CONSERVATIVE DENTISTRY
MSc /
2017/18 ENTRY

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A full-time, one-year (or for specialist registrars (StRs), a part-time, two-year) Master's programme that provides advanced knowledge in various areas of conservative dentistry.

**Degree summary**

The programme provides theoretical and practical experience in the conservative restoration of cases ranging from a single missing tooth to full mouth rehabilitation, utilising either tooth or implant-supported restorations. The MS Conservative Dentistry at the UCL Eastman Dental Institute is an intensive programme which maintains a good balance between theoretical knowledge and practical application, in addition to a research component. Students gain theoretical and practical clinical and laboratory experience in the conservative restoration of cases ranging from a single missing tooth to full mouth rehabilitation, utilising either tooth or implant-supported restorations. This is accomplished through exposure to advanced diagnosis and treatment planning procedures, clinical practice, as well as undertaking the laboratory work for their patients as keys to successful clinical treatment. The programme has been running for many years and enjoys great world-wide reputation. Find out more about the programme on the institute’s Conservative Dentistry MSc page.

The programme is delivered through a combination of lectures, small group teaching, journal clubs, and one-to-one teaching in the clinical and laboratory situation. Assessment is through written papers (MCQ, MSA, and essays), mock written, oral and patient examination, supervised clinical work, internal graduate appraisal, logbooks, and the dissertation.

**Degree structure**

Mode: Full-time: 1 year; Part-time: 2 years
Location: London, Bloomsbury

Students undertake modules to the value of 180 credits. The programme consists of seven core modules (120 credits) and a dissertation module (60 credits).

### CORE MODULES
- Clinical Science and Research Methods
- Interdisciplinary Aspects of Restorative Treatment
- Principles of Treatment Core Course (Conservative Dentistry, Implant Dentistry, Prosthodontics)
- Fundamentals of Fixed and Implant Prosthodontics
- Prosthodontic Treatment Planning and Functional Occlusion
- Prosthodontic Operative Dentistry and Endodontics
- Clinical and Laboratory Treatment (Conservative Dentistry)

### OPTIONAL MODULES
- There are no optional modules for this programme.

### DISSERTATION/REPORT
- All MSc students undertake an independent research project which culminates in a dissertation of approximately 10,000–12,000 words.
Your career

The programme is recommended for dental professionals wanting to upgrade and extend their knowledge and level of clinical practice of conservative dentistry in order to prepare for a career in private or mixed practice, the hospital or community services, industrial dental practice, or an academic career in the field.

- Ministry of Defence: Dental Officer
- NHS: Specialist Registrar (Restorative Dentistry)
- Private practice
- NHS: Specialist Doctor
- University appointments: Clinical Teaching Fellow
- Further academic career as PhD student

Employability

The programme enjoys an excellent reputation for producing graduates possessing sound clinical skills based on a solid theoretical knowledge background.
**Entry requirements**

All applicants must normally hold an approved dental qualification and have a minimum of two years’ clinical experience post-qualification.

**English language proficiency level**

If your education has not been conducted in the English language, you will be expected to demonstrate evidence of an adequate level of English proficiency.

The level of English language proficiency for this programme is: **Good**.

Information about the evidence required, acceptable qualifications and test providers is provided at: [www.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/english-requirements](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/english-requirements)

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**Your application**

Students are advised to apply as early as possible due to competition for places. Those applying for scholarship funding (particularly overseas applicants) should take note of application deadlines.

When we assess your application we would like to learn:

// how your academic and professional background meets the demands of this programme
// why you want to study this programme at graduate level
// what particularly attracts you to this programme at the EDI
// where you would like to go professionally with your degree and how this programme meets your needs

Together with essential academic requirements, the personal statement is your opportunity to illustrate whether your reasons for applying to this programme match what the programme will deliver.

Successful applicants to this programme will be required to pay a tuition fee deposit dependent on their mode of study and fee status as given below:

// UK/EU full-time: £2,500
// UK/EU part-time: £2,500
// Overseas full-time: £5,000
// Overseas part-time: £5,000

Further details can be found on the [Fees and funding](#) page.

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**FEES AND FUNDING 2017/18 ENTRY**

// UK: £25,890 (FT), £12,680 (PT)
// EU: £25,890 (FT), £12,680 (PT)
// Overseas: £43,930 (FT), £33,440 (PT)

The tuition fees shown are for the year indicated above. Fees for subsequent years may increase or otherwise vary. Further information on fee status, fee increases and the fee schedule can be viewed on the [UCL Current Students website](#).

Full details of funding opportunities can be found on the UCL Scholarships website: [www.ucl.ac.uk/scholarships](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/scholarships)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE**

All applicants: 7 January 2017

Details on how to apply are available on the website at: [www.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/apply](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/apply)

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**EU referendum**

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