University of Hertfordshire

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Courses covered

| Code | Title |
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| BSPM | MSc Project Management |

You can find full details of this course in the Programme Specification.

Important points

The MSc Project Management programme is accredited by the Association for Project Management (APM).

This programme is to equip themselves with the knowledge, skills and understanding regarded as necessary for a career in Project Management. MSc Project Management provides a variety of opportunities for students with different interests and backgrounds to unite in learning and applying project management theory and methods.

The programme covers qualitative and quantitative aspects of project management knowledge areas. The curriculum provides students with hands-on exercises and a range of practical knowledge and skills that could be applied immediately in any project management work environment. This programme also allows students to consider opportunities for further academic development and research in the field of Project Management.

MSc Project Management is based on robust academic content, and founded on the thorough understanding of the theoretical basis of project management. This basis is informed by latest research in underlying subject disciplines, professional bodies of knowledge and critical appraisal of emerging practice. This programme builds bridges between the theoretical underpinnings and project management practice. The programme includes critical evaluation and highlights the limitations of theory in its application and the challenges provided by emerging practice.

About Hertfordshire Business School (HBS)

HBS has over 150 full time academic staff and 120 visiting lecturers who bring their industry expertise into the classroom. There are an additional 40 staff in the professional team, supporting students and the work of the School. HBSI offers 8 different subject areas which cover all areas of teaching, research and consultancy within the school. With a student body of more than 4000 the School delivers close to 20,000 scheduled learning activities per annum, supporting more than one million hours of student learning per annum.

Our vision is to empower students through transformational education and research. Our mission is to transform students as learners and professionals, enabling them to play their part in the global economy by challenging and innovating business thinking.

Academic Year

Academic Year 2019 - 2020

The University's academic year is made up of 3 Semesters. For most undergraduate/postgraduate students the academic year is split into two Semesters (A & B). Each of these is made up of teaching weeks followed by exams (the re-sit period falls within Semester C)

- Semester A runs from Monday 23 September 2019 to Friday 17 January 2020
- Semester B runs from Monday 20 January 2020 to Friday 22 May 2020
- Semester C runs from Monday 25 May 2020 to Friday 18 September 2020

Additional expenses

| Description | Year | Mandatory/ Optional | Estimated cost |
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| Books Postgraduate study requires extensive reading and access to reference works. Recommended texts are available in the Learning Resources Centre, however availability may be limited so students may wish to purchase their own copies. The average price of a recommended text is approximately £50, although you may be able to buy second-hand copies. | ALL | Optional | The average price of a recommended text is approximately £50 |