maths 1)
• Introduction to Engineering
• Material and Manufacturing Processes
• Engineering Science
• Hydraulics and Pneumatics
• Electrical and Electronic Principles
• CAD and Project
• Mechanical Technology
• Six Sigma and Lean Manufacturing
• Programme Concepts and Robotics
• Design for Manufacture
• Engineering Analysis (Maths 2)

Specialist Modules
• Manufacturing Systems
• Computer Aided Manufacture
• Work Based Learning

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - AS / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GCSE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.

* Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.
* Please contact course director for information on acceptable alternatives to GCSE prior to application.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Assessment
This course is primarily assessed by coursework and examination, with a focus on work-based projects.

Coursework will typically take the form of project work, written reports, class assessments, presentation, lab testing etc.

Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits. During your course, you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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* Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.
* The minimum overall Pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The Foundation Degree in Engineering offers the following articulation routes: Manufacturing Engineering - BEng Hons in Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering.

Career opportunities for Engineering graduates are also available in a wide range of industries.

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ULSTER UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DEGREE IN ENGINEERING (WITH SPECIALISM: MECHATRONIC ENGINEERING) (HLA)

Course Code: EXC50037
Session Code: TBC
Awarding Body: Ulster University
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 5
No. Weeks: 45 weeks per year
No. Years: 2 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid To: Jun 2021
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
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Course Description
Mechatronic Engineering unifies traditional Mechanical Engineering and Electrical/Electronic Engineering. For example, in the 1970’s cars were 95% Mechanical machines, thought up and designed by Mechanical engineers. Systems included Mechanical braking systems, Mechanical fuel systems etc.

Now, whilst cars still rely on the same fundamental Mechanical systems these systems have an additional Electronic element bolted on, so whilst the braking action is Mechanically the same, a computer also monitors the braking process to prevent wheel lock (kidding) - a system known as ABS (anti-lock braking systems). Secondly whilst fuel is still injected into the engine Mechanically a computer monitors how much fuel is going in to improve efficiency - a system known as drive by wire Electronic fuel injection systems.

This evolution not only applies to cars but also features heavily in our local industry - Quarry machinery, Agricultural machinery etc.

What you will learn
Engineers who design these systems need not only the mechanical knowhow but they also need the electrical knowhow – Mechatronics Engineers.

Course Content
• Mathematics for Engineering (Maths 1)
• Introduction to Engineering
• Material and Manufacturing Processes
• Mechanical Science
• Electrical and Electronic Principles
• CAD and Project
• Mechanical Technology
• Digital Electronics

Coursework will typically take the form of project work, written reports, class assessments, presentation, lab testing etc.

Learners will also be assessed in the workplace as part of the assessment for the Work-based Learning module.

Entry Requirements
48 UCAS points (120 in old UCAS points) - A5 / A Level / BTEC qualifications or approved equivalent, GSCE English and Mathematics at Grade C or University approved equivalent.

* Mature Learners will be assessed on an individual basis. Refer to general entry requirements.
* Please contact course director for information on acceptable alternatives to GCSE prior to application.

Tuition Fees
Students studying the Higher Level Apprenticeship (HLA) pathway do not incur tuition fees.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Students will be required to purchase steel toe-capped boots for the purpose of attending site visits.

During your course, you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

Terms and Conditions
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- The minimum overall Pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The Foundation Degree in Engineering with Specialisms (Mechatronics) offers the following articulation route: BEng Hons in Mechatronic Engineering [Ulster University, Jordanstown Campus]. Career opportunities for Engineering graduates are also available in a wide range of industries.
ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY

ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT & FOUNDATION DEGREE IN SUSTAINABILITY (HLA)

Course Code: EXC50014
Session Code: TOP1A
Awarding Body: Queen's University
Campus Location: Omagh
Level: 4/5
No. Weeks: 30 weeks per year
No. Years: 3 years
Interview Required: Yes
Course Valid From: Sep 2019
during term time:
Course Valid To: Jun 2022
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Course Description
This course has a broad application, from school leavers and national diploma students with a science or business studies background to skilled labour employees wanting to up-skill in the fields of Sustainability and Renewable Energy. This course is accredited by the UK Institution of Environmental Sciences (IES) and students are eligible for student membership of the IES.

What you will learn
Sustainability, energy and the environment are at the forefront of current business and policy priority areas and this course offers the opportunity to:
- Learn about renewable energy technologies and energy efficiency.
- Investigate strategies for waste and resource management.
- Develop the business skills necessary to apply this knowledge in a practical working environment.
- Gain entrepreneurial skills relevant to environmental business development.
- Business and Management / Engineering Principles – provides the basic knowledge underpinning mechanics and engineering.
- Waste Management – includes agricultural, construction and municipal waste. Students will also gain practical knowledge of waste as a source of energy.
- Environmental Science – students will explore the underpinning principles of Earth Systems to identify and understand the basics of environmental systems at various scales, from global to the local.
- Wind Turbine Technology – provides the knowledge and skills to analyse sites for suitability for a wind turbine, calculate economic return, and gain knowledge of turbine types.
- Environmental Business Planning – enables learners to extend their knowledge gained in other modules into managing a specialist field of their own choosing.
- Energy Assessment – students will develop the necessary skills to assess energy demands and usage in domestic and commercial buildings.
- Economics of Renewable Energy – explores the economic and environmental aspects of energy use, both renewable and non-renewable.
- Business Improvement Techniques – this module will be delivered by a series of practical interactive lectures with an emphasis on teamwork, innovation and problem solving skills.
- Work Based Learning – students will apply all of the technical, management and business knowledge gained in their course to work experience in a real life situation with a view to permanent employment.

Assessment
Assessment for each module will take the form of an assignment and an exam, or assignment only. Exams usually take place in January and May.

Core Modules
- Sustainability and the Environment – learners will explore the wider impact of sustainability on the environment and world economy.
- Renewable Energy Applications – an introduction to the study of energy production, with an emphasis on clean energy, energy efficiency and renewable energy.
- Biomass and Biofuels Technology – an overview from site selection through to processing and end uses for Biomass and Biofuel products.

Work Placement
Work Placement is an integral part of this course, providing students with on-the-job training that provides valuable employability skills for their future career. Upon successful interview, you will be placed with a company for four days a week while attending college one day a week for the duration of this course.

Career Opportunities
- Energy Management
- Waste Management
- Renewable Energy Development
- Environmental Consultancy

Progression
Upon successful completion of the Foundation Degree candidates can progress to the QUB BSc (Hons) in Energy, Environment and Sustainability, available part time at SWC Omagh Campus.

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Bringing degree qualifications closer to you.
South West College is proud to be working in partnership with the Ulster University and Queen’s University Belfast and is currently engaging on an ambitious project entitled ‘Project 10’.

Project 10 is a forward-looking programme designed to deliver Higher Education to Degree Level (Level 6) in the South West region through the establishment of a rural university base. South West College is proud to have strong partnerships with both universities and it is through a strong collaborative drive that Project 10 will deliver quality higher education to the people of the South West region through pioneering blended learning technologies.
Overview of the Course

The overall aim of this programme is to provide an academically challenging, intellectually stimulating and broad-based programme of study at a level appropriate to the award of an Honours Degree. The programme focuses on subjects and disciplines associated with business and management studies.

What you will learn

This degree programme prepares you for a career in business management in the public, private and voluntary sectors. It focuses on the acquisition and application of knowledge, relevant to the role of the manager in a rapidly changing environment, which is the modern business world. This course also provides you with opportunities to develop and enhance your range of personal and interpersonal transferable skills, which are vital to successful performance in the workplace.

Core Modules

You must complete a total of six Level 6 modules in the following areas:

- Business Strategy
- Enterprise Development and Entrepreneurship
- Leadership and Change
- Effective Organisations and the Consultancy Process
- Governance, Risk and Ethics
- Strategic HRM

In addition, a further two Level 5 modules must be undertaken as part of the Link Year. These modules are:

- Accounting for Business Decision-Making
- Operations Management.

Entry Requirements

A HND or Foundation Degree in Business Studies or equivalent is required to gain entry onto this programme. GCSE English and Maths (or equivalent) are also required.

Assessment

Modules are assessed through a combination of coursework, presentations, group activities, class tests and examinations.

Tuition Fees

£285 per module

Other Fees Associated with the Course

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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Progression

As a graduate of this programme, you will possess a combination of knowledge and skills which is attractive to a wide range of employers. The career opportunities available include management level posts in finance, production, purchasing, personnel and marketing in industry and commerce, both in Northern Ireland and further afield. Graduates can progress to postgraduate studies such as a Masters qualification and to industry-specific qualifications.
Overview of the Course
This is a four-year part-time course aimed at those interested in a career in Early Years. The theoretical training establishes and develops the skills necessary to cope with the challenges of supporting, caring for and educating young children in a professional environment. A work based element forms an integral part of the degree and graduates will be highly qualified with a sound, practical and theoretical training. Applications must be made to Stranmillis before 1st March on year of entry.

What you will learn
This course will provide you with the necessary knowledge and skills needed to pursue a career as an Early Years Practitioner.

Core Modules
The BA (Hons) Degree in Early Childhood Studies is based on the concept of ‘Educate’. It aims to both investigate and further advance a multi-professional approach within the Early Years services in Northern Ireland and beyond.

The modules offered will address broad areas such as:
- Understanding the Child;
- The Child in the Learning Context;
- and The Child in the Family and Community.

Specific modules include:
- Childhood in Society;
- Support Children’s Health and well-being;
- Foundation in Social and Developmental Learning;
- Child Development;
- Children’s Learning Intentions;
- Early Years Curriculum;
- Management, Leadership and Professionalism;
- Research Methods;
- Partnership with Children and Families;
- International Perspectives;
- and Dissertation.

Optional Modules
Examples of optional units studied include:
- Current Issues;
- Advanced Social and Developmental Learning;
- and Advanced Understanding of Diversity and Inclusion.

Entry Requirements
Applicants must meet the minimum admission requirements of:
- 4 GCSEs at Grade C (including English Language and Mathematics) and 3 GCE A levels at Grades BBB (relevant subject required) or Grades BBB in VCE A Level.
- totalling 18 units (relevant subject required)

Alternative qualifications:
- Level 3 Diploma Children’s Care Learning and Development.
- Access or HND qualifications.
- Opportunities for articulation arrangements are available for Learners who have completed a Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies.

Assessment
Learners will be assessed using a variety of assessment methods including:
- Reflective Practice Portfolio [RPP];
- Examinations;
- Presentations;
- Practical;
- Seminars;
- Reflective Diaries/Logs;
- and Reports.

Tuition Fees
£275 per module.

Other Fees Associated with the Course
Enhanced Access NI disclosure is required in the first and third year of the programme and costs £33.

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- Students are required to meet programme regulations with regards to progression between years.
*The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression
The degree provides the essential knowledge and experience for those working with young children in a variety of establishments and contexts. Graduates can pursue further study at both Postgraduate Diploma and Master’s level in the fields of Early Childhood Studies, Play Therapy and provides a foundation for entry to postgraduate study to gain qualified teacher status, including the Post-Graduate Certificate in Education (Early Years).
ULSTER UNIVERSITY
BSC HONS
COMPUTING SYSTEMS

Introduction
South West College in partnership with Ulster University is offering a part-time honours degree top-up in Computer Systems, based on the Enniskillen campus. This top-up programme enables students with a Foundation Degree in Computing (or University-approved equivalent) to complete the honours degree with a further 3 years of part-time study. Lectures will be delivered by University lecturers via videoconferencing from Jordanstown and most practicals, seminars and tutorials will be delivered by South West College Staff on the Enniskillen campus.

About the Course
The BSc Hons Computing Systems course provides a broad-based education that includes computing, programming and technology. The overall aim of the course is to provide a broadly based education in computing systems that will produce graduates equipped to apply best practice in software engineering to the development of a wide range of information systems in organisations. This will enable graduates to embark on a professional career in computing with specific vocational skills relevant to local industry needs. The career will also help meet industry’s current shortage of high-quality graduates in computing.

In support of this, the course has the following objectives:
• To provide a systematic study of the theory and principles of programming and software engineering, computer hardware and software technologies, and the role of computing systems in organisations.
• To develop an ability to analyse computing problems and formulate practical solutions to these problems, coupled with the ability to critically evaluate the approach and techniques used.
• To provide opportunities for the development of practical skills in software development in a business/industrial context.
• To develop key skills and competencies to support a student’s progression into a career in the software industry or further academic study.

Modules
Year one
• Communications
• Database Systems
• Dynamic Web Authoring
• Object-oriented Programming
• Human Computer Interaction

Year Two
• Web Applications Development
• Mobile Technology
• Organisational Process Focus
• Project Management
• Embedded Systems Design

Attendance
Classes are normally held on Wednesday afternoons and evenings during semesters 1 and 2, and on two three-day blocks during semester 3. You will be expected to complete five 20-credit-point modules in year 1 of the top-up, three 20-point and two 10-point modules in the second year, and a 40-point Project module in the final year. A typical 20-point module will require 200 hours of work, of which approximately a quarter will be contact hours and the rest independent study.

Admissions Criteria
Applicants must hold a relevant Foundation Degree in Computing or University-approved equivalent. Grade C or above in English and Maths at GCSE (or University-approved equivalent) is compulsory.

Careers & opportunities
Graduates of Computing Systems will be eligible for a broad range of careers within computing, software engineering, web development and database administration and in fields related to software engineering processes and quality assurance. Students from this course will be eligible to enter graduate employment or to undertake further study at master’s or PhD level.

Grants
As a part-time undergraduate student you may be eligible for a means tested fee grant of up to £1,230 and a course grant of up to £265. These grants do not have to be repaid. Find out more about financial support for part-time study.

Fees
£285 per Modules.

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OVERVIEW OF THE COURSE

This course offers the opportunity to:

- Learn about renewable energy technologies and energy efficiency.
- Investigate strategies for waste and resource management.
- Develop the business skills necessary to apply this knowledge in a practical working environment.
- Gain entrepreneurial skills relevant to environmental business development.
- All presented in a highly accessible format with an emphasis on hands-on project work and relevant up to date information.

Core Modules

Stage 1
- Introduction to Sustainable Development and Environmental Protection
- Introduction to Renewable Energy Applications
- Principles of Environmental Science
- Principles of Business & Economics
- Engineering Principles and Applications
- Study & Professional Skills

Stage 2
- Environmental Modelling and Geospatial Analysis
- Renewable Energy Technologies 2
- Policies for Environmental Sustainability
- Sustainable Waste and Water Management
- Environmental Management
- Work Placement

Stage 3
- The Economics of the Environment
- Transition to a Low Carbon Economy
- Business Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- Environmental Engineering
- Research Project

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- A-level: BBB + GCSE English and Mathematics at grade C.
- BTEC Extended Diploma: any BTEC Extended Diploma with 10 Distinctions and 8 Merits + GCSE Mathematics grade C.
- Access: average 65%.
- Foundation Degree: candidates will be considered on an individual basis. Offers will normally be based on year 1 performance (normally minimum 55% in each module) and include a specified year 2 average mark and individual module mark targets depending on subject area.
- OR
- Mature candidates who cannot offer any of the above will be assessed for admission on the basis of their appropriate skills and knowledge.
- All candidates must be aged at least 18 years at the date of entry and will be interviewed prior to admission.

ASSESSMENT

Assessment for each module will take the form of an assignment and an exam, or by assignment only. Exams usually take place in January and May.

Tuition Fees:
- £275 per module.

Other Fees Associated with the Course

During your course you may be required to purchase course text books and incur additional costs for printing, photocopying and binding. The overall additional costs incurred to support your studies may be in the region of £250 per year.

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- Students are required to meet programme regulations with regards to progression between years.

The minimum overall pass mark of 40% is required to be achieved in all modules.

Progression

Graduates of the BSc in Energy, Environment and Sustainability (EES) will have developed key graduate skills in identifying and working towards targets for personal, academic and career development, developing an adaptable and flexible approach to professional activity, responsible citizenship and the world of work. Graduates of this degree can progress to post-graduate studies in many fields, for example in Environmental Management, or Sustainable Development. In both the public and private sectors there is widespread and increasing interest in a broad range of environmental and sustainability issues and a growing need in the workplace for people with an understanding of the sustainability agenda.

An emphasis on employability throughout the BSc. EES programme aims to provide the skills required for future employment in the fields of energy, environmental management, environmental consultancy and sustainable policy development.
Overview of the Course
The BSc Honours Degree in Social Work is a professional qualification that meets the requirements of the Northern Ireland Social Care Council. Training to become a social worker involves a mixture of academic study and professional practice learning opportunities for a total of 185 days during the Degree.

What you will learn
During Practice Placements (two episodes of 85 days and 100 days) students will work full time alongside social work practitioners and supported and assessed by a Practice Teacher. A range of placement opportunities are provided by a wide range of agency partners from Health and Social Care Trusts and other voluntary and statutory agencies and these providers are integral to the development and delivery of the programme.

Core Modules
This Honours Degree will require students to study a variety of specialist modules to develop knowledge, skills and values relevant to professional social work practice.

Entry Requirements
A-Level
The A Level requirement for this course is BBB. Applicants may satisfy the requirement for one A Level grade by substituting a combination of alternative qualifications to the same standard as recognized by the University.

Entry Requirements
GCSEs
Applicants must satisfy the General Entrance Requirements for admission to a first degree course and hold a GCSE pass in English Language and Mathematics at grade C or above (or equivalent). Please note that we do not accept Essential Skills Application of Number as equivalent to GCSE Mathematics.

Additional Entry Requirements
HND overall distinction with distinctions in 90 level 4 credits. HND: Overall merit with distinctions in 60 level 5 credits. Ulster Foundation Degree: 55% overall average in level 5 modules.

Entry Requirements for International Students
International students must meet the general entrance requirements for admission to a first degree. The English Language requirement for international applicants is Academic IELTS 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5. Trinity ISE – pass at Level 3 also meets this requirement for Tier 4 visa purposes. Ulster recognises a number of other English Language tests and comparable IELTS equivalent scores.

Assessment
Assessment methods include assignments, individual and group presentations, logbooks, examinations, group work and individual reflections.

Tuition Fees
Full-time Tuition Fees are currently £4,275.

Occupational Health Screening is currently £35 (additional £50 if vaccinations are necessary). Occupational Health Screening is required in advance of becoming a student (those with firm offers). A further Hepatitis B vaccination may be required if a student is allocated a placement in a clinical or hospital setting at an additional cost of £90.

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Progression
Students will undertake the first two years of this Honours Degree at SWC, Dungannon Campus. In the third year, students will transfer to Ulster University, Magee Campus. Following this, students may progress into the Social Work Profession on completion of their academic award. Students will complete a further assessed year in employment to become a fully qualified and registered social worker with the Northern Ireland Social Care Council.
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