ORTHOPAEDICS MSc / 2019/20 ENTRY

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The MSc Orthopaedics aims to integrate higher-level team based education in Orthopaedics & allied specialties. Clinical practice worldwide has a strong tradition of allied teams working together towards achieving the common goal of successful patient outcome.

**Degree summary**

The MSc Orthopaedics will enhance knowledge in a range of Orthopaedic topics. Students will study clinical orthopaedics specific to upper limb, lower limb, trauma, paediatrics, oncology and spine. In addition depending on the optional modules chosen, students will also be taught evidence-based medicine, sports & exercise medicine, bio-medical engineering, and musculoskeletal medicine or perioperative medicine. Students will complete a research project thesis and viva, and will be encouraged to work alongside clinicians and researchers in order to make the projects clinically relevant and translatable.

This MSc is closely linked to UCLH, which has a strong tradition of high quality research in Orthopaedics & allied specialities. This unique platform will offer the opportunity to experience first hand taught modules in orthopaedics with additional modules in an allied sub-specialties of your choice.

You will use classroom and online activities to complete your chosen modules although research projects have to be completed at dedicated sites. The programme is open to overseas students who wish to experience the high standards of UCL education and have a desire to enhance their skills and credentials with an internationally recognized prestigious qualification.

Students will be assessed by a variety of methods, including unseen written examinations, Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), coursework assignments, short and long answer questions, forum discussion, dissertation and oral presentations.

**Degree structure**

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

MSc students complete a 180 credit programme: eight taught modules (120 credits), and a research dissertation (60 credits). Students can select up to three optional modules (45 credits).

Please note that the list of modules given here is indicative. This information is published a long time in advance of enrolment and module content and availability is subject to change.

**COMPULSORY MODULES**
- Trauma Theory and Upper Limb
- Children's Orthopaedics
- Upper limb
- The Spine and Research Methodology
- Lower limb
- Research Project

**OPTIONAL MODULES**
- Students can select up to three optional modules (45 credits) in the following subjects:
- Towards a New Model in Perioperative Care
- Data and Statistics in Perioperative Care
- Rehabilitation of Sports Injuries
- Clinical Aspects of Musculoskeletal Medicine and Surgery
- Musculoskeletal Biomechanics and Biomaterials
Your career

The MSc in Orthopaedics is designed to teach students to apply knowledge from a range of Orthopaedic topics as well as from the chosen stream of optional modules depending on their area of interest and expertise.

Students will learn to work in a team of allied clinical staff, replicating their day-to-day set up in their own institutions. Other transferable skills will be gained such as research methodology, evidence gathering, presenting evidence in a structured argument and self appraisal which will be useful for future employment.
Entry requirements

A minimum of a second-class UK Bachelor's degree or overseas qualification of an equivalent standard, along with registration with a relevant professional body.

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: Standard.

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

Your application

When we assess your application we would like to learn:

- why you want to study Orthopaedics at graduate level
- why you want to study Orthopaedics at UCL
- what particularly attracts you to the chosen programme
- how your academic and professional background meets the demands of this challenging programme
- where you would like to go professionally with your degree.

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.

There is an application processing fee for this programme of £75 for online applications and £100 for paper applications. Further information can be found at:
www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/graduate/taught/application.

FEES AND FUNDING 2019/20 ENTRY

UK: £12,750 (FT), £6,375 (PT)
EU: £12,750 (FT), £6,375 (PT)
Overseas: £27,470 (FT), £13,750 (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 Students website.

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

APPLICATION DEADLINE

All applicants: 30 August 2019
Details on how to apply are available on the website at:
www.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/apply

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EU referendum

For up-to-date information relating to specific key questions following the UK’s decision to leave the EU, please refer to www.ucl.ac.uk/brexit