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Undergraduate & Postgraduate Courses 2017/2018

Jersey's Leading Provider of Higher Education

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UCJ is the leading provider of Higher Education in Jersey. Each year over 200 full and part time students choose to further their studies with us in Jersey, benefiting from small class sizes, inspiring teachers, work-based learning and the highest standards of pastoral care. In the last two years, student academic achievement far outstripped the UK average and the majority of graduates progressed to post-graduate studies or graduate-level employment.

Our strong partnerships with two of the UK's leading universities, Plymouth University and London South Bank University, award each degree we offer and enhance learning experience by providing academic guidance and quality assurance of our provision. We partner with over 100 professional employer organisations who provide extensive work placements for students, contribute to the design of new programmes, as well as support the continuing refinement of our existing provision.

This year sees the launch of an exciting new degree in Psychology and Criminology, developed in response to demand from local students, whilst work continues behind the scenes to create several more new degree programmes over the next few years. As our community grows, students are taking part in a range of extra-curricular activities, such as trips to New York and China, social activities and attending conferences.

In partnership with the student community, we aim to keep doing what we do best, providing enriching learning at a higher level for the island's community. We look forward to welcoming you to UCJ.

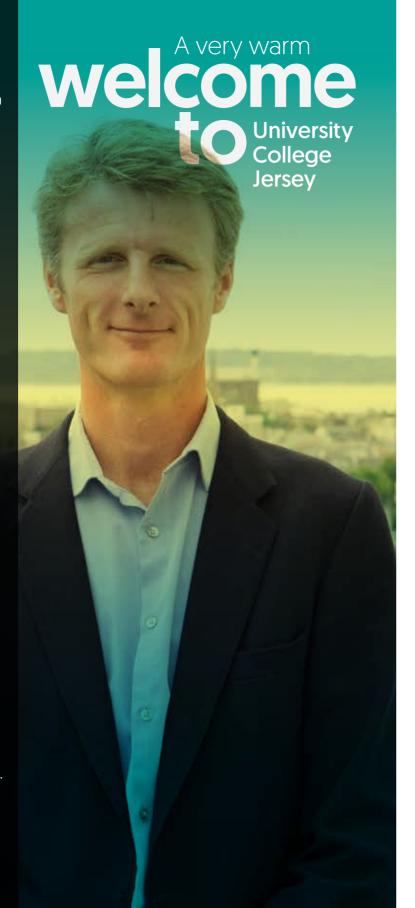
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## why study a University Degree in Jersey?



#### x200 student body

UCJ Is the leading provider of Higher Education in the Channel Islands



### 83% of students achieved

a 1st class or upper 2nd class honours degree in 2016



### 95% of students graduating

from UCJ have a firm job offer before graduating



### value for money 3 year degree @

UCJ is less than a third of the cost of a comparable degree in the UK



#### Earn up to £5000

for students on Business & Management, IT for Business & Financial Services degrees



#### full access

to all of Highlands facilities and support services



#### academic partners

achieve your degree in partnership with Plymouth University or London South Bank University



#### **Work & Learn**

Access to professional industry employers through work placements to develop your employability and skills



# which degree?

#### FdA/FdSc (Foundation Degree)

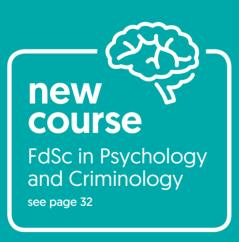
A foundation degree is a Level 5 stand alone qualification usually delivered in 2 years full-time or 4 years part-time. All of our foundation degrees combine academic study with work placements. Designed in association with employers. they are qualifications to equip you with the relevant skills, knowledge and understanding to achieve academic results as well as improve performance and productivity in the work place. A foundation degree can be topped up to a full Bachelor's (BA/BsC Hons) degree with an additional year of full-time study.

#### BSc/BA (Hons) Degree

An honours degree is a Level 6 qualification designed to develop higher-level skills and understanding to work towards a career in management, research and academic pathways. All degree programmes have a strong practical element, and our links with industry partners ensure they are relevant to the professional world to improve your employability and success at the end of your course.

#### MSc (Master's Degree)

A Master's degree is a Level 7 qualification for those who have completed a full degree. It is an intense period of study, normally lasting 1 year full-time or 2 years part-time and includes both taught and research components (based on a thesis). Master's degrees are for those interested in an academic career or higher level employment such as senior management, directorship and those who want to develop their evaluative and critical-thinking skills in a specialist field.



# academic partners

#### **Plymouth University**

Plymouth University is the largest university In the South-West of England and ranked 5th in the UK by the Times Higher Education Top 150 under 50 (a global ranking of the top 150 universities under 50 year's old). Our long-term partnership with Plymouth University spans over 20 years and we are very proud that our students are awarded a degree from a university with global recognition and esteem.

#### **London South Bank University**

With a focus on vocational education and professional opportunity, LSBU has been delivering professional qualifications for over 120 years. The university specialises in delivering degree education to students already in work, placing them as the perfect partner for our part-time programmes in Construction Management and Human Resource Management. Degrees and Higher National qualifications have been delivered by LSBU at UCJ since 1999.

#### Northumbria University. Newcastle

Develop a career in a dynamic and diverse industry, gain the right skills, knowledge and competences to work in a global environment and receive help and advice from worldrenowned professionals who have access

to state-of-the-art facilities and a network of experts across the globe. Working in partnership with Northumbria University, UCJ students who undertake a FdA in Sport & Management or Business & Management have the opportunity to complete a 1 year top-up programme to gain a BSc (Hons) Sport Management degree and study a further year to gain a Masters in International Sport Management.

#### **Ascentis Awarding Organisation**

Ascentis is an Awarding Organisation and Access Validating Agency and is our trusted partner for the Access to Higher Education qualification. Ascentis creates cutting edge qualifications for FE Colleges, Training Providers, Schools, Employers and many other organisations both in the UK and overseas.

#### Jersey International Centre of Advanced Studies

JICAS is an independent, non-profit institution that aims to promote and facilitate research for an international community of scholars and students. JICAS attracts internationally renowned academics, intellectuals and politicians to help raise the intellectual capital of the island of Jersey and elevate the island's standing within the global academic community.















#### BA (Hons) Financial Services Graduate. Supervisor, JTC Group, Cape Town South Africa

I graduated in 2014 with a 2:1 BA (Hons) Financial Services and joined JTC at the same time. You realise how important the work placement becomes in terms of preparing you for work - it's a steep learning curve to go from studying on your own timetable to being expected to work 9-5. The work placement prepares you for this where you're faced with daily pressures and deadlines that come with it.

The knowledge gained from the degree has been highly relevant, after recently completing my ICSA Diploma; 4 exams, all of which I had covered on the degree.

It was always my aim to work abroad which is why I chose JTC, due to their global presence. It's important to consider where your employer can take you rather than accepting the first offer that comes along, it took me 2 years to get the move I wanted, but I always knew the opportunity was there if I could prove I was capable. I work as a Supervisor, based in the Cape Town office, assisting with the implementation of the new operating model. I am responsible for the overseeing of Jersey clients which is distributed amongst a team of 4.



#### BA (Hons) Business & Management Graduate. Consultant, Greenlight Jersey

I work as a Consultant at Greenlight, a specialist in business and technology transformation. Greenlight provides a wide range of services, from project management and business analysis, through to system selection and implementation. Currently I'm working across 2 different projects, managing a system implementation and supporting 2 process-improvement initiatives. These projects have required a number of different skills and techniques, from project management and completing documentation such as impact assessments, to analysis-based activities such as requirements-gathering and process-mapping.

There are some clear connections between the Business and Management degree and the job I do now. On a daily basis, I must have an awareness of change management tools and techniques, as well as displaying elements of leadership. Both featured frequently throughout the degree modules and were discussed at length in lectures. Undoubtedly the real benefit was the ability to put theory into practice during work placements, where I experienced how leadership and change actually works in practice. Ultimately this has given me an insight into things that work well and not so well, leading me to develop my own style.



At UCJ, students frequently comment on the high level of academic and pastoral support provided by our team of highly experienced and qualified staff. Having access to the support you need, when you need it, can make all the difference to your learning experience and success. Not everyone will need it, but if you do, we are here to help. Starting university is a rite of passage but you are not expected to cope alone; there are numerous support systems in place to help you adjust to this transition.

#### **Personal tutors**

You will have regular tutorials with your personal tutor which will give you the opportunity to discuss your progress and resolve any emerging academic support needs.

#### **Student support**

Our Student Support service is confidential and can be accessed to support you with those problems that life can intermittently throw at you. If your circumstances suddenly change and you find yourself in financial difficulties we can also provide you with information about the student hardship fund. The most important factor for us is that students ask for help and don't allow challenging circumstances to be the reason for dropping out of their course.

Our support team are on hand to help with issues relating to finance, relationships, health and wellbeing. You can access student support by speaking to any member of the department or contact us in confidence to arrange a one to one session.

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#### **Learning support**

Our Learning Support service helps students who have a variety of needs, including dyslexia and medical conditions such as epilepsy, diabetes and depression. Some students have received a diagnosis when they start university, whereas for others, assessment is part of the service and we can advise if dyslexia, dyspraxia or similar conditions are suspected. We can then use this information to ensure that your learning experience at UCJ is both supported and inclusive.

#### **Careers guidance**

Work placements are offered with each degree course to give students a breadth of work experience, the opportunity to build their professional networks and gain essential employability skills and experience. As well as this, we have a dedicated Careers and Employability team who are available to discuss options, guidance and support with you. We are proud to note that 95% of students graduating in 2016 were offered firm job roles on graduating.

#### **Mature students**

We appreciate that for many students returning to study after a break in education can present its own set of challenges, including the juggling of commitments of home-life and perhaps giving up a salary. In recognition of this, you are allocated a personal tutor who is your first point of contact should you find yourself struggling with your course. In addition, we also run workshops on study skills which can include note taking, essay writing and time management, and have drop-in sessions where you can access additional support.

# student life



The best aspect of my UCJ experience so far would definitely be getting the opportunity to travel to China for four weeks last summer after finishing my first year, where I stayed at a Chinese University, learnt Mandarin and walked the Great Wall of China.

Beth Rousseau, Year 2 Student

#### **China Trip**

Each summer, students have the opportunity to spend three weeks in China at two Partner Universities at Huzhou University in Zhejiang Province and the University in Beijing. Students learn about Chinese culture. Mandarin, society and business, local food and sightsee around each province. They get to practically learn how to make Chinese food, Chinese massage and martial arts and visit local Chinese families. Highlights are the Beijing Opera and visits to the Summer Palace, the Great Wall, Forbidden City, Tiananmen Square, Bird's Nest Olympic Stadium and Water Cube.

#### **New York Trip**

This biennial study trip is a highlight of the academic calendar at UCJ. The six day excursion takes in points of interest including the United Nations, UNESCO, Wall Street, the Federal Reserve Bank and the American Museum of Natural History. We also see a Broadway show, reach the top of the Empire State Building, enjoy a boat cruise to the Statue of Liberty and a basketball game at Madison Square Garden.

#### **London Trip**

First year students on Construction Management degree can undertake a residential week at London South Bank University. They receive tuition for their Research Project module and gives students a chance to engage with international students on campus. Students also access specialist science and material laboratories, enjoy a social evening with LSBU staff and go on a specialised site visit in London.

#### Fresher's week

Your student life at UCJ starts with Freshers' Week; an ideal opportunity to meet other students through fun and interesting activities, and is a chance for you to find out more about groups, societies and enrichment activities on offer during your time with us.

#### **JICAS/UCJ University Lecture Series**

JICAS and UCJ have partnered to present the University Lecture Series delivered by internationally acclaimed academics, intellectuals and politicians from the UK, Europe and North America. Its aim is to provide unique opportunities for student interaction, faculty discourse and community dialogue to explore frontiers of knowledge and facilitate thought-provoking debate.

#### Café Scientifique

These events offer a contemporary spin on the original Newtonian coffee house debate. Topics and speakers change but the venue and idea stays the same - an informal lecture. set in the informal surroundings of the pub, with a chance to discuss today's key issues.

#### Global Citizen

We're committed to creating a comparable university experience, including teaching students how to be a global citizen and think critically by showing them how to use these skills in real-life situations. This may be in the form of talks, presentations and external events on sociological, environmental and political topics affecting the world as a whole.

#### **Postgraduate Research Seminars**

These monthly events bring postgraduate students together in a supportive environment, creating an academic community on the island. The seminars allow students to present their research to their peers for review and discussion and encourage feedback and constructive debate.

# how to apply

All applications can be made by downloading a form at this link on our website.

www.highlands.ac.uk/application-forms/

Once you have submitted your application and have met all qualifying entry requirements, you will be contacted directly and invited for interview and be advised on any further preparation for entry requirements relating to your course. This may be in the form of a presentation or some written work.

If you are unsure of anything or have any questions, contact us directly:

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#### Student finance

If you are eligible to apply for funding through the States of Jersey visit: www.gov.je.

#### **Contact Student Finance**

Open Monday to Friday 8.30am - 4.30pm

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E studentfinance@gov.je

Or visit:

#### **Careers Jersey**

Philip Le Feuvre House La Motte Street. St Helier Jersev JE4 8PE



Studying at UCJ has allowed me to build a new career for myself and I am grateful to the tutors who helped me along the way.



#### **Access to Higher Education:**

#### **Diploma in Humanities** & Diploma in Science

1 year | Full time

#### Why choose this course?

- Enables students to gain Level 3 (A-level equivalency) qualifications
- Designed for students without the necessary requirements for degree-level study
- Intense, fast-track 1 year route to higher education
- 2 Access pathway options to chose from
- Prepares students for higher-level study in their chosen career path

#### What will I learn?

This programme is an intensive 1 year course, which is both challenging and intensive, condensing the content of a traditional A-level programme into one year. Learners should be prepared to commit time and effort to their studies in order to succeed. Offered in two Access pathway options: Diploma in Humanities and Diploma in Science; both designed to enable learners to progress onto a broad range of degrees.

#### **Access with Diploma in Humanities**

Includes the study of psychology, history and sociology, as well as developing important core academic skills such as critical reading and referencing, essay writing, using IT and preparing for examinations.

#### **Access with Diploma in Science**

Designed to encourage a spirit of scientific enquiry through exposure to the study and practice of hard science, such as chemistry, and soft science like psychology. Studies in biology will also help prepare students for further studies in nursing and related sectors of the medical profession.

#### How do I qualify?

#### Interview

- Students must demonstrate the potential to study at Level 3 (A-level)
- Students must have a desire to progress to higher education
- · Student must have a clear understanding of how to achieve their HE goals, including routes to university

#### **GCSE**

Minimum Grade C or above in English Language, Maths & Science (depending on chosen pathway).

#### Where can I go from here?

Students have progressed onto degree courses at UCJ and humanities and sciences degrees at a number of UK universities. The Access course offers a sound preparation for degree-level study through a range of teaching, learning and assessment strategies.





#### **Business & Management**

BA (Hons) and Foundation Degree (FdA)

3 years | Full time • 2 years | Full time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Prepares learners for a fulfilling career at management level in a wide range of industries
- Exciting work placement opportunities in a range of industries including retail, hospitality, financial services and public sector
- Develop your professional network through dedicated work experience
- Higher potential for job opportunities offers on completion

#### What will I learn?

From the rudiments of business accounting to strategic decision-making. students on this programme experience the full diet of business skills. Modules align with the professional work placements and are fully supported by a dedicated mentor and personal tutor, encouraging students to apply and reflect on knowledge acquired in the classroom whilst in the work context.

#### **Programme Leader**

Frederik Tonsberg **T** 01534 608736 E frederik.tonsberg@highlands.ac.uk

#### Year 1 (FdA)

- Business law and financial services regulation
- Business relationship and customer service management
- Business information systems
- Business accounting

#### Year 2 (FdA)

- Macro and Micro economics
- People and organisations
- Research, analysis and decision-making
- Operations and process management
- Marketing
- Human Resource Management

#### Year 3 (BA Hons)

- Honours project or Consultancy project
- Innovation and Enterprise
- Business ethics and corporate governance
- Leading people and managing
- Corporate Strategy





#### **Entry requirements**

A level

Two at grade C or above

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC

Comparable grade profile in a BTEC subject

Access to HE

Comparable grade profile

GCSE

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Complete a written task

Pass interview

#### Where can I go from here?

Students have been recruited into a range of trainee positions in Trust, Banking, Investment Management, Retail and HR. Starting salaries average around £25-30K. and most students have a firm job offer in hand before graduation.



#### **Success Stories**

I decided to study the degree structure as learning in class is very different from learning in a practical environment. UCJ combines class study with work placements which was extremely beneficial to my development and career.

Work placements give you the opportunity to sell yourself to your chosen organisations. I found a natural enjoyment and passion for HR and decided to pursue this as a career. I wouldn't have had this opportunity without the work placements. Studying with UCJ improved my confidence and skills, gave me opportunities to network in Jersey and ultimately resulted in me finding my current job and a career I love.

Emma Pannenborg
UCJ Graduate & HR Executive, Sanne

#### **Employer Partners**

Affinity Private Wealth
Appleby Global Group Services Limited
Ashburton Investments
Citi International Bank
Deutsche Bank International Limited
Greenlight
HSBC Bank International Limited
Intertrust
Investec Trust (Jersey) Limited
IPES Jersey

Jersey Pottery

JFSC

Langham Hall

MourantOzanne

Ogier

**RBC** 

Sanne Group

Santander Private Banking

State Street Bank and Trust Company

The States of Jersey

UBS

Waitrose

#### **Financial Services**

BA (Hons) and Foundation Degree (FdA)

3 years | Full time • 2 years | Full time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Prepares students for careers in technical or managerial roles in the offshore financial services sector
- Developed in partnership with leading financial services firms to ensure relevance & key skills are met
- Develop your professional network through work placement opportunities in leading financial services businesses in Jersey
- Higher potential for job offers on completion
- 3rd year top-up available for a full BA (Hons) degree (most students choose this option)

#### What will I learn?

You will gain a detailed understanding of the offshore financial services industry through case studies and real-world learning. Work placements are fully supported by a dedicated mentor and personal tutor, encouraging you to apply and reflect on knowledge acquired in the classroom whilst in the work context. Placements are paid, enabling you to earn while you learn. In common with the business and management programme you will also develop core knowledge and understanding to equip you to become a business leader of the future.

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#### **Programme Leader**

Ben Bennett **T** 01534 608699 E ben.bennett@highlands.ac.uk

#### Year 1 (FdA)

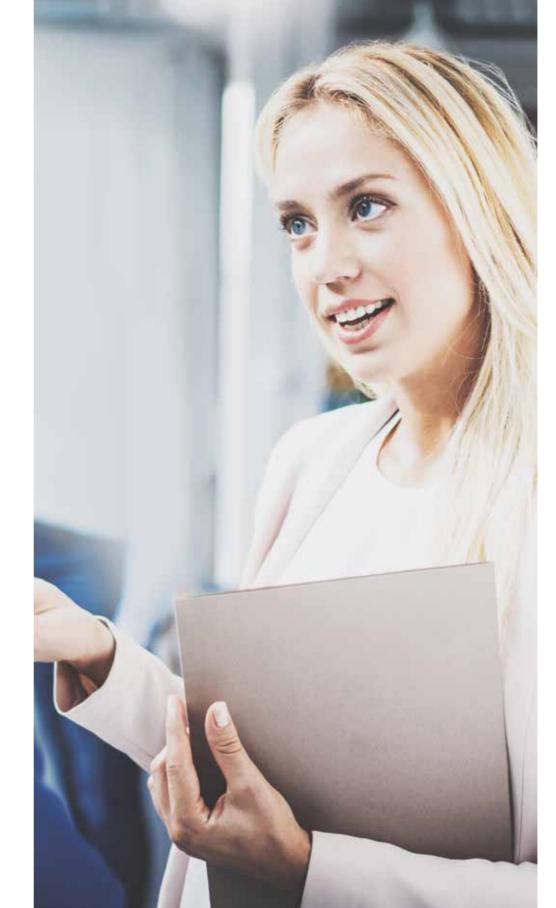
- Professional practice
- Business law and financial services regulation
- Business relationship and customer service management
- The international finance and accounting sectors
- Financial markets & investments 1
- Business accounting

#### Year 2 (FdA)

- Macro and Micro economics
- People and organisations
- Research, analysis and decision-making
- Operations and process management
- Marketing
- Financial markets & investment 2

#### Year 3 (BA Hons)

- Honours project or Consultancy project
- Applied Wealth Management
- Business ethics and corporate governance
- Leading people and managing change
- Financial sector: competitive advantage and strategic risk



#### **Entry requirements**

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Access to HE

Comparable grade profile

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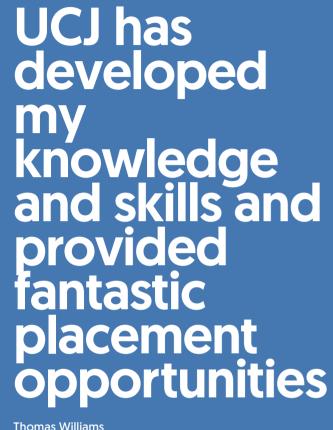
Complete a written task

Pass interview

#### Where can I go from here?

Students have been recruited into a range of trainee positions in Trust, banking, private equity. fund administration. investment management, and accounting. Starting salaries average £25-30K, and most students have a firm job offer before araduation. Recent graduates will commonly be supported through further professional learning with a range of awarding bodies.

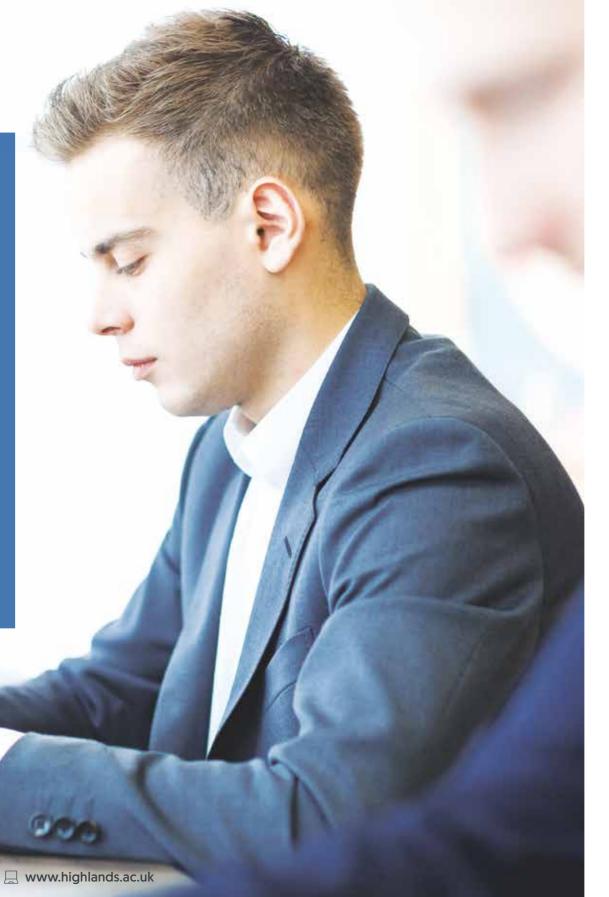
BA (Hons) and Foundation Degree (FdA)



Year 1, Financial Services Student

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#### **Success Stories**

I completed my BA (Hons) Financial Services at UCJ in 2013 and would thoroughly recommend this course to all individuals who would like to study towards a finance related degree. The degree provided great exposure to the finance industry through the work-based placement that allowed me to build the key transferable skills and behaviours required. The structured classroom lessons cover a variety of topics which enabled me to attain a broad knowledge across the finance sector as a whole. In addition, smaller class sizes gave me the opportunity to get a more personalised teaching experience and really get the most out of each lesson. The tutors were fantastic! This degree really helped me to get a job within the finance industry as I had both the knowledge and practical skills that employers look for. I am now working for Intertrust as a HR Resourcing Administrator and the knowledge I gained through my degree has been instrumental in my success.

Chloe Minson, BA (Hons) Financial Services Graduate. HR Resourcing Administrator at Intertrust, Jersey.

#### **Employer Partners**

Affinity Private Wealth Appleby Global Group Services Limited Ashburton Investments Citi International Bank Deutsche Bank International Limited Intertrust **HSBC Bank International Limited** Investec Trust (Jersey) Limited JFSC Langham Hall MourantOzanne Ogier RBC Sanne Group Santander Private Banking State Street Bank and Trust Company

Waitrose

#### **Information Technology for Business**

Foundation Degree (FdSc)

2 Years | Full Time • 4 Years | Part Time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Acquire the knowledge and skills to become a creative technology professional
- Join one of the world's largest, dynamic and ever-growing business
- High demand for technology professionals trained to the highest levels
- Learn the latest developments in the local technology industry
- Progress to a BSc (Hons) top-up year at a range of institutions

#### What will I learn?

This sector provides some of the most rewarding challenges and opportunities for an individual throughout their career. The course focuses on establishing critical understanding of technology strategies for business, developing industryrecognised knowledge and skills to implement new technology solutions for business, producing a culture of innovation and creativity that exploits technology for competitive advantage.

#### **Programme Leader**

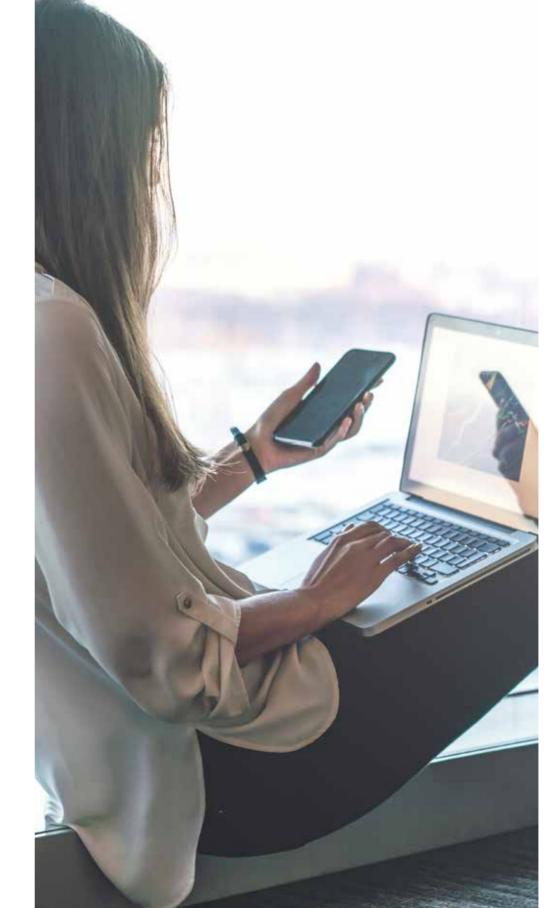
Frederik Tonsberg **T** 01534 608736 **E** frederik.tonsberg@highlands.ac.uk

#### Year 1 (FdSc)

- Professional practice
- Systems, services and support
- Fundamentals of networks
- Software development
- Business relationship management
- Business information systems

#### Year 2 (FdSc)

- Network management
- Systems analysis and design
- IT Project management
- Data driven applications
- Web applications 1
- Web applications 2



#### **Entry requirements**

A level Two at grade C or above

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

**BTEC** 

Comparable grade profile in a BTEC subject

Access to HE

Comparable grade profile

**GCSE** 

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Complete a written task

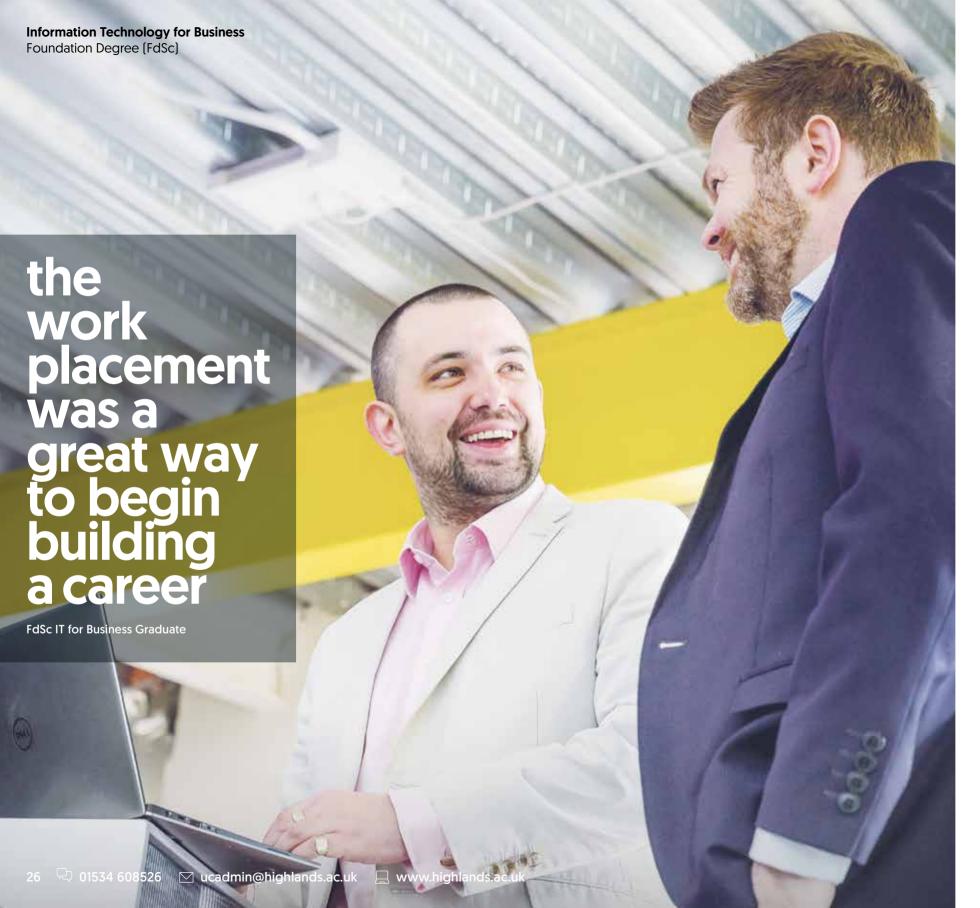
Pass interview

#### Where can I go from here?

Students enter roles in IT strategy and support in business across a range of sectors, from financial services to consulting. Students can progress to a top-up year at a partner institution for a full BSc (Hons) degree.

We hope to offer this 3rd year top-up at UCJ for September 2018.

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#### **Success Stories**

By 25, I'd completed the Level 3 BTEC Extended Diploma in IT and loved every minute of it, so when I was told about the IT Business degree and it was available here on-island, I was extremely interested. What really swayed it for me was the Work Placement element as it would be a great way to see exactly what was on offer and hopefully build a career from it. I'm very proud to have found my specialism and career all at the same time. I joined C5 Alliance in 2014 on a Work Placement and have never looked back. Currently, I am a Consultant in the Technical Solutions Team. I really can't thank the UCJ staff and my employer enough for their patience and guidance which helped me forge the path to where I am today!

Richie Shuster, IT for Business Graduate Consultant for C5 Alliance, Jersey

#### **Employer Partners**

The Royal Bank of Scotland
International Limited
Calligo Limited
Altus Consulting (CI Limited)
Logicalis Jersey Limited
State Street Bank and Trust Company
Specsavers
UBS
Chief Minister's Information Services

JT Global

#### **Human Resource Management**

Master's Degree (MSc)

3 years | Part time

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#### Why choose this degree?

- For HR Professionals looking to raise skills and qualifications in management roles
- Part-time so you can study whilst you work
- Enhance career progression and opportunities to Senior/ Director levels
- Pathway to become CIPD Chartered

#### What will I learn?

The course is structured as 2 years, part-time, delivered in blocks of 2 x 2 days per module supported by online learning and teaching. The 3rd year consists of 9 months of dissertation through research and methodology.

#### **Programme Leader**

Tony Bechelet Assistant Head of Higher Education BSc (Hons) FCIOB MRICS MCIAT ACIarb CERT Ed(FE)

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#### Year 1

- Leadership and management
- Leadership and HR strategy
- Power and Constraint: The strategic context
- · Resourcing and talent management

#### Year 2

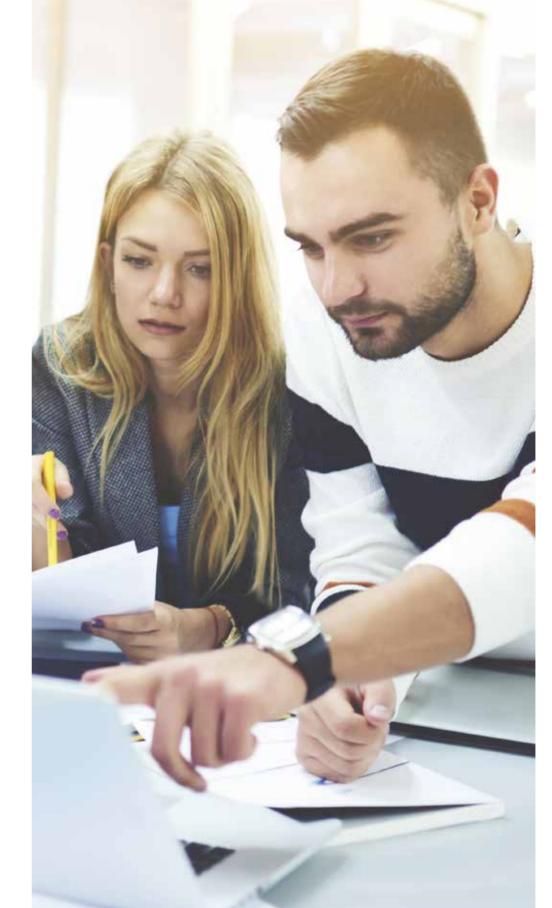
- Research Methods for HR
- Managing the employment relationship
- Managing reward
- Learning and talent development

#### Year 3

• Dissertation [Masters]







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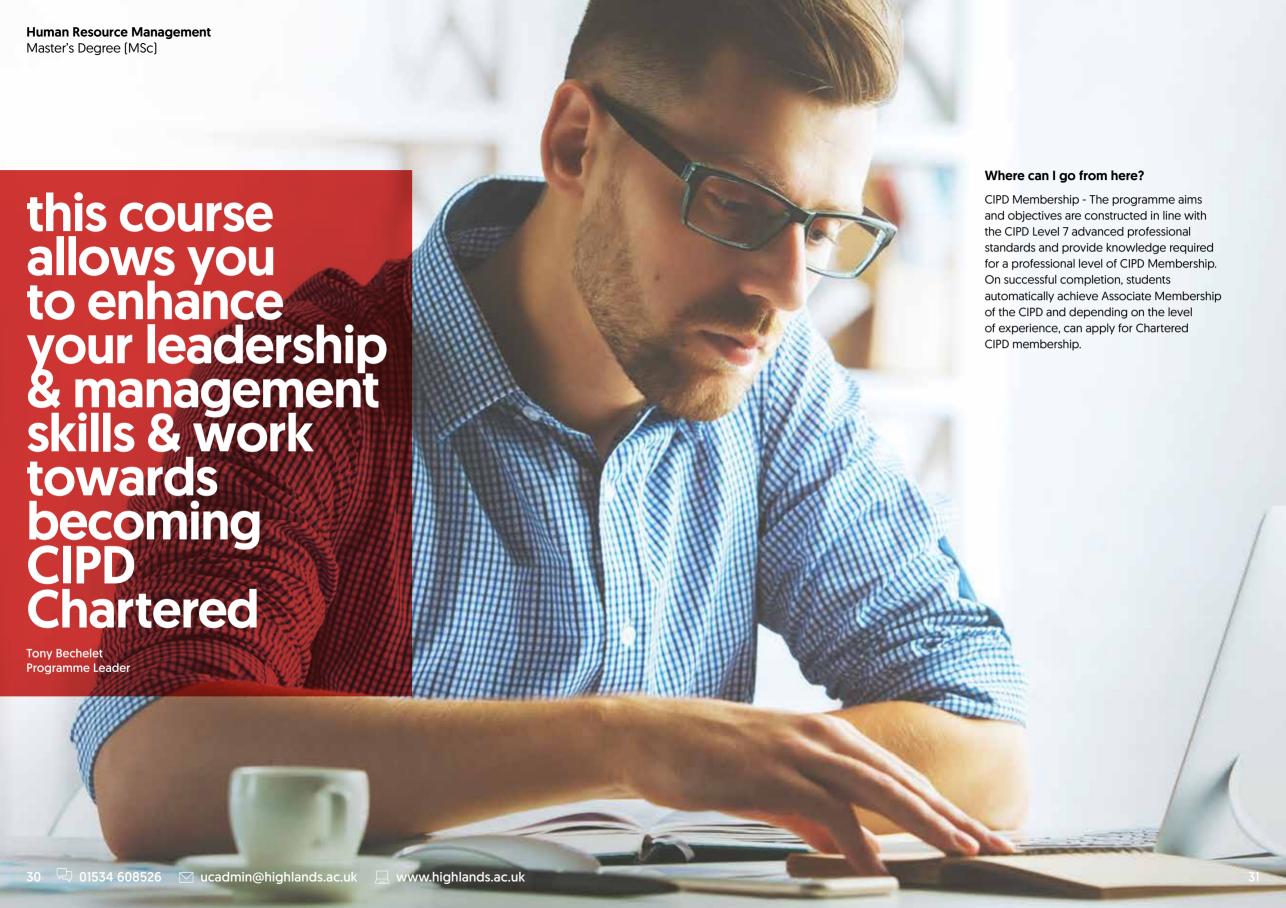
Degree A first degree, min 2.2

Work experience At least 2 years postgraduate work experience in an HRM or HR related role, e.g. recruitment, compensation and benefits, organisational development, consultancy.

Consideration will also be given to applicants who are working in general management and have significant people management responsibilities.

Non-Standard Entry Where there is a minimum of two years HR experience but no first degree.

Applicant must complete a 1.5k-2k word report on an organisational HR issue, provide an extended personal statement and supply 2 supporting references confirming suitability for entry to a postgraduate programme.



#### **Psychology and Criminology**

Foundation Degree (FdSc)

2 years | Full time • 4 years | Part time

#### **NEW FOR 2017**

#### Why choose this degree?

- If you wish to pursue a career as a practicing Psychologist, Psychotherapist, Criminologist, researcher or in a range of related professional disciplines
- The first and one of its kind in Jersey
- Developed in partnership with the School of Psychology and the School of Law, Criminology and Government at Plymouth University
- Gain strong suite of transferable skills and experience to increase employability in chosen area
- Progress to a final year of relevant BSc (Hons) subject after successful completion

#### What will I learn?

Designed with the professional support of police and probation services to provide strong local and vocational relevance, this course offers a rigorous discipline of core skills development, particularly in research methods with 60% focus on Psychology and 40% on Criminology. The course offers a full understanding of theoretical and applied issues that form contemporary debate. Modules cover all key areas of Psychology, with Criminology focusing on the causes of criminal behaviour and the treatment of offenders within England & Wales and local criminal

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justice systems. You will learn what is known and not known, and come to appreciate how our present understanding of people and their behaviour is based on an empirical tradition that emphasises the dispassionate search for truth and its application.

#### **Programme Leader**

Paul Mahrer **T** 01534 608526 E paul.mahrer@highlands.ac.uk

#### Year 1

- The Psychology of Individual Differences
- Developmental Psychology
- Applied Criminology 1
- Research Methods in the Social Sciences
- Social Psychology Theory and Practice
- Criminology and the Problem of Crime

#### Year 2

- The Psychology of Abnormal **Behaviour**
- Applied Criminology 2
- Cognitive and Biological **Psychology**
- Research Methods
- Criminology and Penology
- Work-based Learning



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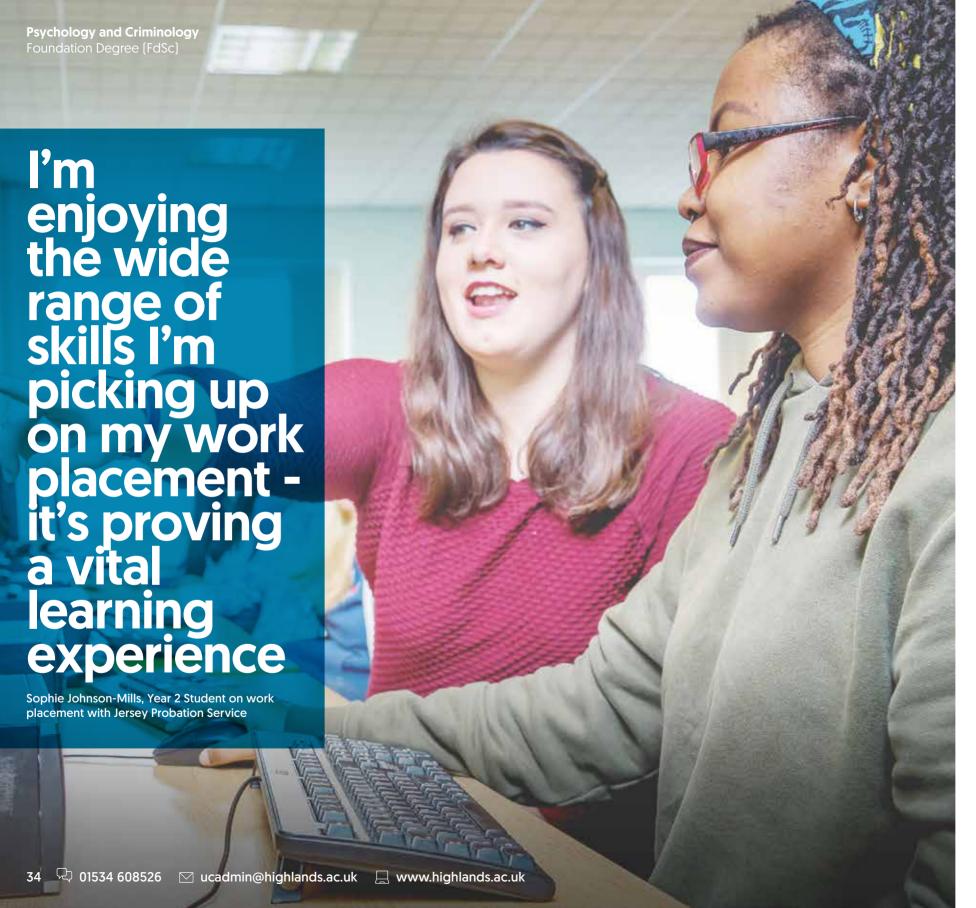
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Pass interview



#### Where can I go from here?

Students can progress to BSc (Hons) Social Sciences at UCJ, or BSc (Hons) Psychological Studies at Plymouth University.

Studying psychology gives you a broad range of skills that span both science and the arts and opens up opportunities with a wide variety of employers. Professions include clinical or counselling psychologist; educational psychologist, health or occupational psychologist, sport and exercise psychologist. A criminology graduate with critical thinking, analytical and communications skills, is attractive to employers inside and outside the criminal justice sector. Careers in criminology include Community Development worker; Police officer; Prison officer; Probation officer; Social worker; Youth worker.

#### **Employer Partners**

Andium Housing Trust
Bel Royal School
Building a Safer Society (BASS)
States of Jersey
Inclusion Project Youth Service
Jersey Drug and Alcohol Service
Jersey Probation Service
Mind Jersey
Mont A L'Abbe School
Samares School
Silkworth Charity Group
Springfield Primary School
States Greffe Staff
States of Jersey Police
The Prince's Trust

#### **Social Sciences**

BSc (Hons)

3 years | Full time

#### Why choose this course?

- You're interested in the study of people in society and how they relate to each other
- Offers work experience to gain key skills and increase employability in key sectors
- Prepares you for further study

Criminology and Research methods which give you skills to undertake your own research in the final year of the course. It teaches a broad overview of how society is built, theories and relate to each other and institutions. The degree has been written to reflect the special features of Jersey's society and students have the opportunity to engage in work placements and undertake research for a local organisation.

#### in specialist areas such as social work, teaching etc. What will I learn?

This course includes Sociology, Social History, Social Psychology, Globalisation, perspectives that show how individuals

#### **Programme Leader**

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#### Year 1

- Institutions & Governance in an Unstable World
- The Research Process in the **Social Sciences**
- Criminology & the Problem of Crime
- Imagining British Society: Contemporary Issues
- British Economic & Social History
- Social Psychology: Theory and Practice

#### Year 2

- The Evolution of the Global Economy
- Criminal Justice & Penology
- Social Policy & Social Justice
- Research Methods in the Social Sciences
- Work Based Learning
- Social Identities in Modern Society

#### Year 3

- Social Sciences Dissertation
- Work Based Action Research
- Issues for a United Europe in the 21st Century
- Immigration, Race & Labour
- Contemporary Social Issues: Policing the Private Sphere



#### **Entry requirements**

A level

Two at grade C or above

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

**BTEC** 

Comparable grade profile in a BTEC subject

Access to HE Comparable grade profile

GCSE

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Complete a written task

Pass interview

#### Where can I go from here?

Graduates have gone on to find employment in the public sector, voluntary sector, or chosen to continue their studies to gain a Master's in Social Work or a P.G.C.E. in Primary School Teaching.



#### **Success Stories**

I chose Social Sciences because it's broad and versatile, as I didn't want to restrict myself to one field of career choice. I gained a first class in my dissertation and as a whole, found the degree interesting and am delighted I achieved 2:1. I'm glad I chose this degree as it sets you apart from other degrees on the island.

#### Georgina Singleton, UCJ Graduate

This degree allowed me to continue my part time job whilst I explored what direction I wanted to take as a career. Studying a degree on such a smaller scale allowed for a greater relationship with the tutors where a degree abroad would not be possible. I achieved first class in my dissertation about brand advertising on social media. I'm thrilled that I graduated with a 2:1 (Hons) and would highly recommend it to anyone interested in this area.

Luke Aubin, UCJ Graduate

#### **Employer Partners**

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#### **Childhood Studies**

BA (Hons) and Foundation Degree (FdA)

3 years | Full time • 2 years | Full time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Receive an in-depth understanding of childhood studies from birth to 16 years
- Increase your knowledge, creativity and advocacy for young children and their families
- Option to study a third year BA (Hons) top-up year at UCJ or Plymouth University
- Exciting work placements provide key experience to increase your skills and employability

#### What will I learn?

Modules are designed to equip you to support children of all ages, with emphasis on the critical early years. Explore all areas of child development, build your skills in planning, carry out observations and research methodologies. You will also attend Professional Development sessions and create a portfolio to evidence your learning. Weekly work-placements are fully supported by a dedicated coach and personal tutor, encouraging you to apply and reflect on knowledge acquired in the classroom. You can achieve a 'Licence to Practice', allowing you to work with children in Jersey on completion of your work placement.

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#### **Programme Leader**

Lvnn Blakemore **T** 01534 608535 Elvnn.blakemore@highlands.ac.uk

#### Year 1 (FdA)

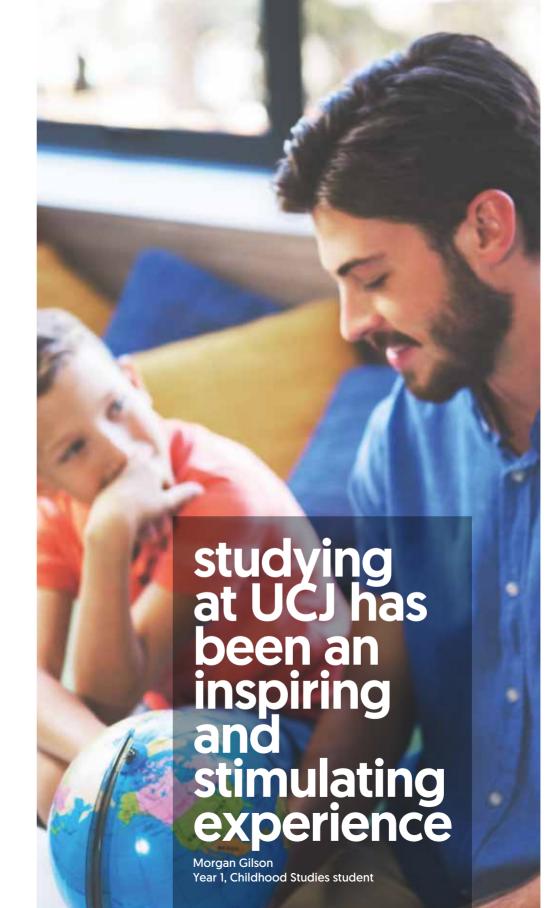
- Professional development
- Include me Perspectives on disability
- Children's rights and welfare
- Todav's child
- Understanding children's learning and development
- Provision for children

#### Year 2 (FdA)

- Children in society
- · Physical movement in the lives of children
- Children's workforce -Management and leadership
- Child development is for the future adult
- Who am I?
- Multi-agency working and the impact on children

#### Year 3 (BA Hons)

- Honours project
- · Consultancy in childcare
- Curriculum, planning and assessment
- Key issues in childhood and vouth studies
- Strategic, operational and multi-agency management



#### **Entry requirements**

#### A level

Three at grade C or above

#### UCAS

Minimum of 96 UCAS points

#### **BTEC**

Comparable grade profile in a BTEC subject

#### CACHE

Level 3 qualification

#### **Baccalaureate**

24 International points

#### Access to HE

Comparable grade profile

#### **GCSE**

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & Enalish

#### Successful interview All candidates must

undergo a DBS check for your work placement. Mature applicants will be considered on an individual basis.

#### Where can I go from here?

Students go on to a range of positions in the childcare industry, including management in the private sector, Family Nursing, Education and Day Care Registration. Many also continue studying for PGCE courses in the UK to become Primary Teachers.



#### **Success Stories**

Doing this degree enabled me to follow my aspirations of becoming a primary school teacher without moving away from home. The course offered creative assessment methods which to me, makes learning more enjoyable. I was course rep which enabled me to attend meetings with the staff and other course reps, to put forward my peers' feedback of the course. This helps the staff at UCJ improve it for following years but also gave me the opportunity to broaden my skill set. It's good to see how our opinions can help shape the course and that our voices are listened to within the institution. I've now gained a conditional offer to do my PGCE at Brighton University. I hope that these will be skills that I can bring back to the island.

Mia Traynor 3rd Year, BA (Hons) Childhood Studies student, PGCE Brighton University

#### **Employer Partners**

Jersev Childcare Trust Jersev Youth Service Avranches Day Nursery Centre Point Trust Day Nursery Charley Farley's Day Nursery Le Petit Ecole Day Nursery Leeward Day Nursery Little Oaks Dav Nurserv Nestling Day Care Nursery Organic Kids Rainbow Tots Day Nursery Sunnyside Day Nursery Westmount Day Nursery Bethesda Communicate Pre-School **Duck Pond Pre-school** Silverstar Pre-school The Kids Club States of Jersey Primary Schools

#### Construction

Higher National Certificate (HNC) Diploma 2 years | Part time

#### Why choose this degree?

- If you work in the construction industry are seeking to further your career
- Gain an industry-recognised qualification
- Prepares you to progress to Construction Management, Surveying & Architectural Technology degree disciplines
- Develops your knowledge and skills to fulfil a range of technical and managerial work in the sector
- Prepares you for promotion and new career opportunities
- Increase your employability through the vocational approach to teaching

#### What will I learn?

You will learn about construction technology and materials, the legal and economic context, building services and environmental science. construction technology and structures, surveying and setting out, architectural design and technology and building pathology. You will also complete a project and be supported in classes that will help develop your academic skills for this level of study. With emphasis on managerial training, you will develop your ability to tackle and take responsibility for projects throughout the construction industry.

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#### **Programme Leader**

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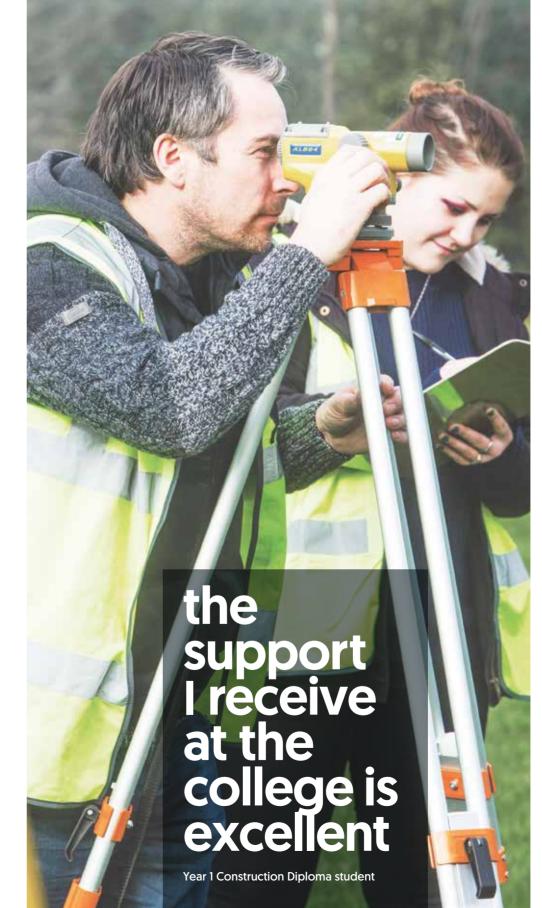
#### Year 1

- Construction Technology &

- Legal & Economic Context in the Built Environment

#### Year 2

- Building Services & Environmental
- (CM Pathway)



#### **Entry requirements**

A level

Minimum DDE

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC

National Diploma MPP

CACHE

Level 3 qualification

**Baccalaureate** 

24 International points

Access to HE

15 Merits and 30 Passes or Level 3 qualification equivalent including Science

**GCSE** 

5 GCSEs A-C [grade 4 or above) including **English & Maths** 

We welcome applications with significant relevant industrial experience.

We welcome qualifications from around the world. English language qualifications for international students: IELTS score of 6.0 or Cambridge Proficiency or Advanced Grade C.



#### **Construction Management**

BA (Hons)

2 years | Part time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Qualify in an industry that's in high-demand for professionals
- · Professionally accredited by the Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)
- Develop skills to lead multi-disciplinary project teams
- Gain up-to-date knowledge of legislation and regulations
- Develop the ability to deliver in complex project environments

What will I learn?

The course provides you with a breadth of technical and managerial expertise in construction, preparing you to face exciting and demanding challenges within the industry. It offers the opportunity to use modern equipment within a well-resourced environment.

The knowledge gained enables you to have the confidence to work with other professionals in this exciting, fast-paced and competitive industry. Construction Management can be a fantastic career for those who love buildings, working with people and want to work in a professional capacity. This course will prepare you for a career in a range of fields within the building environment, including Project Management, Contracting, Consultancy and Residential building.

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The course will enable you to develop a wide range of employability skills through the emphasis on a vocational approach to teaching.

#### **Programme Leader**

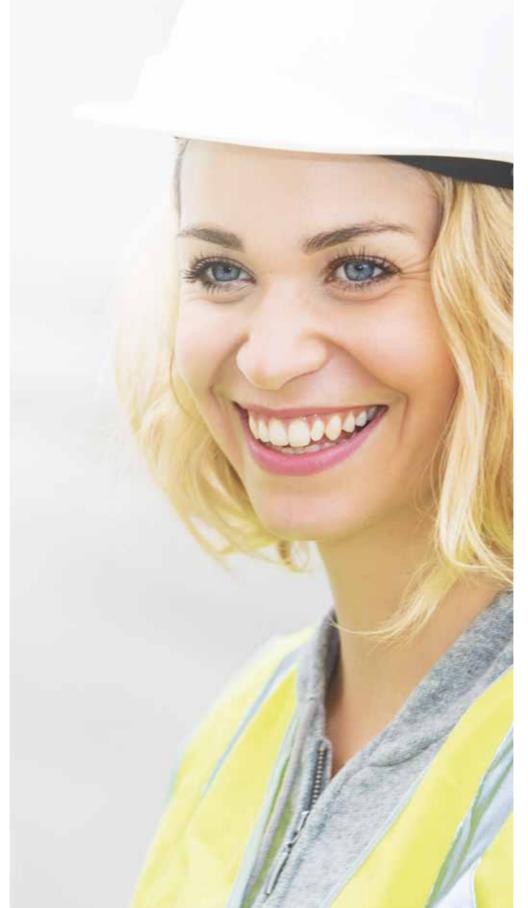
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#### Year 1

- Measurement 1 & Documentation
- Estimating & Tendering Process

#### Year 2

- & the Environment



#### **Entry requirements**

A level Minimum CCC

UCAS

Minimum of 112 UCAS points

**BTEC** National Diploma DMM

CACHE

Level 3 qualification

**Baccalaureate** 24 International points

Access to HE 45 Merits or Level 3 qualifications worth 112 UCAS points including Science

GCSE

5 GCSE's A-C [grade 4 or above] including English & Maths

Successful Interview You should preferably be working in an appropriate area of the construction industry. You will need the approval and support of your employer to release you from work for the block weeks and evening classes.

We welcome qualifications from around the world. English language qualifications for international students: IELTS score of 6.0 or Cambridge Proficiency or Advanced Grade C.



#### Where can I go from here?

The course leads on to careers at a higher level within the construction industry. Graduates enter fulfilling careers in the local and international construction industry. You can further your studies with a MSc Construction Project Management off-island, or seek to gain professional membership of the Chartered Institute of Building.

#### **Success Stories**

Whilst living and working in Jersey with a young family I decided to add to my existing qualifications. This part time course gave me the ability to learn and further my career, whilst continuing to work full time. It was hard work but worth it. I'm now taking it one step further by applying for professional Chartered status with the Chartered Institute of Building. During the course my hard work was also recognised by London South Bank University by securing a scholarship from the Chartered Institute of Building and a top award from the Worshipful Company of Constructors.

Nathan Clothier BSc (Hons) Construction Management Graduate: First Class Honours

#### **Architectural Technology**

BA (Hons)

2 years | Part time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Prepares you for a career in Design and Architectural fields
- If you're seeking to become a qualified **Chartered Architectural Technologist**
- Accredited by Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists (CIAT) and Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)
- You have a passion for architecture, design, drawing and technology
- Develop a wide range of skills for employability

#### What will I learn?

Architectural Technology fuses the creative art of architecture with the scientific and technological aspects needed to make it a reality. It requires strong drawing skills, problem-solving abilities and attention to detail. As an array of software can be used on a daily basis, it's important to be IT literate. Architectural Technologists are specialists enlisted on architectural projects to translate designers' intentions into feasible development proposals. They are specialists in analysing the requirements and challenges of a construction project and applying the best fit technology, materials and processes. A fully qualified Chartered Architectural Technologist is qualified to manage construction projects from design through to build.

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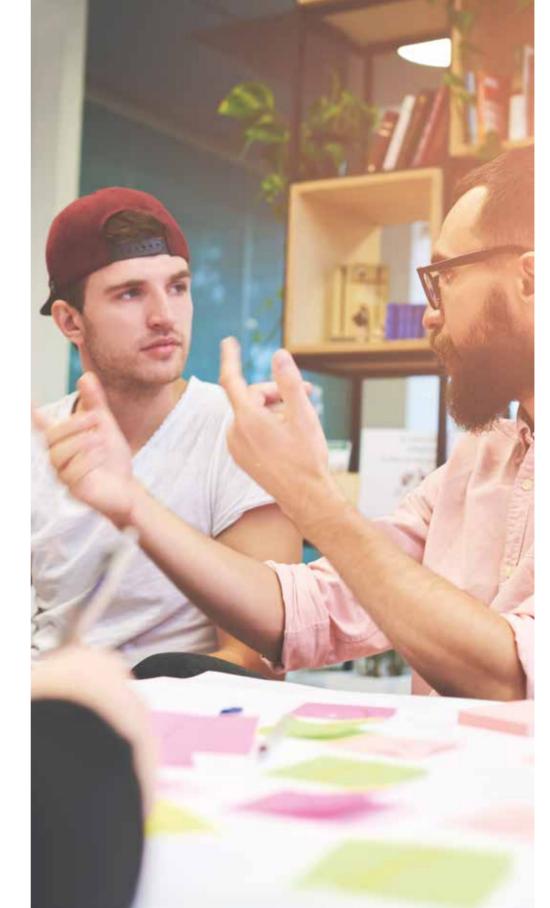
This course prepares you with design, technical and management skills, and teaches you to apply scientific principles and practical knowledge in constructing buildings to meeting building performance criteria. You will gain a sound understanding of advanced computer technology in 3D Computer Aided Design (CAD) software and visualisation in the production of design details, and knowledge of administering contracts and projects in fulfilling client and current regulation needs.

#### Year 1

- Theory of Architecture, Design & Conservation
- Measurement, Cost Planning & Tender Process for Architects & Building Surveyors
- Construction Contract Law
- 3D CAD & Building Information
- Architectural Design Procedures
- Property Inspection, Repair & Maintenance

#### Year 2

- Research Project Module
- Contract Administration [Non QS]
- Sustainable Construction & the Environment
- Architectural Design Project
- Architectural Design & Technology 2
- Architectural Practise Management



#### **Entry requirements**

A level

Minimum CCC

UCAS

Minimum of 112 UCAS points

**BTEC** 

National Diploma DMM

CACHE

Level 3 qualification

**Baccalaureate** 

24 International points

Access to HE

45 Merits or Level 3 qualifications worth 112 UCAS points including Science

GCSE

5 GCSF's A-C (grade 4 or above) including English & Maths

Successful Interview

You should preferably be working in an appropriate area of the construction industry. You will need the approval and support of your employer to release you from work for the block weeks and evening classes.

We welcome qualifications from around the world. English language qualifications for international students: IELTS score of 6.0 or Cambridge Proficiency or Advanced Grade C.



#### Where can I go from here?

As the course is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists, you'll receive exemptions against your Professional and Occupational Performance (POP) Record, needed to become a Chartered Architectural Technologist (MCIAT).

Although many graduates go on to be Chartered Architectural Technologists other options are available. Architectural Technicians are another popular route, but alternative career paths include working in Surveying and Town Planning.

Graduates can further their studies with a [Master's] MSc Construction Project Management or seek to gain professional membership of the Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists and/or the Chartered Institute of Building.

#### **Programme Leader**

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#### **Success stories**

I had a keen interest in architecture, but knew I was unable to go to university. I secured a job with Axis Mason Architects and enrolled on a 'BTEC National Certificate in Construction'. I continued with a 'HNC Diploma in Building Studies', at UCJ which I obtained a Double-Distinction. Working for a further year, I began the LSBU BSc (Hons) Architectural Technology Degree, which I completed whilst working full time, which gave me the ability to learn and further my career. Juggling work and study was hard but thoroughly worth it when I graduated with a First Class Honours Degree. I was awarded for Outstanding Graduate Student in Architectural Technology which was very humbling and a great way to finish my journey with UCJ.

Dan Knowlton, First Class BSc (Hons) Architectural Technology

#### **Sport & Management**

BA (Hons) and Foundation Degree (FdA)

3 years | Full time • 2 years | Full time

#### Why choose this degree?

- Develop your professional qualification in the Sport sector
- Designed with industry relevance to reflect employment opportunities in this sector
- Work placements provide excellent experience for increased employability
- A multi-disciplinary qualification allowing varied career opportunities

#### What will I learn?

You will develop the knowledge and understanding necessary to build a successful career in sports development, sports education or sport and leisure management. With focus on business skills, you'll gain an understanding of the nature and meaning of sporting activity in people's lives, and of the planning and management of resources required to meet the leisure needs of their communities. Sport and management and other business sectors where management related theory, concepts and principals are integral are taught grounded in theory but with a strong emphasis on practical application. Work placements within the sport, leisure and education fields enable you to apply and reflect on your developing knowledge and foster professional networks which will enhance your employability.

#### **Programme Leader**

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#### Year 1

- Professional practice
- The sport and fitness industries
- Planning for sport and events
- Applied sports coaching
- Business relationship and customer service management
- Business accounting

#### Year 2

- People and organisations
- Psychology of physical activity
- Research, analysis and decision-making
- Marketing
- Macro and Micro economics
- Business enterprise in outdoor adventure
- · Physical movement in the lives of children

#### Year 3

• Progress to BA (Hons) top-up year, at a range of different institutions, including Plymouth University, University of St Mark & St John in Plymouth or University of Northumbria

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#### **Entry requirements**

A level

Two at grade C or above

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC

Comparable grade profile in a BTEC subject

Access to HE Comparable grade profile

**GCSE** 

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Complete a written task

Pass interview



#### Where can I go from here?

Students have been recruited into roles in leisure management, sport development, outdoor adventure, and some have trained further to become sport educators. Many graduates go on to complete their top-up year at Plymouth University, the University of St. Mark and St. John, or University of Northumbria, graduating with an honours degree. It's anticipated that students will be able to progress onto a top-up honours year at UCJ from September 2018.

#### **Success stories**

I decided to leave my degree in the UK as I wanted to study on-island so I could work as well as study. During my Sport Management degree I worked part time at Sports Development. This opened a job opportunity as a Sport Development Officer when I finished my course. We are currently re-branding as 'Jersey Sport' and I am moving into the role of Community Programme Officer which is the job I've always wanted to do. I'm now in charge of all community projects which is a fantastic opportunity for me.

Dan Garton UCJ Graduate, Sports Development Officer States of Jersey

#### **Employer Partners**

Jersey College for Girls
St Martin's School
De La Salle School
St George's Preparatory School
Beaulieu Convent School
Island Games Association
Jersey Rugby Club
Sports Development
Aquasplash
Fitness First

#### **Art & Design**

Level 3 Certificate in Foundation Studies

1 year | Part time

#### Why choose this degree?

This one-year, Level 3 (A-level equivalent) course is designed for students who wish to further their study of Art & Design at university, or who are aiming for a career in the creative industries. It is mainly designed for learners who wish to study Art & Design at university but may not previously have had the opportunity to develop the necessary skills.

An exciting and practical part time programme which allows students to explore a wide range of media and techniques, the flexible design of the course makes it a favourite with mature students and school-leavers alike. All of the tutors on the programme are professional artists and designers and students have the opportunity to visit galleries and museums both on-island and in the UK.

#### **Programme Leader**

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#### What will I learn?

This course gives a strong grounding in a range of creative skills and disciplines. including, but not limited to: drawing. painting, printmaking, photography, ceramics, 3D design, textiles, fashion and sculpture. Students will gain a clearer understanding of their potential area of specialism prior to degree level study. Learning takes place in the creative surroundings of our art studios, where artists work side-by-side and are able to comment on and critique each other's work.





#### **Entry requirements**

#### A level

One A-Level in Art or related creative subject

#### BTEC

Equivalent Level 3 qualification

#### **OCR Diploma**

Successful Interview

Applicants must be 18 or over

Present a suitable portfolio of art and design work

Provide references

Mature students or those with alternative qualifications or experience will be considered on an individual basis.

#### Where can I go from here?

Students go on to study at degree level in Art & Design subjects or related fields, or move into employment within a wide range of creative industries including graphic design, curation. fashion and textiles and creative design.

# fees for 2017/2018 academic year

The information provided here is accurate as of February 2017.

Students are advised to confirm the situation at time of application by checking with our admissions team.

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Courses	Fees (£)
FdA Business & Management	6,370
BA (Hons) Business & Management	6,200
FdA Financial Services	6,370
BA (Hons) Financial Services	6,200
FdA Sport & Management	6,370
FdSc Information Technology for Business	7,000
FdA Childhood Studies	6,370
BA (Hons) Childhood Studies	6,200
FdSc Psychology and Criminology	6,370
BSc (Hons) Social Sciences	6,200
HNC Construction Management	1,200
BSc (Hons) Construction Management	4,500
MSc Human Resource Management (fee for 2yr programme)	15,000
UK/EEA/Overseas Students	9,000

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#### **Degree Programmes in development**

At University College Jersey, we continually seek to broaden our range of degrees and disciplines, taking account of local industry needs and student demand.

We are currently developing the following courses for 2018/19: Foundation Degree in the Creative Industries, BA (Hons) History with English, BSc Marine Biology/Biological Sciences and BA (Hons) Social Work.

If you wish to know more about any of these degree programmes, or would be interested in participating in a focus group, please contact:

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