RESTORATIVE DENTAL PRACTICE MSc / 2019/20 ENTRY

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This part-time three-year Master’s programme enhances students’ ability to provide high-quality and comprehensive restorative management for the majority of patients.

**Degree summary**

The programme aims to enhance students’ knowledge of the clinical applications and limitations of restorative dentistry, develop the skill of critical reading of published literature, and enhance research methodology and presentation skills. A comprehensive range of Restorative Dentistry topics will be covered, progressively and systematically increasing your range and depth of knowledge as you progress through the programme.

The programme is taught by eminent restorative dentists on the institute’s staff and complemented by respected visiting clinicians and teachers. Students benefit from first-class facilities and access to a wide range of clinical cases and techniques.

Read further information on modules and degree structure.

The programme is delivered through seminars, lectures and practical sessions in state-of-the-art skills laboratories, providing a highly supportive and relevant learning experience in Restorative Dentistry. Assessments include: Reflective Portfolios, Clinical Case Presentations, Coursework and Written Examinations.

**Degree structure**

Mode: Part-time: 3 years; Flexible: up to 5 years

Location: London, Bloomsbury

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

- The scientific basis of restorative dentistry 1
- The scientific basis of restorative dentistry 2
- Advanced clinical restorative dentistry 1
- Advanced clinical restorative dentistry 2
- Dissertation and oral examination

**OPTIONAL MODULES**

There are no optional modules for this programme.

**DISSERTATION/REPORT**

Each student undertakes a research project culminating in a 10,000–12,000 word report and an oral examination. Other options include the writing up of a systematic/critical review of the literature or a critical appraisal of a comprehensive patient treatment case.
Your career
Most graduates return to enhanced careers in general dental practice. A small number progress to full-time Master’s programmes, sometimes with specialist training. One recent graduate progressed to a part-time PhD. Others develop a part-time career in teaching.

Employability
Graduates use the qualification to improve their prospects by moving to better dental practices, setting up their own dental practices, progressing to full-time Master’s programmes and specialist training, progressing to PhD level, and developing careers in teaching.
Entry requirements

Applicants must possess an undergraduate dental qualification (i.e. BDS, or equivalent from a recognised institution) and have a minimum of one year experience post-qualification. Applicants must have full and current registration with the UK General Dental Council (or equivalent) and to be in practice with access to patients for the duration of the programme.

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

Your application

Please note that due to the competition for places, applications will not be accepted after the deadline. You must also submit a portfolio. Details for portfolio submission will be sent to you once you have submitted your UCL application. Applicants will be considered for Slade scholarships as part of the admissions process.

When we assess your application we would like to learn:

- your academic and professional background meets the demands of this programme
- why you want to study restorative dental practice at graduate level
- what particularly attracts you to this programme
- 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.

There is an application processing fee for Eastman Dental Institute programmes of £110 for online applications and £135 for paper applications. Further information can be found at: www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/graduate/taught/application.