

Postgraduate Prospectus 2021/22



University of
Roehampton
London



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Welcome

**Thank you for requesting a copy of
our Postgraduate Prospectus for 2021.**

Roehampton is a very special university. We have a proud history stretching back 180 years and are the only London university with a parkland campus. Our four colleges provide a strong sense of community and our size means it's easy get to know the people who teach you and those you study with.



In response to the growing demand for postgraduate qualifications, we have added a number of new master's programmes since last year, all of them designed to broaden your experience and enhance your chosen career.

At Roehampton we pride ourselves on helping all students, regardless of their background, to develop the skills they need for a successful graduate career and fulfilling life. All our students are taught by academic staff who are at the cutting edge of their fields and produce innovative and internationally renowned research.

We believe that a postgraduate education is not just about getting a great degree, but also broadening your experience, boosting your career opportunities and making lifelong friendships. Whether you are coming directly from your undergraduate degree or have been out of education for a few years, you will have plenty of opportunities to get involved with university life, academically and socially.

A Roehampton degree is designed to ensure that you graduate with the qualities you need to succeed: confidence, adaptability and the capacity to work with people from all walks of life.

We hope to welcome you to Roehampton soon.

Jean-Noël Ezingeard
Vice-Chancellor



1,200

study spaces and 8,000 metres of shelving in our beautiful library, opened in 2017

180

year heritage through our four historic colleges

11

food and drink outlets across two campuses

96%

of our postgraduate students are in work or further study within 15 months of graduating*

*The Graduate Outcome Survey

54

acre parkland campus



85+

postgraduate courses

30

minutes from central London

145

nationalities represented in our student community

66%

of research judged as world-leading or internationally excellent*

*Research Excellence Framework 2014

7

academic departments

1,800

postgraduate students

Studying at Roehampton



At Roehampton we offer a first-class educational experience, designed to help you succeed in your chosen career.

During your time with us you'll study alongside our exceptional academic staff, who are engaged in world-class research. They are passionate about the subjects they teach, resulting in stimulating contemporary courses that will give you a comprehensive understanding of your chosen field. Whatever you study, you will be part of a diverse, friendly and close-knit community of postgraduate students, all sharing their experiences and perspectives.

We make sure that all of our courses are focused on enhancing career skills. This is why official surveys show we are one of the leading London universities for graduate employment, with 96% of our postgraduate students are in work or further study within 15 months of graduating.*

*The Graduate Outcome Survey

Our facilities

**Our beautiful campus offers
excellent facilities for teaching,
learning and enjoying life,
such as:**



London's newest university library opened in 2017, offering 1200 study spaces within a stylish, contemporary interior.



Brand new media centre for 2020, the Sir David Bell Building, with cinema, editing suites, photographic labs, newsroom and social spaces.



Specialist science labs for nutrition, biomedicine, neuroscience and sport science study programmes.



Two on-campus performance venues, the Michaelis Theatre for dance and the Jubilee Theatre for drama.



Modern teaching spaces with up-to-date AV equipment.



Eleven food and drink outlets across campus.



Nuffield gym and wellbeing centre, plus pitches and netball / tennis courts for competitive sport.

How we support you

From the moment you arrive you'll be assigned a personal tutor for academic advice. In addition you can access a wide range of free support services such as counselling, the multi-faith chaplaincy, our medical centre, specialist mental health support and help with dyslexia or disability.

Your social life

As a member of the postgraduate community there will be plenty of opportunity to socialise with your peers, whether it's a post-lecture drink in the Union Bar or attending a conference or guest lecture event organised by your academic department.

Postgrads are actively encouraged to join the Students' Union and meet new people by participating in all the clubs and events open to undergraduates. You will also automatically be a member of one of our four historic colleges – Digby Stuart, Froebel, Southlands or Whitelands – which offer a range of social, cultural and sporting activities to members.



Research and PhD Study

Roehampton is the most research-intensive modern university in the country. The impact of our research is profound. With its international reach, our research informs policy, enriches culture and improves lives. We draw PhD students from around the world to join our vibrant programme of doctoral studies. Postgraduate researchers play an important part of the research culture at Roehampton and are supported by internationally respected supervisors.



We are committed to providing the best possible experience for our diverse community of students and staff, with modern facilities and excellent academic support.

PhD

Doctoral study is offered across all of Roehampton's seven academic departments. A PhD is for students who wish to devise an independent research project which will result in an original contribution to knowledge in the subject area. Students can study on a full-time or a part-time basis and programmes begin in October, January and April.

You will be expected to have formulated an outline research proposal only at the application stage. Once accepted you will then spend the first months of your course developing your proposal under the guidance of your supervisory team.

Roehampton also offers two Professional Doctorate programmes, PsychD Counselling Psychology and DTh Practical Theology (part-time).

Fees and funding

To find out more about fees for doctoral study at Roehampton, please visit our 'fees and funding' page.

roehampton.ac.uk/graduate-school/fees-and-funding

This will give you information on this year's tuition fees for all our doctoral programmes as well as information on funding opportunities, including those with our doctoral training partnerships, TECHNE, funded by the AHRC, and SeNSS, funded by the ESRC.

How to apply

Before making an application, you should contact potential supervisors at Roehampton to discuss your initial ideas. They will be able to advise as to whether they can supervise your project and, if so, help you develop your proposal. If you are unsure who to approach you can contact the department's Research Degrees Convener, the member of academic staff responsible for research students in each department. Once you have developed your proposal, you can then apply through our online application portal here:

roehampton.ac.uk/graduate-school/degrees

You can find out more about research at Roehampton by visiting our dedicated research webpages:

roehampton.ac.uk/research

What do our research students say?

In the 2020 Postgraduate Research Experience Survey, Roehampton came fourth in the UK for overall satisfaction with a score of 86%. This compares to a global average of 79% and a London average of 77%.

For social sciences 90% of respondents reported satisfaction against an 80% global average, while 86% of arts and humanities respondents reported satisfaction against a 79% global average.

Best of both worlds

Situated just 30 minutes from central London and a 5-minute walk from Richmond Park, our beautiful 54-acre parkland campus provides the best of both worlds.

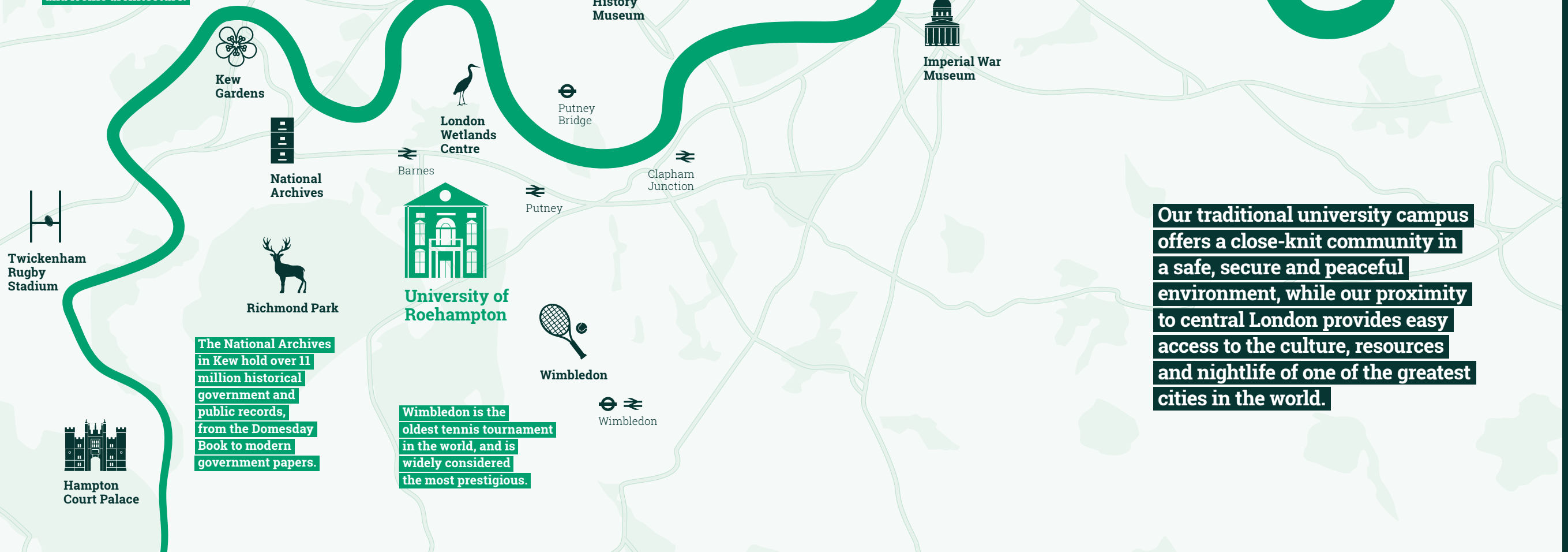
Kew Gardens is London's largest UNESCO World Heritage site, offering unique landscapes, vistas and iconic architecture.

London Wetlands Centre in Barnes is the home of The Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust, one of the world's leading science and conservation institutions in its field.

All students can access the British Library's 150 million items for research.

The Royal Opera House in Covent Garden is home to the world-famous Royal Opera and The Royal Ballet.

Our traditional university campus offers a close-knit community in a safe, secure and peaceful environment, while our proximity to central London provides easy access to the culture, resources and nightlife of one of the greatest cities in the world.



Your career

The graduate job market is becoming more and more competitive. That's why at Roehampton career skills are an important element of all our academic programmes, to give you an extra edge.

Careers Hub

Our careers hub is free and open to all students and alumni for career information, advice, guidance and development, and is available throughout your time at Roehampton. It offers advice about placements and internships, part-time temporary work, graduate training schemes, appointments with career advisers, and volunteering opportunities.

Business start up support

We offer funding and mentoring for students and graduates setting up a business through the Launchpad scheme, supported by Santander Bank. There is an annual business idea competition and business start-up grant.

Careers Award

The Chancellor's Careers Award is an online employability programme to help you improve your workplace skills, gain insight into your strengths and preferences, take career assessments and prepare for your graduate job search. It provides you with a checklist that makes sure you have the best possible CV, enhancing the experience you will gain from your Roehampton postgraduate degree.

Mentoring

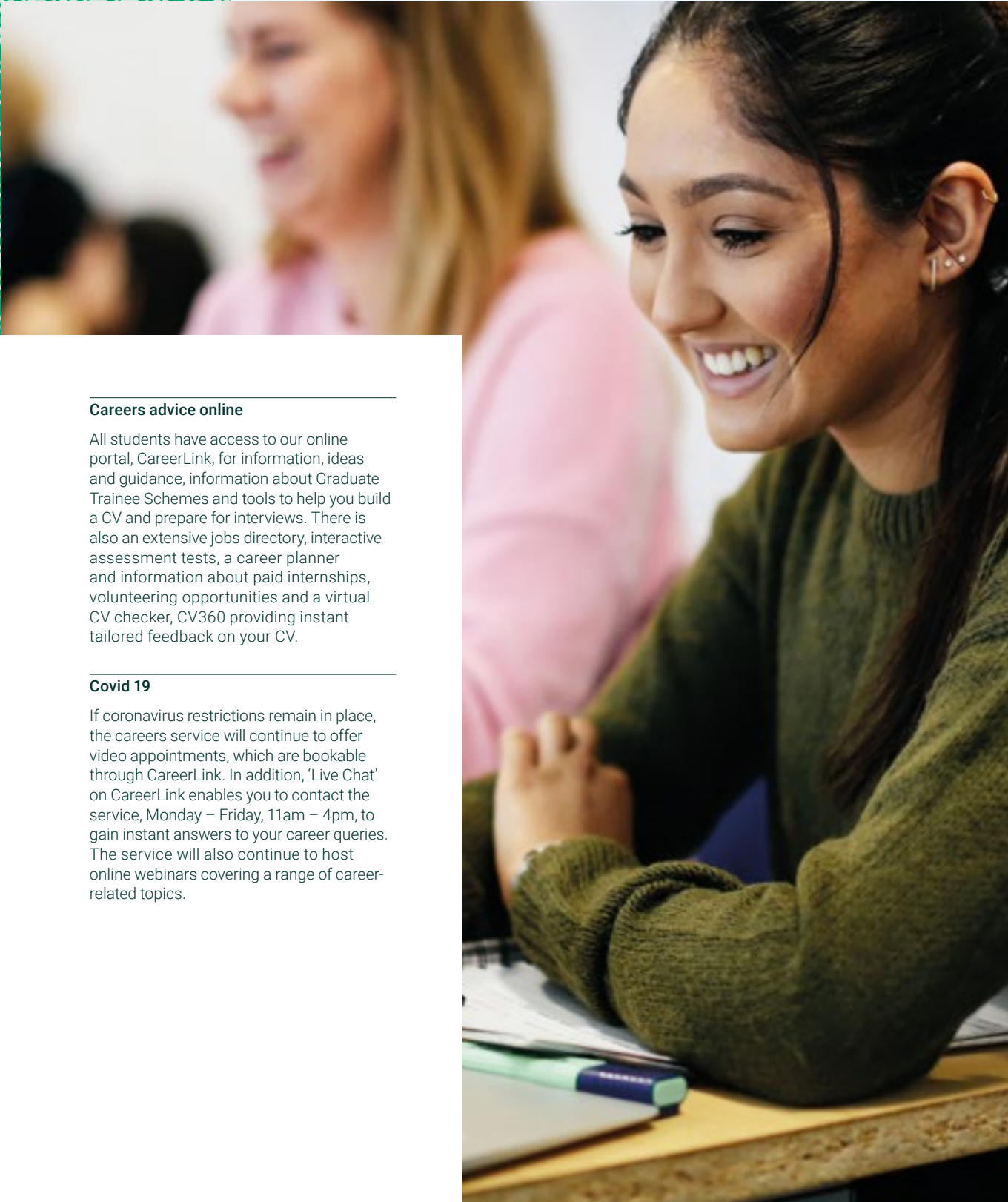
Join us and you'll have the chance throughout your degree, or afterwards, to join our online Career Mentoring Scheme, Roehampton Connect. This scheme matches Roehampton students and recent graduates with experienced professionals in the UK and overseas for one-to-one career advice, support and guidance.

Placements and internships

Our dedicated team works with academics, students and employers, helping students to secure placements, internships and volunteering opportunities. These are in addition to a wide range of paid, part-time jobs on-campus available through our online job vacancy service, UR Jobs.

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*The Graduate Outcome Survey



Careers advice online

All students have access to our online portal, CareerLink, for information, ideas and guidance, information about Graduate Trainee Schemes and tools to help you build a CV and prepare for interviews. There is also an extensive jobs directory, interactive assessment tests, a career planner and information about paid internships, volunteering opportunities and a virtual CV checker, CV360 providing instant tailored feedback on your CV.

Covid 19

If coronavirus restrictions remain in place, the careers service will continue to offer video appointments, which are bookable through CareerLink. In addition, 'Live Chat' on CareerLink enables you to contact the service, Monday – Friday, 11am – 4pm, to gain instant answers to your career queries. The service will also continue to host online webinars covering a range of career-related topics.

Our accommodation

Accommodation for postgraduate students is available within the University's beautiful parkland campus or off-site in privately rented accommodation.

Whether you stay on-campus or off-campus, you will be a member of one of our four colleges, whose staff are on hand to ensure you have the best possible experience.

On campus

All rooms are self-catered with en-suite facilities. Internet access and fees are inclusive of utilities bills and contents insurance. Living on-campus means you are near classes and facilities in a secure environment. Security, Flat Reps and Wardens are available 24/7 to support you and deal with any emergencies.

roehampton.ac.uk/accommodation/on-campus

International students

Accommodation is guaranteed for all international postgraduate students who want it, providing applications are received by 31 July 2021.

Private accommodation

If you are interested in living outside our halls of residence we can help you find private rented accommodation in the local area with recommended landlords who have signed up to our Code of Standards. We are also available to help if you have any problems with your off-campus accommodation.

roehampton.ac.uk/accommodation/off-campus

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School of Arts

Roehampton's School of Arts was created in 2020 by the amalgamation of our former departments of Dance, Drama and Media, Culture and Language. As such, the new School offers an unrivalled diversity of master's courses ranging from choreography to journalism and screenwriting, taught by academics at the cutting edge of their subjects.

For dance students our distinctive postgrad programmes offer new angles on the study of dance within Europe's leading centre for dance research and with its own performance space, the Michaelis Theatre. For drama students there's a rich research culture including specialisms in experimental and early modern theatre, spectatorship as a practice and feminism and performance. Students and researchers also enjoy the use of the department's on-campus Jubilee Theatre.

This is a landmark year for Roehampton's media-related courses as we will be opening The Sir David Bell Building. It's a brand new state of the art media centre that houses a cinema, hi-tech editing and video production suites, a Mac lab and newsroom plus stylish new teaching and social spaces.



“60% of research ranked as ‘internationally excellent’ for its impact”

Research Excellence Framework 2014

Research

Recent research projects

Moving Kinship, a dance project funded by Arts Council England and led by Dr Beatrice Allegranti, is exploring themes of loss, care, health and the self.

Professor Stephanie Jordan is researching the darker, more bracing aspects of Chopin’s music, particularly its manifest in the work of choreographer Sir Richard Alston.

Recent Drama projects have covered Roma performance cultures, Nigerian Theatre, Harold Pinter, 1960s New York performance, and early Suffrage theatre.

Dr Mark Jary is researching language use, funded by the Leverhulme Trust. It focuses on the idea that what a speaker says and what they convey may differ and how the distinction is crucial to communication.

Dr Sabela Melchor-Couto is part of a 450,000€ European Commission project to expand the use of technology in language teaching across Europe. She’s researching the positive effects of telecollaboration for teachers and pupils.

MFA Choreography

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Erica Stanton		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Up to 4 days per week on campus (FT)		

As an emerging or experienced choreographer, this MFA will help you refine your artistic practice by advancing your creative, technical and performance skills. The programme includes technique classes, choreography workshops, laboratory sessions, dialogue, writing and reflection. You will be encouraged to experiment and take risks in a series of self-directed choreographic projects that help you develop a portfolio of work.

You will be supported by the mentorship and teaching of experienced staff in our spacious studios and well-equipped performance theatre.

Why Roehampton?

This MFA gives you the flexibility to choose your pathway in the second year to suit your interests and you will study with highly experienced in-house and visiting artists and tutors alongside a creative community of peers.

Example modules

- Dance Practice
- Applied Lighting Design and Production for Dance
- Choreographic Thesis
- Politics and Sociology of Dance
- Theories of Corporeality
- Dance the Environment and Sustainability

Career opportunities

Graduates work as artists across the globe, engaging with audiences in theatres, festivals and online. As artist-teachers they may teach in HE, work with communities in arts-outreach and curate participatory dance programmes and events.

MRes Choreography and Performance

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Nicola Conibere		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Up to 4 days per week on campus (FT)		

Run by leading artist-scholars, the course supports enquiry through studio practice and research informed by contemporary theoretical concerns. You will be supported in the development and presentation of a comprehensive choreographic and/or performance portfolio. You will also gain a range of reflective and critical skills including writing and documentation strategies, advanced dramaturgy, and the capacity to understand and articulate your work and interests in broader political, cultural and artistic frameworks.

Why Roehampton?

This programme has a flexible timetable that allows you, as an experienced professional artist, to choose the pathway that best fits your interests, experience and situation. You will be supervised by artist-scholars who are working to challenge and support your choreographic and performance practices.

Example modules

- Ways of Knowing
- Mediated Choreography
- History, Philosophy and Dance
- Dance Sustainability and the Environment
- Music and Dance
- The Performance of Heritage: Dance in Museums, Galleries and Historic Sites

Career opportunities

This course offers professional development for independent artists and choreographers. Some graduates follow careers in research or teaching, or go onto further academic study such as a practice-led PhD.

Choreomundus

International Master in Dance Knowledge, Practice and Heritage

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Chifang Chao		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2-3 days per week on campus (FT)		

This course is offered by a consortium of four universities (in Norway, France, Hungary and the UK) recognised for their leadership in the development of innovative curricula for the analysis of dance. The Choreomundus programme will help you make sense of intangible heritage within the postcolonial, culturally diverse world of the 21st century. This unique two-year course will engender an appreciation of dance that is comparative, crosscultural, applied and embodied.

Why Roehampton?

Choreomundus is an Erasmus Mundus programme that investigates dance and other movement systems (ritual practices, martial arts, games and physical theatre) as intangible cultural heritage.

Example modules

- Extended Essay (Dissertation 3)
- The Performance of Heritage: Dance in Museums, Galleries and Historic Sites
- Music and Dance
- Classicism and Power
- People Moving, People Dancing

Career opportunities

Graduates are equipped for employment in the cultural, heritage and tourist industries including festivals and museums, as well as in educational contexts dealing with cultural transmission at local, regional and national levels.

MA Dance Anthropology

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Chifang Chao		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2-3 days per week on campus (FT)		

MA Dance Anthropology investigates dance from a non-Eurocentric perspective, placing the practices and values of the dancers into sociocultural and comparative understanding. At the heart of the programme is a focus upon ethnographic perspectives in dance, exploring different cultural approaches to dance practice. The course is of particular interest to those who wish to study non-Western, folk, social or ritual dance practices, but the approach can be applied to ballet or Western theatre dance, too.

Why Roehampton?

The University of Roehampton is home to the internationally recognised Centre for Dance Research, which foregrounds the research of dance as cultural and artistic expression as theatre performance and beyond. Through seminars, forums and conferences involving staff and international invited guests, the centre supports a compelling research culture.

Example modules

- Ways of Knowing
- Anthropology of Dance
- The Performance of Heritage
- Historic Sites
- Choreographic Practice
- Classicism and Power

Career opportunities

Graduates’ career options are broadened to include roles such as a community dance practitioner, producer and curator of arts projects, teacher, or to continue into further study as an MPhil or PhD student.

MA Dance Philosophy and History

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Professor Alexandra Kolb		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2-3 days per week on campus (FT)		

This postgraduate programme is unique in the UK context, investigating the important interconnections between philosophy, history and dance.

Taught by leading experts in a truly international study environment, you will engage in critical explorations of the philosophical and historical frameworks which underpin dance study and practice.

Our exciting programme draws on different branches of philosophy, including the continental and analytic schools, a range of approaches to dance history, and contemporary critical theory.

Why Roehampton?

The University of Roehampton is home to the internationally recognised Centre for Dance Research, which explores dance as a key form of cultural and artistic expression in theatre performance and beyond. The Centre fosters a compelling research culture through seminars, forums and conferences.

Example modules

- Ways of Knowing
- Music and Dance
- History, Philosophy and Dance
- Mediated Choreography
- People Moving, People Dancing
- Classicism and Power

Career opportunities

Graduates’ options span a range of careers in dance, including producers and curators of arts projects, community dance practitioners, arts managers, teachers, or further doctoral study.

MA Dance Politics and Sociology

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Stacey Prickett		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2-3 days per week on campus (FT)		

On this programme you will explore the relationships between dance and society. You will be encouraged to challenge your thinking about dance within a framework of conceptual, political and social ideas throughout dance history. Engaging in rich discussions with an international dance community, you will examine dance, dancers and dancing through sociological and political lenses. You will be introduced to a range of concerns about dance, dancing and performance: from the body in society, to issues of representation, and relations of power.

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Example modules

- Ways of Knowing
- Politics and Sociology of Dance
- The Performance of Heritage
- People Moving, People Dancing
- Mediated Choreography
- Classicism and Power

Career opportunities

After this course, graduates may become community dance practitioners, produce and curate arts projects and events, lead in education and outreach programs for dance, become teachers or continue studying at MPhil or PhD level.

MFA Dance and Embodied Practice

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
2 Years	N/A	240
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Heike Salzer		Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Up to 4 days per week on campus (FT)		

Develop your dance practice, teaching and leadership skills over two years with vibrant and supportive artists and teachers. This practice-based programme will help you to investigate your studio practice and training in order to apply your dance practice as a creative and improvisational tool, and as a piece of practice-research which has the potential to influence culture and society. The programme includes technique classes, choreography workshops, collaborative working, writing and reflection.

Why Roehampton?

The University of Roehampton is home to the internationally-recognised Centre for Dance Research where, together with inquiry into dance as cultural and artistic expression, students are encouraged to investigate a broad range of dance and somatic practices as they are deployed in performative and choreographic situations and experienced though the lived body.

Example modules

Ways of Knowing
Choreographic Practice
Dance and Embodied Practice
Dance Practice
Teaching Dance Practice
People Moving, People Dancing

Career opportunities

The programme is specifically designed to appeal to students seeking a varied career which involves performing, teaching, choreographing, community dance practice and curational practice.

MA London’s Theatre and Performance: Viewing, Making, Writing

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Sarah Gorman and Dr PA Skantze		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2 days a week on campus (FT)		

Explore the wealth and diversity of London’s unique theatrical culture. This master’s is aimed at students looking to focus their interests in the broad field of theatre and performance, focusing on the theatrical landscape offered by our capital city. We investigate the culture of performance and theatre while discussing ways to make the future theatre one for diverse audiences. Shaped around a series of thematic investigations of the city’s unparalleled theatrical and cultural resources, you will be able to pursue a range of projects matched to your professional aspirations.

Why Roehampton?

You will join a welcoming and diverse postgraduate community in a well-established UK department of drama, theatre and performance within the newly formed Roehampton School of Arts.

Example modules

Research Methods in Theatre
Viewing, Making and Writing
Major Project

Career opportunities

This course develops students towards professional careers in the Arts as well as towards possible PhD or MFA study. The variety of approaches also encourages students to develop entrepreneurial skills in creative practice careers.

MA Audiovisual Translation

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Miguel Bernal		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2-3 days a week on campus (FT)		

This programme addresses the growing demand for translators with skills in translating audiovisual texts. It covers a range of areas, including subtitling, accessibility (subtitling for the deaf and hard of hearing, audio description, and live subtitling), multimedia localisation, and dubbing and voice-over for film and TV. The programme is open to multilingual students wishing to work between different languages but also welcomes students working monolingually in English.

Why Roehampton?

This is an internationally recognised course in its field, recognised by the European Commission as a European Masters in Translation. Our location in the capital is ideal to take advantage of opportunities to connect with language service providers and cultural institutions engaging in audiovisual translation.

Example modules

Translation and Intercultural Communication: Theory and Practice
Subtitling: Concepts and Practice
Dubbing and Voice-over
Access Services: Captioning and Audio Description
New Trends in Translation and the Media
The Localisation of Video Games

Career opportunities

Students go on to careers in a broad range of media companies and broadcasters, subtitling companies, translation and localisation providers, and production houses with in-house translation teams.

MSc Computing

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Kevin Chalmers		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2 days a week on campus (FT)		

This course focuses on core computing skills such as software development, databases and cyber security, helping you to become a competent and fluent computing professional. You will learn key programming skills across languages and platforms, as well as how to provide data solutions and secure systems.

Your teaching time will take the form of labs, workshops and tutorials, providing you with a more tailored experience with plenty of face-to-face contact time.

Why Roehampton?

This MSc is a conversion programme that requires no previous academic experience in the field of computing, making it the ideal course if you want to change career or develop a new set of skills to complement your existing experience and move into IT related roles.

Example modules

Software Development
Computer Systems
Cyber Security
Computing and Society
Databases
MSc Project

Career opportunities

Roles could include programmer, web developer, software developer and data scientist in the government, public sector, large IT organisations or the media.

MA Film Practices

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr William Brown		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2 days a week on campus (FT)		

You will learn about various modes of non-traditional film production alongside practical knowledge of film curation and exhibition, and the promotion of independent film culture. This film practices degree will help prepare you to be a confident and intellectual film professional. You will be introduced to some of the most important and fiercely independent ways of making film and will have multiple opportunities to develop your skillset with hands on practice.

Why Roehampton?

A unique course that combines production, criticism and exhibition. No prior professional experience required. Study in our brand-new, state-of-the-art media centre.

Example modules

Ethics and Representation in Global Media Industries
Essay Film Production
Curating and Exhibiting the Moving Image
Contemporary Critical Practices
Research Project

Career opportunities

Graduates from this programme will be well equipped to enter the independent film sector as well as the wider film industry. Career paths include independent filmmaker, editor, curator, exhibitor and film critic.

MA Intercultural Communication in the Creative Industries

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Miguel Bernal		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2-3 days a week on campus (FT)		

This MA is designed for multilingual students who want a career in the creative industries. In our global culture, talented people with multilingual skills are increasingly sought after by the creative industries. In this trailblazing MA you will have the opportunity to combine your language and translation skills with the study of London’s vibrant creative industries. On the programme you will use your language skills and first-hand experience of different cultures to explore new territory in and around the multilingual world of media and culture.

Why Roehampton?

We are ideally located for students to connect with London’s multilingual cultural scene. Pick modules from a variety of creative disciplines including journalism, media, and film to build a portfolio of skills around your knowledge of language and culture.

Example modules

Translation and Intercultural Communication: Theory and Practice
Transcreation in the Creative Industries
Cultural Adaptation in the Creative Industries
New Trends in Translation and the Media
The Localisation of Video Games
Social Media and Data Journalism

Career opportunities

This course provides vocational training for those interested in making use of their linguistic skills and knowledge to work in global multimedia and the cultural and creative industries.



“I chose Roehampton for the amazing opportunity to study with world-renowned dance teachers whose passion for dance has permeated every class and experience they have designed for us. I will be proud to say I graduated from the number one dance department for research in the UK.”

Mercedes Lewis
MFA Choreography

MA Journalism

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Gary Merrill		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2 days a week on campus (FT)		

This PPA-Accredited course provides industry-relevant and specialist journalism training. Based in our brand new multimedia newsrooms, the course is designed to give you experience of working in a professional environment. You will learn how to write advanced news and features, gain an understanding of the scope of the laws affecting journalists, and develop the editorial, interpersonal and self-management skills needed to work within the media industry.

Why Roehampton?

You'll develop a portfolio that will prepare you for employment in journalism or related areas in the creative industries. The industry-based work placement means you'll take your learning outside of the classroom, build a strong CV and make vital industry contacts.

Example modules

Legal and Ethical Journalism

Journalism Portfolio Social Media and Data

Journalism Feature Writing and Long-Form Journalism

Digital Reportage

Journalism Enterprise and Employability

Career opportunities

Careers in broadcasting, journalism, publishing, professional writing, public relations and social media. The MA also functions as a pathway to a PhD for those pursuing a career in academia.

MA Media Communication and Culture

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-4 years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Anita Biressi		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2 days a week on campus (FT)		

This course is for students wishing to pursue media, communications and cultural inquiry in order to develop a media-based career. You will explore cultural theories and concepts such as Marxism, feminism, psychoanalysis and globalisation, plus the debates around today's media industries such as TV, film, print and the internet. You'll be taught by staff with strong research profiles in the area of culture and politics, tabloid culture, reality television, psychoanalysis, TV history, the globalisation of media, news and current affairs.

Why Roehampton?

You will become a member of the Centre for Research in Film and Audiovisual Cultures (CRFAC), giving you access to a diverse programme of research seminars and events organised in collaboration with institutions such as the British Film Institute.

Example modules

The Politics of Identity

Media and Transnationalisation

Media and Memory

Social Media and Data Journalism

Journalism Enterprise and Employability

Transnational Cinemas from the Multiplex to the Web

Career opportunities

The MA helps students prepare for successful careers in communications and the cultural industries including film, journalism and publishing. Students may opt to do media research or further academic study to PhD level.

MA Screenwriting

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Elan Gamaker		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2 days a week on campus (FT)		

Our MA Screenwriting will help you to develop your personal voice in your writing, create distinctive and high quality work, and to take that work from concept to industry-ready screenplay. The programme's unique approach combines technical practice with academic theory. The programme is flexible in its format and divided into three blocks; voice, writing and pitching, allowing you to focus on the areas that interest you the most. Our aim is to bring the most out of the individual talent of each writer.

Why Roehampton?

Taught by working professional screenwriters. An industry-focused course combining writing and professional engagement. Suitable for returning or mature students looking to develop voice or produce professional work. Themed blocks develop voice, improve writing, and package your work for industry.

Example modules

Underground Screenwriting

Developing Voice: The Writer as Ethnographer

Forms of Screenwriting: Translation, Psychology, Editing

Final Screenplay Project

Project Development and Presentation

The Pitch

Career opportunities

You will be equipped to work in independent film as well as the wider film and TV industries. Career paths include independent filmmaker, screenwriter, script editor, script translator, film critic or creative producer.

MA Specialised Translation

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Miguel Bernal		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
2-3 days a week on campus (FT)		

This programme aims to address the growing demand for translators with skills in translating technical texts. The programme will familiarise you with the sociocultural, linguistic and technical dimensions that characterise specialised multilingual material. Working with specialist software, you will acquire the skills and knowledge that you need to enter the professional market or pursue further research in this field.

You will work between English and another language of your choice, translating into your mother tongue.

Why Roehampton?

The University has a state-of-the-art language lab with cutting-edge translation software including SDL Trados Studio and MemoQ. You will have the option to study the localisation of video games, equipping you to work in one of the UK's fastest growing industries. The department is a corporate member of the Institute of Translation and Interpreting.

Example modules

Translation and Intercultural Communication: Theory and Practice

Translation Tools

Technical and Scientific Translation

Professional Skills for Translators

The Localisation of Video Games

Subtitling: Concepts and Practice

Career opportunities

Graduates typically pursue a career as a specialised translator, subtitler, technical writer, editor, terminologist, project manager or localiser.

MA Teaching Spanish

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Vicens Colomer		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2 days a week on campus (FT)		

Develop your professional expertise and knowledge in Spanish language and linguistics on this MA. You will learn the methodologies of language teaching, informed by research and current best-practice. There is also a strong Spanish culture element in the programme, and you will be encouraged to think about how to bring Spanish culture into the classroom, for example, how to harness a multicultural city like London to create a more dynamic learning experience for your students.

Why Roehampton?

You will benefit from the University's close relationship with the Instituto Cervantes, the official institution for the promotion of Spanish language and culture, and the resources and connections it offers. You will also be able to consolidate your learning with hands on teaching experience.

Example modules

Understanding Language Learning and Teaching Research Methods

Discourse Analysis and Language Teaching

Language Testing

Linguistic Competence for Teaching Spanish

Teaching Practice/Portfolio in Spanish

Career opportunities

You will be equipped to pursue teaching Spanish as a foreign language in a variety of settings and industries, both in education and corporate settings.

MA TESOL

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Jane Davies		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 2 days a week on campus (FT)		

This course is designed to help you develop the skills and experience you need for a successful career in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL). You will gain in-depth knowledge of the structure of language at different levels of analysis and the relationship between language and use. You will develop a critical understanding of how English is learnt, taught and tested so that you can make informed decisions with regard to policy and practice in your TESOL career.

Why Roehampton?

The course is taught in Roehampton's brand new media centre. There is a strong emphasis on the application of linguistic knowledge in the classroom. You will also be able to consolidate your learning with hands on teaching experience.

Example modules

Discourse Analysis and Language Teaching

Language Testing

Understanding Language Learning and Teaching Grammar for TESOL

Research Methods

Practice of TESOL

Career opportunities

There are excellent opportunities around the world for teachers with a master's level qualification in TESOL. Related career paths may include policy adviser, trainer of teachers, and designer of teaching materials.



Business

The Roehampton Business School's MBA and MSc courses are internationally oriented, business-relevant and research-informed programmes that prepare you for a successful career in global business management.

Employers need responsible, 'career ready' graduates who are able to lead in a global environment characterised by risk and uncertainty, to absorb complex information, make difficult decisions and communicate effectively. These master's programmes are designed to equip you with the knowledge to pursue real world impact.

You can choose between pathways in Finance, Human Resources or Marketing. Our MBA programmes, aimed at those with or without previous managerial work experience, enables you to build on and extend your knowledge of management to ensure you are ready to take on a senior leadership role. The principle attributes that characterise the MBA and MSc programmes are:

1. A curriculum informed by latest business practice and world-leading research
2. A carefully designed set of modules in international business, providing you with a global mindset, and an in-depth understanding of global operations and leadership
3. Learning and teaching that is focused on career-readiness
4. The ability to choose between a dissertation or consultancy project

You will also be invited to take part in the Global Leadership Programme, which offers professional development workshops and company visits designed to help you develop the skills needed to succeed in a fast-paced global business.



“60% of research ranked as ‘internationally excellent’ for its impact”

Research Excellence Framework 2014

Research

Research centres

Roehampton Business School has created six research ‘clusters’ focusing on a range of disciplines:

- Accounting and Management Control, led by Professor Elaine Harris
- Business Economics and Quantitative Finance, led by Professor Stephen Drinkwater
- Marketing Research, led by Professors Rafiq, Chen and Zarantonello
- Supply Chain Management, led by Professor Wantao Yu
- People and Organisations, led by Professors Maria Daskalaki and Carole Elliott
- Strategy and International Business, led by Dr Ellis Osabutey

Recent research projects

A project led by Professor Ellis Osabutey analysed the perceptions of Ghanaian fans among four English Premier League teams. The findings suggested that global marketers have the opportunity to capitalise on market expansion opportunities in developing economies. The research was funded by the British Academy of Management.

Professor Molly Scott-Cato is a MEP and responsible for developing economic policy for the Green Party. Her recent research sought to challenge conventional approaches to the teaching of economics. The findings focus on sustainability and justice, covering work, power, capital, markets and debt.

MSc Digital Marketing

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Sree Beg		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Digital Marketing will equip you with latest knowledge of digital strategies that enable organisations’ marketing to respond quickly to trends and data, ensuring they stay ahead of competition. We will provide you with the expertise demanded in a digital business environment, including social media, managing digital marketing assets and campaigns, and the wider strategic marketing context. The programme provides insight into contemporary marketing issues from emerging technologies to understanding online consumers.

Why Roehampton?

The programme is accredited by the Institute of Data and Marketing. It has been designed with input from successful business leaders to address the demand for market-focussed professionals adept in the effective use of digital technology. It addresses theory and practice for a digital era. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Strategic Marketing
Data and Analytics for Marketers
Digital Marketing Practice
Emerging Digital Issues
Online Consumer Psychology
Social Media and Influencers

Career opportunities

Graduates from this programme are equipped with the knowledge and skills to work in a variety of digital marketing roles that champion new technology, best online business models and emerging shapes of digital marketing communication & campaigns.

MSc Entrepreneurship

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Taman Powell		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Entrepreneurship provides you with the knowledge to accomplish your own entrepreneurial ambitions. If you want to build upon your ideas, seek industry support from the London community and network with like-minded peers, we provide a bespoke offer. Likewise, if you are a graduate who is entrepreneurially minded but not ready to start your own venture, this programme gives you the opportunity to gain skills from finance and business planning through to people management and marketing, in the context of small businesses and entrepreneurial ventures.

Why Roehampton?

The programme benefits from the Roehampton Business School’s wider start-up activities and its links with the City of London. We will provide access to the Santander Universities LaunchPad and connect you with projects in conjunction with the Wandsworth Chamber of Commerce. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Strategy & the Business Environment
Entrepreneurial Execution
Entrepreneurial Finance
Customer Development
Innovation & Business Model Development
Business Plan & Pitch

Career opportunities

Graduates may become entrepreneurs or work in organisations to promote innovation and entrepreneurial culture. The course will also benefit students who would like to grow a family enterprise.

MSc Global Business Management

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Peter Atkinson		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Global Business Management meets the needs of graduates who seek a career in international management, by equipping you with expertise in global enterprise. It focuses on key aspects of worldwide business operations, strategy development, marketing and supply chains. The course is suited to graduates whose undergraduate degree is not in business or who have not gained relevant work experience.

Why Roehampton?

The programme has been designed with input from successful business leaders to address the needs of global corporations and SMEs operating internationally. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Global Strategic Management

Managing International Trade

Supply Chain Strategy and Processes

Financial Performance Management

Strategic Marketing

Leadership and Change Management

Career opportunities

You will be equipped with the knowledge and skills to work in multinational corporations, strategy and policy consultancy or international entrepreneurship ventures.

MSc Global Financial Management

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Peter Atkinson		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Global Financial Management meets the needs of graduates who wish to enter a career in corporate finance but may not yet have the relevant academic finance background or finance sector experience. It will provide a holistic understanding of finance and business strategy in a global context and a focus on a critical understanding of financial management, investment and capital markets in theory and practice. Students gain a global perspective and learn the skills needed to make an impact in international organisations.

Why Roehampton?

This programme is unique in that it targets the demand for financial strategists in specifically global corporations and organisations. It has been designed from a diverse panel of business advisors and successful business leaders. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

International Corporate Finance

Financial Performance Management

Strategic Investment Appraisal

Leadership and Change Management

Strategic Marketing

Global Strategic Management

Career opportunities

You will be equipped with the knowledge and skills to work in financial management, investment or finance-related advisory roles in international organisations, public administration or multinational firms and international operating SMEs.

MSc Global Human Resources Management

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Peter Atkinson		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Global Human Resources Management is tailored to students seeking to become leaders of Human Resources and Corporate Strategy. The curriculum benefits from our faculty’s research expertise in organisational studies and their practitioner links with Human Resources-related professions, including the Chartered Institute of Personnel & Development. You will focus on the wider strategic, financial and operational context of managing talent and people across borders and cultures, being taught by internationally recognised researchers.

Why Roehampton?

The programme has been designed with input from a panel of business advisors to address the demand for global HR professionals who are equipped with expertise in talent management and managing organisational change. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute (CMI). In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Leadership and Change Management

Managing Across Borders

HR Business Partnering

Business Research Methods

Strategic Marketing

Global Strategic Management

Career opportunities

Graduates will be prepared for managerial roles in multinational companies, consultancies or in public administration.

MSc Global Marketing

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Peter Atkinson		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The MSc Global Marketing provides you with essential expertise of contemporary marketing theory and practice, equipping you with the strategic and operational marketing skills needed for modern enterprises to succeed. It is tailored to students with the ambition to become leaders and practitioners at the interface of marketing and corporate strategy, and benefits from our academic faculty’s leading research expertise such as in branding, and from our practitioner links.

Why Roehampton?

The programme has been designed with input from a panel of business advisors and successful business leaders to address the demand for market-focussed professionals adept in the effective use of digital technologies and brand management. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Global Brand Management

Global Strategic Management

Strategic Marketing

Digital Marketing Practice

Leadership and Change Management

Financial Performance Management

Career opportunities

Graduates are equipped with the knowledge and skills to work in brand management, marketing planning or strategic marketing management. Potential employers include multinational corporations, SMEs operating internationally and marketing agencies.

MBA

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Declan Scully		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The Roehampton MBA is designed with ambitious early career professionals in mind. It focuses on responsible leadership, strategy in practice, and managing projects in a global context. You will be equipped with a comprehensive understanding of the main functional areas of business management such as, strategy, marketing, finance and organisational change. The Roehampton MBA combines cutting edge theory and application in practice, it provides the opportunity to pursue a consultancy project with either a multinational corporation or a leading SME in London.

Why Roehampton?

You will gain project management skills and develop the strategic acumen required to direct teams and competitive enterprises. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development.

Example modules

Strategy in Practice
Leadership and Change Management
Consultancy Project
Financial Performance Management
Project Management
Strategic Marketing

Career opportunities

Graduates acquire strong project management and business management skills, which are highly sought after by employers in both the private and public sectors.

MBA with placement year

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180 plus 40 credits placement
Programme Convenor Dr Declan Scully		Programme Start Sept 2021 or Jan 2022
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 3-4 days a week on campus		

The Roehampton MBA is designed with ambitious areas of business management such as, strategy, marketing, finance and organisational change. The placement year is an opportunity to gain networks and professional experience within UK companies. The Roehampton MBA combines cutting edge theory and application in practice, it provides the opportunity to pursue a consultancy project with either a multinational corporation or a leading SME in London.

Why Roehampton?

You will gain project management skills and develop the strategic acumen required to direct teams and competitive enterprises. On graduating, you will receive a dual award Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership by the Chartered Management Institute. In addition, you will join the Global Leadership Programme, an extracurricular programme of professional development. Roehampton is situated in South-West London, close to a number of innovative companies and the City of London which is an asset when applying for placements.

Example modules

Strategy in Practice
Leadership and Change Management
Financial Performance Management
Project Management
Consultancy Project
Business Placement

Career opportunities

Graduates acquire strong project management and business management skills, which are highly sought after by employers in both the private and public sectors.



Education

Based in historic Froebel College on Roehampton's main campus, the School of Education is renowned for its high-quality teaching and research, and is one of the principal teacher training providers in the UK. We have been recognised by The National Association of School-Based Teacher Trainers as a high-quality university partner.

With a teacher training heritage that stretches back 180 years, it's no exaggeration to say that our students have taught and influenced the lives of millions of children.

For education professionals seeking career enhancement we have an exciting suite of master's and postgraduate certificate programmes designed to boost skills, knowledge and teaching expertise. Students consistently give the quality of teaching on these programmes high scores in their evaluations.

Most master's modules are taught in the evenings and occasional weekends to meet the needs of busy professionals. The School has a vibrant research culture with a reputation for excellence in a number of areas. In the 2014 Research Excellence Framework, 79% of all our research publications were ranked as "world-leading" or "internationally excellent" for their impact.



We've been training teachers longer than any other provider in the UK.

Research

Roehampton's School of Education is home to a diverse range of research groups:

- **The Applied Music Research Group** has ties to our Psychology Department, and researches music teaching in the context of special needs teaching, autism and visual impairment.
- **The Centre for Interdisciplinary Research into Special and Inclusive Education** develops research into inclusion and exclusion of children with additional/ special needs and disabilities. The group addresses theoretical understandings and practical work with schools and teachers to develop good practice.
- **The Early Childhood Research Centre (ECRC)** looks at young children's lives from a systemic perspective, while investigating the dominant neo-liberal view of childhood.
- **The Philosophy of Education Centre** looks at questions of educational theory, policy and practice through a philosophical lens. Members engage in scholarly work covering topics from educational justice and inclusion to questions of friendship and patriotism.
- **The Research in Inequalities, Societies and Education** group is a national network of critical scholars, researchers and practitioners generating interdisciplinary research, impact and activities, building on critical, feminist and Freirean pedagogies, theories, methodologies, critiques and practices.
- **The Teaching and Learning in Schools Research Group** researches teacher education and development, professional studies and classroom teaching and learning. Research interests include the creation of online teacher communities, the benefits of school field visits, and digital literacies.

PG Cert Coaching and Mentoring in Education

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
N/A	1 Year	60
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Mari Cruice		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Teaching is in the evenings and weekends only (approx. 60 hours)		

This course will enable you to develop the knowledge and skills you need to become an effective professional coach/mentor within the education sector. You will build a repertoire of techniques such as incisive questioning, active listening, goal setting and feedback - that will greatly enhance your practice. We will also guide you through some of the most insightful literature in the field and encourage you to critically engage with it. You will increase your own self-awareness using psychometric testing, journal writing and peer coaching.

Why Roehampton?

The course is delivered through interactive workshops at Roehampton, on weekday evenings and weekends. There will also be blended learning sessions and online forums.

Example modules

An introduction to the skill of active listening

Understanding goal setting

Role plays – practising coaching conversations

Managing difficult conversations

Using metaphors to generate insight

Career opportunities

Students on the course will already be in employment. However, it provides continuing professional development enabling them to develop their personal and professional interests in coaching and mentoring.

MA Early Childhood Studies

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-4 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Kyara Rojas-Bustos		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Mostly evenings, occasional daytime teaching		

This master's programme draws on Froebel's understanding of the transformative power of children's play on their thinking, and the crucial way that adults can either assist or control children's intrinsic creativity. The syllabus is underpinned by an awareness of the influence of social, cultural and political contexts of young children's lives, and of the structures of inequality that arise from these factors. The programme will strengthen your awareness and understanding of these influences and explore how you take account of them in action.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is home to the Froebel Archive, a unique collection of books, photographs, historical objects and multi-media materials, centering on Friedrich Froebel's educational legacy.

Example modules

Play, Thinking and Communication

Early Childhood Pedagogy and Practice

The Froebelian Legacy

Emotion and the Roots of Wellbeing

Dissertation

Professionalism, Leadership and Advocacy

Career opportunities

Careers in professional practice and leadership in early childhood, education, health and social welfare, policy making, implementation and administration of early childhood provision.

MA Education Leadership and Management

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-4 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Deborah Sabric		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
3-4 early evenings per week		

This is a programme for professionals seeking to deepen their understanding of the theory and practice of leadership and management in education. It allows you to specialise in your particular areas of interest, reflecting your career goals. The programme has an international profile and brings together students at postgraduate level from around the world. A key aspect of the MA is undertaking of a piece of research. You will study the foundational skills of academic enquiry, and planning for your specialist research.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton's School of Education undertakes leading research, and is committed to working in partnership with schools and communities. The School focuses on developing students' professionalism and a commitment to social justice.

Example modules

Issues of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Excellence: From Glass Ceilings to Sticky Floors

Building Communities of Learning for Pupils and Practitioners

Leading Educational Organisations

Developing Staff and Leading Teams

System Leadership

Contemporary Education Policy Debates: National and International Perspectives

Career opportunities

Careers in leadership and management in schools, colleges, universities and early years settings; working in government organisations and educational charities; consultancy; training industries.

MA Education Studies

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-4 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Dalvir Gill		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Typically 2-3 evenings a week FT		

This master's is designed for education professionals who would like to further their knowledge and understanding of children and young people in education. You will be able to select from a range of modules such as special education needs, disability and inclusion and leadership and management, allowing you to shape the programme to your interests and career aspirations. This programme covers critical social and educational theories and perspectives, as well as policy and practice relevant to education globally and locally.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is home to the unique Froebel Archive and has a 180 year heritage in teaching and education. Academic staff are also active researchers at the cutting edge of their subject.

Example modules

Power and Education in Society: Discourse of Differences

Issues of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Excellence: From Glass Ceilings to Sticky Floors

Leading Education Organisations

Behaviour, Inclusion and Exclusion

Perspectives in SEN and Inclusion

Social and Emotional Dimensions of Learning

Career opportunities

Graduates boost their careers working with children and young people. This may include advisory work, learning support, youth engagement, policy making, children's services or further study toward a doctorate.

MA Educational Practice

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
N/A	1-3 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Nicola Treby		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Teaching is in the evenings and weekends only		

This is a part-time course for teachers seeking to further develop their pedagogical skills. Students gain an in-depth understanding of teaching and learning within the context of today's schools and other educational establishments. The course is taught mostly on weekday evenings with the occasional Saturday. You will explore education theories and research, and how it can influence your teaching and the learning of your pupils. You will also develop your own research, building a strong foundation for your future career.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is home to the unique Froebel Archive and has a 180 year heritage in teaching and education. Academic staff are also active researchers at the cutting edge of their subject.

Example modules

Learning Teaching and Participation

Understanding Practitioner Research

Pedagogy for Multilingual Learners

Leading Teaching, Improving Learning

Current Perspectives on Child Development

Autism: Principles, Practices and Perspectives

Career opportunities

On completion of this course you will be able to offer advanced teaching and leadership in schools, and go on to further practice-related academic study such as professional doctorates.

MA Inclusive Education: SEN and Disability

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-4 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Tim Kent		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Evenings and weekends only (PT). Some daytimes (FT)		

This programme explores the education of children and young people with learning difficulties, disability, disadvantage or other additional needs. It's founded upon a democratic commitment to forms of education which challenge exclusion and enable the participation and empowerment of all. With its international profile, the programme brings together those who have significant experience working with children and young people with SEN, either directly in teaching, support or project work, or as policy-makers, advisory workers or managers.

Why Roehampton?

Modules are taught on weekday evenings (occasionally on Saturdays). Part-time students can fit their study around work commitments.

Example modules

Perspectives in Inclusive Education

Behaviour, Inclusion and Exclusion

Critical and Social Pedagogy for Inclusive Practice

Autism: Principles, Practices and Perspectives

Social-Emotional Dimensions of Education and Wellbeing

Learners with Sensory and Multi-sensory Needs

Career opportunities

Graduates pursue careers in education practice and leadership: teaching, advisory work, SEND coordination, inclusion management, support work, policy making or further study.

PG Cert Music and Children with Special Needs: Sounds of Intent

Full Time N/A	Part Time 1 Year	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor Dr Arielle Bonneville-Roussy		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Maximum 1 day per fortnight		

This course offers an introduction to the eponymous music-developmental framework for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND). The ‘Sounds of Intent’ programme also offers professional development for music practitioners interested in working with children with SEND. You will be introduced to the ‘Sounds of Intent’ music-developmental framework and learn how to use the resources and assessment tool available through the website. The course has both theoretical and practical elements, and is assessed through essays, a portfolio of work and a placement.

Why Roehampton?

Created by Professor Adam Ockelford, this programme is unique to the University of Roehampton.

Example modules

- Introduction to Sounds of Intent
- Using Sounds of Intent in the Field
- Using Sounds of Intent for Curriculum Development

Career opportunities

The Sounds of Intent qualification will support those seeking work in special schools, or with pupils/students with special educational needs/disabilities, and community music contexts.

National Award for SEN Coordinators

(Undergoing Periodic Review)

Full Time N/A	Part Time 1 Year	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor Dr Sarah O’Flynn		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule 10 full weekdays across the year		

This course meets the learning outcomes agreed nationally by the DfE and the SENCO Award providers’ group for the NASENCO qualification. Special Educational Needs Coordinators (SENCOs) play a vital role in leading the coordination of provision for children and young people with SEN and/or disabilities in schools. By law every new SENCO in a mainstream school is required to gain the master’s-level National Award for Special Educational Needs Co-ordination within 3 years of taking up the post.

Why Roehampton?

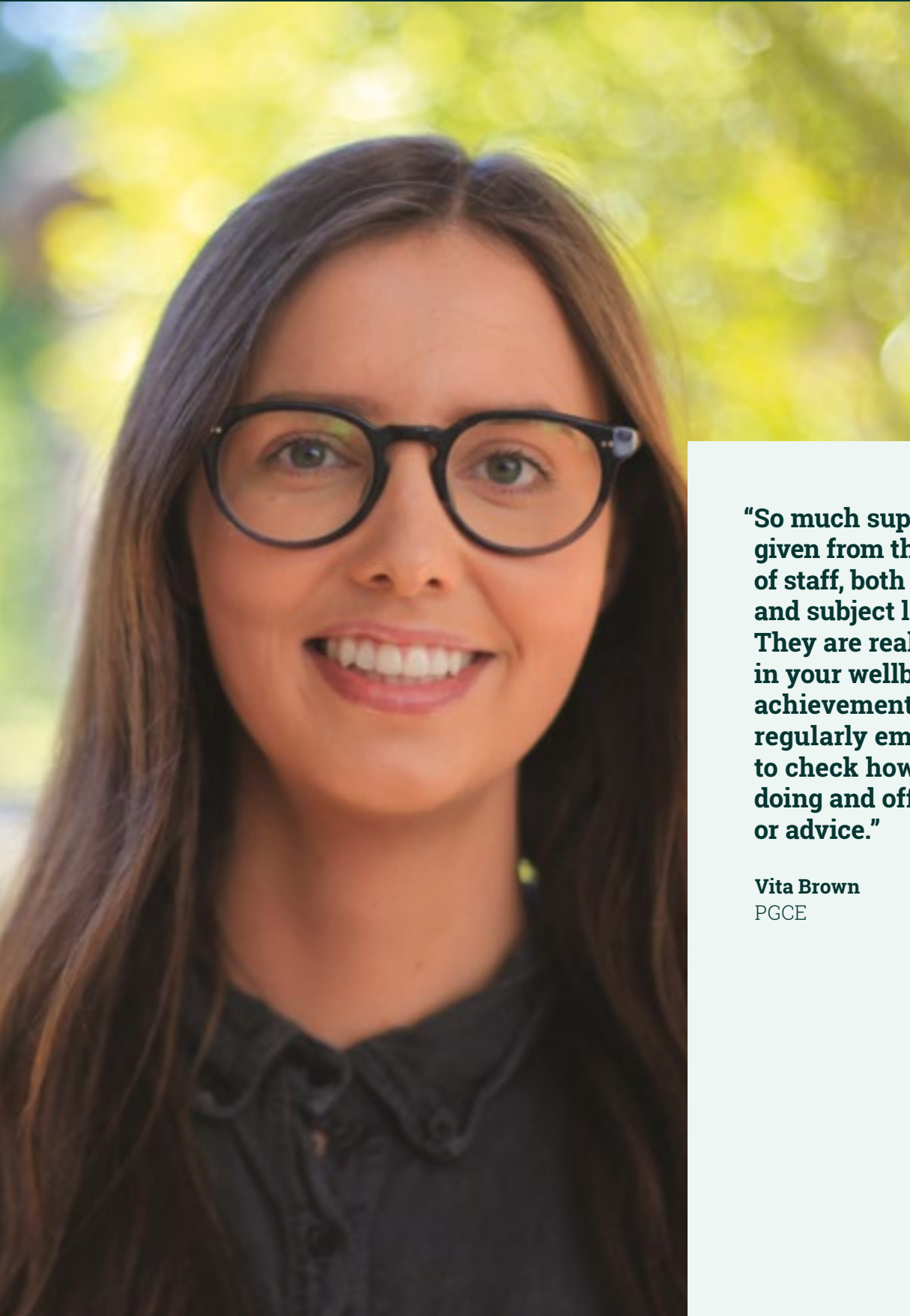
Roehampton has a 180 year heritage in teaching and education, and is an internationally recognised provider of postgraduate courses for SEN teachers.

Example modules

- Reflective Practitioner Enquiry Report
- Shorter Critical Reflections on Practice (x3)
- A school-based NASENCO Performance Booklet

Career opportunities

Our experience is that many students undertaking this award progress quickly to further promotion, especially to school leadership teams.



“So much support is given from the members of staff, both group tutors and subject lecturers. They are really invested in your wellbeing and achievements, and regularly email you to check how you’re doing and offer support or advice.”

Vita Brown
PGCE

PGCE Primary

Full Time 1 year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor Stephanie Laird		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Full working weeks throughout the year		

Qualify as a primary school teacher (QTS) with this one year Postgraduate Certificate in Education course that also gives you 60 credits at master’s level. Part of the year is spent on school placements, whilst during your on-campus weeks you’ll be taught a range of professional skills and trained to teach every subject on the primary curriculum. Teachers inspire young people and can change lives. Primary teachers enjoy rewarding careers and are paid a great starting salary on graduation.

Why Roehampton?

As one of the UK’s leading and longest-running providers of teacher education, we can offer you the best foundation for a successful career in the profession.

Career opportunities

Job prospects for newly qualified primary teachers in London and the south east are good. Ambitious graduates of this course may quickly progress to positions of responsibility and leadership.

PGCE Primary - general with mathematics

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor Stephanie Laird		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Full working weeks throughout the year		

This course is identical to the PGCE Primary (left) but it includes seven additional afternoons throughout the year dedicated to the teaching of mathematics. Students are required to have GCSE maths at grade A or A* (7 or higher), while those with A level maths at grade B or higher will receive a bursary. Mathematics specialists are in high demand in primary schools and career prospects are excellent.

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As one of the UK’s leading and longest-running providers of teacher education, we can offer you the best foundation for a successful career in the profession.

Career opportunities

Job prospects for newly qualified primary teachers in London and the south east are good, particularly for those with a mathematics specialism. Ambitious graduates of this course may quickly progress to positions of responsibility and leadership.

PGCE Secondary

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor Alison Messer		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Full working weeks throughout the year		

Qualify as a secondary school teacher with this one year Postgraduate Certificate in Education that also gives you 60 master’s credits.

Roehampton offers 15 subject specialisms:

- Art and Design
- Computing
- Design and Technology
- Drama
- English
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Modern Foreign Languages
- Music
- Physical Education
- Religious Education
- Science with Biology
- Science with Chemistry
- Science with Physics

Much of the year is spent in schools, while on-campus sessions cover professional studies plus one day a week dedicated to how to teach your chosen subject.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton has a 180 year heritage in teaching and education, and an unusually wide choice of secondary subject specialisms. Our School of Education has partnerships with over 400 schools throughout the south east.

Career opportunities

Job prospects for secondary school teachers are very good, particularly for those qualified to teach science, mathematics, technology, computing and languages.

School Direct Primary and Secondary

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 60
Programme Convenor N/A		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Full working weeks throughout the year		

School Direct is a route to qualifying as a teacher whereby the student is based in one school of their choice. Working with Roehampton, our partner schools recruit their trainees and deliver the training programme. Students are based in their host school, but come to Roehampton for additional training and also spend a period teaching in second school. The majority of trainees will pay a tuition fee, but a small number of places are available on a salaried basis.

Why Roehampton?

On completing their courses all School Direct students are also awarded a PGCE from Roehampton, one of the most highly rated training providers in the UK.

Career opportunities

Many students on a School Direct training course are offered jobs by their host schools. Job prospects for newly qualified teachers are good throughout London and the south east.

MA Social Research Methods

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Alaster Douglas		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule One afternoon / evening per week on campus		

This course is designed for those looking to embark on a career as a researcher or academic within the fields of education or social sciences. It will provide you with the necessary training to study and research for your MPhil/PhD. The course is distinctive in providing students with the opportunity to develop expertise in a range of both quantitative and qualitative research methods of data collection and analysis, with a focus on their application to real-world issues.

Why Roehampton?

The course has 1+3 recognition from the Economic and Social Research Council. Only three Education Departments in post-92 universities have this prestigious kitemark.

Example modules

- The Design of Social Research
- Qualitative Research Methods of Data Collection and Analysis
- Quantitative Research Methods of Data Collection and Analysis
- Philosophy of Social Science Research
- Social Theory and Social Research

Career opportunities

Most graduates of this course are employed in the research field of education and/or social sciences. Others continue their studies to doctoral level in other subject areas.



How to apply for your PGCE

Here is the application process for the following teacher training programmes:

- PGCE Primary
- PGCE Primary General (with mathematics)
- PGCE Secondary
- School Direct Primary and Secondary

Step 1: Prepare

Attend university events. Try and attend as many university open days/evening and Train to Teach events as possible. This will give you a good feel for the different universities and a chance to speak with current students. Most events are advertised on the government's Get Into Teaching website.

Gain school experience. You could strengthen your application by seeking some school observation or experience. Although this is not an entry requirement, it will be helpful as in your interview you will need to be able to reflect on the role of the teacher.

Register with UCAS Teacher Training. For all routes you will apply through UCAS. You can use the site to search for training courses by location, subject and type of provider. Applications open in October so you should register as early as possible.

Step 2: Apply

- Write your personal statement.** You will need to write a personal statement as part of your application.
- Confirm your references.** You will need at least two referees, one of which will need to be an academic one if you are in the final year of your degree, or graduated in the last five years, who will confirm your suitability for a career in teaching.
- Choose your provider and route.** By now you should have a good idea of which provider and route you would like to apply for.
- Complete your UCAS form.** If you have any queries about your application to Roehampton you can email teachertraining@roehampton.ac.uk to receive a swift response.

Step 3: The Interview

- If you have applied for a university-based course, your interview will be held at Roehampton. If you have applied for a School Direct route, the individual school will interview you. Make sure you plan your journey, leaving plenty of spare time so you can arrive, find the right location and be ready to go.
- Format.** The interview process for students wishing to follow a university based course takes around two hours, although you should allow for more. During this time you will:
1. Attend an individual interview, during which you will have the opportunity to ask questions.
 2. Complete a written English and a mathematics test.
 3. Participate in a group task.
- Preparation.** Interviews can be nerve-racking, and this may be your first proper interview, so the key is to practise. Do some research on the questions that you might be asked and prepare answers. Try and keep up to date with education related stories in the news, and current debates surrounding education.
- Ask a friend to interview you so you can practise how you will respond to the questions.

Step 4: Offer Stage

You may be given an offer with conditions attached, all of which need to be met before we can confirm your place. Many of our teacher training courses have limited numbers, so make sure you accept as soon as possible!

Humanities

Roehampton's School of Humanities offers a diverse and engaging range of master's taught courses in the areas of: History, Literature, Creative Writing, Theology and Religion, Publishing and Classics.

A strong emphasis on research is championed at all levels of study; teaching is research-led, and we have a growing number of PhD students across a range subject areas. The department is home to researchers of international excellence whose work on themes such as feminist theology, practical theology, Elizabethan magic and classical rhetoric is regarded as world-leading. We're also home to internationally renowned writers and poets including Professor Dame Jacqueline Wilson and Professor David Harsent.

Roehampton has an advantageous location; our historians appreciate its proximity to the National Archives, while our partnerships with two major literary festivals, Wimbledon Bookfest and Barnes Children's Literature Festival, provide students with paid and voluntary work placement opportunities. The Department is also home to the National Centre for Research in Children's Literature, regarded as the premier institution for children's literature research in Britain, and our MA in Children's Literature is one of the most prestigious and long-standing in the country. Our own historic and beautiful university campus is home to neoclassical art pieces and architecture which provide a compelling backdrop to the study of the humanities.



“60% of research ranked as ‘internationally excellent’ for its impact”

Research Excellence Framework 2014

Research

Recent research projects

“Twisted Transfers”: Discursive Constructions of Corruption in Ancient Greece and Rome, is a collaboration between the University of Roehampton and Universität Potsdam in Germany, led by Dr Marta García Morcillo and Professor Filippo Carlà-Uhink respectively, examining constructions of corruption in the ancient world.

Dr Michael Cullinane’s book Theodore Roosevelt’s Ghost: The History and Memory of an American Icon, is the first comprehensive examination of the legacy and the public’s understanding of one of the most famous US presidents.

Dr Suzannah Lipscomb’s research into the lives of ordinary women in 16th century France looked at previously unstudied church court records. Her book, The Voices of Nîmes: Women, Sex and Marriage in Reformation Languedoc was published in 2019.

Professor Glyn Parry discovered 21 previously unknown documents concerning William Shakespeare’s father John in The National Archives, throwing new light on Shakespeare’s early life and developing political views. The documents show that there are still discoveries waiting to be made about the playwright.

MA Children’s Literature

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Professor Nicki Humble		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Mostly evening teaching		

This postgraduate programme interrogates the literary, creative, social, political and historical contexts of children’s literature. You will work with staff who have international reputations in areas such as philosophy in children’s literature, popular fiction, and writing for young people. Students are automatically members of the National Centre for Research in Children’s Literature (NCRCL), regarded as the premier institution of its kind in Britain. If you have the ambition to write for children, you can take creative writing modules as part of your degree.

Why Roehampton?

Work with internationally-renowned scholars at the National Centre of Research in Children’s Literature. The Roehampton library offers free access to approximately 40 specialist children’s literature journals.

Example modules

- Critical and Theoretical Perspectives
- Archives and Research
- Form and Genre
- Fiction for Young Readers; Visual Narratives
- Creative Arts in the Community
- Print Culture

Career opportunities

Graduates typically pursue careers in teaching, publishing or arts management.

MA Children’s Literature (Distance Learning)

Full Time Flexible	Part Time Flexible	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Professor Nicki Humble		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Flexible to suit the student		

This unique course allows you to study children’s literature in a flexible, part-time format from anywhere in the world. You will examine how texts aimed at young people convey and challenge ideas about childhood. You will work with staff who have international reputations in areas such as philosophy in children’s literature, popular fiction, and writing for young people. Distance learners enjoy regular contact and support from their tutors, plus access to a wide range of resources from Roehampton’s library.

Why Roehampton?

The UK’s only online postgraduate programme in children’s literature, based within the National Centre for Research in Children’s Literature. Our four colleges have a 180 year old religious heritage.

Example modules

- Critical and Theoretical Perspectives
- Archives and Research
- Form and Genre
- Ecology, Environment, and Youth Culture
- British Children’s Literature: History and Perspectives
- Writing for a Child Audience

Career opportunities

Graduates typically pursue careers in teaching, publishing or arts management.

MA Christian Ministry

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
N/A	2-3 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Julian Gotobed		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Tuesday afternoons and evenings, and a handful of Saturdays		

This MA is designed for lay and ordained Christians with significant experience of working (paid or voluntary) in churches, mission agencies or not-for-profit organisations. The course provides the opportunity to integrate biblical and theological studies with practice in the context of Christian spirituality. It aims to engage faithfully and relevantly with challenges to Christian ministry and mission in the twenty-first century. Students on this course become learned professionals capable of providing intellectual leadership in, and adapting to the needs of, contemporary church life.

Why Roehampton?

The flexibility of this MA enables students to fit studies around work, family, and ministry commitments. Staff are experienced ministry practitioners. The programme enables students to make connections between on-campus learning and the practice of ministry in local contexts.

Example modules

Ministry, Imagination, Identity and Culture

Public Theology and Community

Missiology

Interpreting the Bible Today

Pentecostal Theology and Practice

Marriage and Family in Christian Theology

Career opportunities

Students of this course include ordained ministers wanting to pursue continuing ministerial education (CME), and lay Christians seeking careers as practitioners in faith-based or secular organisations.

MRes Classics and Ancient History

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Katharina Rowold		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Daytime and evening teaching		

On this research master’s you will engage with a broad range of research methods, including some of the most influential theoretical positions in classical scholarship and academic enquiry. You will improve your knowledge of ancient languages and engage critically and creatively with classical texts, objects and images, and with their reception in later periods of history. All students complete an extensive research project on a topic of particular interest, and benefit from focussed preparation for future doctoral study.

Why Roehampton?

Academic staff teaching this programme are high profile, research active and internationally recognised. Please see the ‘Who will teach you?’ tab on the website course page.

Example modules

Beginners’ Latin

Beginners’ Ancient Greek

Intermediate Ancient Greek

Intermediate Latin

Classical Languages: Special Author

Researching Antiquity

Career opportunities

Some graduates advance to doctoral study, others pursue careers that require developed research and writing skills, in museums, schools, heritage sites, specialist publishing, the media, archives and libraries.

MA Cold War History

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Sebastian Gehrig		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 evenings per week		

This MA offers a thorough understanding of 20th century cold war history with a particular emphasis on how the most recent past has shaped our present times. Thirty years after the collapse of the Soviet Union, you will re-evaluate the origins and legacies of the cold war, thereby enhancing your research, project management, and critical thinking skills. Teaching is in small seminar groups plus one-to-one sessions with your supervisor, who will be assigned based on your research interests to develop your dissertation topic.

Why Roehampton?

You will be taught by leading scholars of the Cold War. Roehampton’s historians shape research in their field and you will develop and pursue research questions with these scholars.

Example modules

Texts and Contexts

Advanced Research Methods

Cold War Divisions

Cold War Connections

Dissertation

Career opportunities

Graduates typically pursue further academic study, or employment in politics, journalism, media work, NGO or charity work, creative and heritage industries.

MA Creative Writing

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Jeff Hilson		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Evening teaching only		

The programme is designed for ambitious, committed writers who want to hone and develop their writing and develop their creative, critical and professional writing skills in preparation for careers in the creative industries. Students explore three main forms of creative writing: fiction, poetry and fiction for young readers. You will select modules that align with your interests, with options that include the short story, the novel, lyric and alternative poetry, visual narratives and fiction for young adults.

Why Roehampton?

Taught by world-leading academics and internationally renowned writers, Roehampton was one of London’s first universities to offer an MA in Creative Writing when it was launched in 2005. It remains dedicated to providing an innovative, unique curriculum.

Example modules

Fiction: Short Stories

Fiction for Young Readers: Visual Narratives

Poetry: Lyric

Poetry: Alternative Practice

Creative Arts in the Community

Publishing Contexts

Career opportunities

This programme of study aims to produce graduates able to work as professional writers in the creative industries as well as to provide the grounding for further academic study.

MFA Creative Writing

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
2 Years	4 Years	240
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Tim Atkins		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Evening Teaching only		

This 100% online Master’s of Fine Art degree will develop your writing, leading to the successful production of professional-standard, publishable work. You will participate in live, virtual classrooms via a specialised platform allowing you to think, communicate, and create in a truly contemporary, global forum. Students have the freedom to work in a combination of forms, rather than specifically choosing fiction or poetry, as the structure of the MFA allows flexibility, creativity and contemporary impact.

Why Roehampton?

Your academics will be a diverse team of published writers, whose own works push boundaries. The course embraces writing and writers from all backgrounds.

Example modules

- Self and Non-Self
- Intertextuality, Adaptation and Hybrid Form
- Manifestos, Impact, and Public Engagement
- Archives
- Professional Engagement and Publication

Career opportunities

This programme of study has the specific aim of producing graduates able to work as professional creative writers.

MA Creative Writing (specialist pathways)

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Jeff Hilson		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Evening teaching only		

In addition to our MA Creative Writing, this degree allows you to pursue one of three specialist pathways: fiction, poetry or writing for young readers. These three discipline-specific programmes allow you to focus on your chosen writing area and benefit from all the same opportunities offered on the MA Creative Writing. You will simply take fewer optional modules and undertake a longer dissertation. You will graduate with the skills needed to be a writer, and understand the professional context in which these skills are marketed.

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Example modules

Please see the website for a breakdown of modules for all three pathways.

Career opportunities

This programme of study aims to produce graduates able to work as professional writers in the creative industries as well as to provide the grounding for further academic study.

MA History

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Katharina Rowold		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Evening teaching only		

This master’s degree provides a thorough understanding of past eras and societies. Students choose which ages and historical events they want to specialise in from a wide range of possibilities offered by our world leading academic staff. You will take two core skills modules, which are designed to sharpen your research abilities and fully acquaint you with a range of historical literature. You will take a module that examines key themes in historical research and a module that includes a work placement or an academic conference.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton’s history academics offer expertise over an extensive range of historical periods from medieval tax systems to the Tudor Court, and modern Europe to the Cold War.

Example modules

- Texts and Contexts
- Advanced Research Methods
- Themes in Historical Study
- Applied Historical Research
- Dissertation

Career opportunities

Graduates develop key skills useful for further academic study, and for employment in the creative and heritage industries, museums and archives, the media, or any sector that prizes research and communication skills.

MRes History

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Katharina Rowold		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Evening teaching only		

Our MRes in History offers a research-rich master’s programme for those students wanting to develop specialist knowledge and scholarly techniques, as the first step on the path to doctoral research or research-related career paths. We offer a unique combination of focused expertise and applied historical experience in a friendly, supportive graduate environment. Students work closely with members of our History staff, who have internationally-recognised expertise in a wide range of subjects, periods and geographical areas.

Why Roehampton?

This course ideally suits students who already have a well-defined research interest. It will enable you to work at a higher level, primarily via research.

Example modules

- Texts and Contexts
- Applied Historical Research
- Dissertation

Career opportunities

Graduates develop key skills useful for further academic study, and for employment in the creative and heritage industries, museums and archives, the media, or any sector that prizes research and communication skills.

MA Popular Literature and Culture

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Ian Kinane		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Most teaching is in the evening		

This MA is the first in the country to take a period-based, interdisciplinary approach to popular literature. The programme spans a number of disciplines such as English literature, cultural studies, film and television studies, race sexuality and gender studies, and philosophy, delving into different time periods and exploring thematic topics within them. All the staff members who will teach you are active researchers and will use that research to inform their teaching, offering innovative modules that are fresh and contemporary.

Why Roehampton?

Students can focus on the periods/topics of popular culture that they are most interested in. This course is unique in the UK.

Example modules

Reading Popular Culture

Archives and Research

Popular Ecologies: Literature, Philosophy, and Environmental Ethics

Popular Identities: Gender, Sexuality, and Race

Popular Locations: Women, Space, and Time

Popular Adaptations: Page, Stage, Screen

Career opportunities

Graduates may pursue careers in writing, publishing, teaching, the media or any field that values an academic approach to popular arts and culture.

MA Practical Philosophy

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Tom O'Shea		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Please see website		

This is a new master’s programme for 2021. Drawing on political philosophy, ethics, social philosophy, and the philosophy of law, it is driven by our belief that philosophy is at its best when it learns from, and intervenes in, the world around us. It will explore philosophical debates on topics such as the relationship between law and morality, the ethics of animal experimentation, and the nature of class, gender, and race. It welcomes graduates with or without a background in philosophy.

Why Roehampton?

This is the UK’s first and only MA dedicated to the study of practical philosophy from ethics and social theory to politics and law. Graduates will acquire the skills needed to conduct research, think logically and creatively, analyse arguments and hone their writing ability.

Example modules

Issues in Practical Philosophy:
Political and Legal Philosophy

Issues in Practical Philosophy:
Ethical and Social Philosophy

Dissertation

Marx and Critical Theory

Animals and the Environment: Past to Present

The Philosophy of Law

Career opportunities

Philosophy graduates go on to have careers in a wide variety of fields including law, journalism, teaching, politics, publishing and the civil service.



“I enjoy the multidisciplinary approach of the course, which delves into other subjects such as anthropology, sociology, and human rights, bringing theology into dialogue with modernity.”

Stephen Ndungu
MA Theology and Religious Studies

DTh Practical Theology

Full Time N/A	Part Time 4-7 years (post master's)	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Ashley Cocksworth		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically one day per month		

The DTh is a professional doctorate programme in practical theology. This programme offers a variety of bespoke outcomes to diverse students engaged with Christian practice including: strategic leadership training to senior level ministry personnel; the deeper integration of theological learning to contexts of practice; the honing of missiological and ecclesiological understandings as lived out in real-life situations. The programme focuses on using research to develop theological practice, to the mutual enrichment of both academic theology and faith practice.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton's historical roots and links with vibrant congregations provide an excellent context for research into contemporary multicultural urban ministry and mission.

Example modules

- Practical Theology
- Advanced Methods and Approaches
- Research Design
- Publishable Article

Career opportunities

The DTh is intended to enable existing professionals working in church ministry, mission, education, development or the para-church sector to move into senior or national positions within visionary research-led organisations.

MA Publishing

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Susan Greenberg		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Most teaching is in the evening		

Roehampton's MA Publishing provides industry-relevant training, designed to develop your skills and knowledge for a career in the publishing industry, as well as other sectors where media savvy and transferable communication skills are crucial. You will be exposed to a range of sectors, including trade, professional, academic and children's publishing, and will cover the supply chain from editorial work, marketing and intellectual property to distribution and reader engagement.

Why Roehampton?

You'll be taught by people with first-hand knowledge of publishing best practice and have opportunities to network with industry professionals.

Example modules

- Publishing Contexts
- Publishing Skills
- Dimensions of Editing
- Professional Placement
- Print Culture
- Creative Arts in the Community

Career opportunities

Potential careers for graduates within publishing include: editorial acquisition, copyediting, literary representation, marketing, digital content editing, print production, distribution and bookselling.

MA Theology and Religious Studies

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Richard Burgess		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Evenings and daytime teaching		

As faiths of all kinds navigate their way through a period of great social change, it is more important than ever to possess an in-depth understanding of how religions interact with each other and with society. This MA creatively balances the close study of particular traditions with a broad understanding of the subject area. You can study a variety of religious traditions in relation to key topics such as social justice, gender, text and textual interpretation, and inter-religious dialogue and conflict.

Why Roehampton?

This is one of the few programmes in London that offers specialised teaching in Islam, Indian Religions and Judaism as well as different aspects of Christian theology.

Example modules

- Theology & Modernity: Thinkers and Approaches
- Theories and Methods in the Study of Religion
- Approaches to Biblical Studies
- Theology and Ecology
- Pentecostal Theology and Practice
- Islam, Gender and Culture

Career opportunities

Graduates may pursue careers in education, faith-based organisations, religious ministry and chaplaincy, social services, international aid, the charity sector, and community organisations.

MA Theology, Ecology and Ethics

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 or 3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Martin Poulsom		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Mostly evenings with some daytime teaching		

This programme is delivered off-site at London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London. W1K 3AH. This MA is designed for students concerned about the environmental crisis facing our common home and how faith can play a critical role in addressing the crisis. Co-created with the Jesuits in Britain, the course fully immerses you in the subject, and is taught by a team of scholars active within environmental debate. Students will benefit from guest lecturers who bring a wealth of experience and the opportunity to make contacts and network.

Why Roehampton?

The Jesuits in Britain, as part of their support of this University of Roehampton degree are offering a number of scholarships and bursaries to suitable candidates.

Example modules

- Theology and Ecology
- Scripture and Tradition: Ecological Hermeneutics
- The Philosophy of Nature
- Ecology and Theology Across the Disciplines
- Ecological and Social Ethics

Career opportunities

Students on this programme will be equipped to pursue higher level academic research in this field and/or to become reflective practitioners or activists pioneering practical change. Potential careers could be in NGOs, teaching, industrial settings, law, government, or academia.

MA Tudor Studies

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Suzannah Lipscomb		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Evening teaching only		

Our MA Tudor Studies degree is an interdisciplinary investigation of the Tudor age that covers 1485-1603. While considering the traditional areas of high religion and politics, you will also explore material culture, the performative nature of Tudor life, the cultural and artistic context, issues of gender, and the international context, by coupling the study of history and literature. This course positions Tudor history within an international context, taking into account the global connections that significantly contributed to and shaped England’s wealth and power.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton has an extensive network of partnerships which include Historic Royal Palaces, The National Archives, the National Trust, Surrey History Centre, and the Mary Rose, as well as TV production companies that make historical documentaries.

Example modules

- Literature and Politics
- Faith, Gender, and Succession: The Crisis Points of the Tudors
- Applied Historical Research
- Texts and Contexts
- Dissertation

Career opportunities

Graduates may pursue further academic study, or employment in the creative and heritage industries, including publishing, museums and archives, or the media.

MA War Studies (Online)

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Iain Johnston-White		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Flexible, online		

This MA programme focuses on wars of the 20th century and will allow you to engage with war at different levels to better understand how conflicts have altered the world. You will gain a deep knowledge of the major conflicts of the 20th century, including the Boer War, The First and Second World Wars, The Korean War and the Yugoslav Wars. You will analyse why conflicts start and the impact each had internationally. You will acquire advanced research skills and learn different methodological approaches to the study of modern history.

Why Roehampton?

Our MA War Studies is taught online, which means you can take the degree from anywhere in the world. Teaching consists of short, lecture-format videos, open discussion forums, and one to one tutorials via video communication. Timings can be flexible to different time zones.

Example modules

- Memory, Media and Materiel: Representations of War in the Twentieth Century
- War in the Twentieth Century: A Global History
- Advanced Research Methods

Career opportunities

This degree is intended to develop key skills which will be useful for those interested in further academic study, and also for future employment in the creative and heritage industries, including publishing, museums and archives, the media, or any sector that prizes effective research and communication skills.



Life Sciences

Join our Department of Life Sciences and a team of world-leading researchers and academics, and become part of a community dedicated to understanding and improving the living world.

Our outstanding postgraduate degrees are divided into three main areas of study: health sciences, sport and exercise, and primatology. Whether you want to improve our health, study disease, conserve animal dignity, gain an insight into humanity, or optimise athletic performance, our courses will allow you to graduate with the skills and experience you need in your future career.

At Roehampton, our teaching is constantly updated to reflect the latest scientific advances. You'll gain first-hand research experience in our state-of-the-art laboratories and in the field, where you'll learn advanced practical laboratory techniques and conduct your own research.

You will be taught by internationally renowned experts who are passionate and active researchers at the forefront of their fields; their research connects them with institutions and organisations across the UK and abroad. On joining Roehampton you will become part of our active research community, participating in research seminars and events discussing the latest developments in your field of study.

We are based at Whitelands College, overlooking the beautiful Richmond Park. We have established networks with industry, institutions and field sites, and our supportive environment will prepare you for your chosen career. Our facilities include specialist modern biomedical, ecology, nutrition, neuroscience, biomechanics and physiology laboratories.



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Research Excellence Framework 2014

Research

Recent research projects

Groundbreaking research by Professor Jolanta Opacka-Juffry into the drug Benzofury, a so-called legal high, has contributed to changes in UK drugs policy and the Psychoactive Substances Act 2016.

Dr Lewis Halsey, Dr Louise Soanes and Dr Jonathan Skinner are undertaking a EU-funded project to protect sea turtles, in partnership with the Anguilla Department of Fisheries and Marine Resource.

The role of vitamin D in protecting against multiple sclerosis is being researched by a Roehampton team led by molecular immunologist Dr Robert Busch.

Research into a new probiotic health product is being led by Dr Adele Costabile with over £50,000 external funding. The resulting product is designed to aid cardiovascular and physiological wellbeing.

A project looking at the shape of the birth canal in different primates is being led by Dr Lia Betti and Dr Todd Rae. They are looking for factors that explain the tight fit between the foetus and birth canal in humans and some other primates.

MRes Cell Biomedicine

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Yolanda Calle-Patina		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This degree will provide you with advanced research training in medical aspects of cell biology and pathology. The programme includes lectures, tutorials and practical work that will keep you up-to-date with the current advances in the field. You will be taught by research-active experts working across a diverse range of topics that you can choose to study such as cellular and molecular mechanisms of cancer, microbial resistance to antibiotics, immune mechanisms of disease and stem cell research.

Why Roehampton?

Conduct your own research project in our state-of-the-art molecular biology laboratories, equipped with microscopy analysers, autoradiography, flow cytometry, high sensitivity HPLC and LC-MS, and neural stem cell and tissue culture facilities.

Example modules

- Research Project
- Health Research Methods
- Cells, Disease and Therapy
- Communication

Career opportunities

This research master’s programme provides both a solid academic basis and practical hands-on experience in cellular biomedical science. It will prepare you for careers in academia, clinical research, the health industry or within government organisations.

MSc Clinical Neuroscience

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-4 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Simon Dyall		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

One of the UK’s longest running master’s in clinical neuroscience, this programme offers a thorough insight into recent advances in tackling neurological and neuropsychiatric disease. It’s designed for students from a range of backgrounds, who are interested in pursuing a career in neuroscience. You’ll develop a detailed understanding of modern theory and concepts relating to brain research and neuroscience, and the application of these in the treatment of brain disorders.

Why Roehampton?

The programme is recognised by the Federation of Neuroscience Societies (FENS) and part of the Network of European Neuroscience Schools (NENS), the highest accolade in European neuroscience teaching.

Example modules

- Principles of Clinical Neuroscience
- The Brain from a Clinical Perspective
- Health Research Methods
- Health Psychophysiology
- The Immune Brain
- Communication

Career opportunities

Graduates work as health professionals, researchers or pursue careers in the private sector, including the pharmaceutical industry, or career development within the NHS. Some opt for further academic study at PhD level.

MSc Clinical Nutrition

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-4 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Michael Patterson		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This was the UK’s first MSc in Clinical Nutrition and attracts students from around the world. It teaches the essential nutritionist’s skillsets to help improve people’s health and well-being in the context of malnutrition, obesity and metabolic response to injury and chronic disease. The course is ideal for nutrition support teams or those who want to pursue a career or a doctorate in clinically-based nutrition. It offers an important insight into developments in clinical nutrition for a range of healthcare professionals.

Why Roehampton?

This programme is accredited by the Association for Nutrition. Its broad nature covers nutritional management of a wide range of clinical conditions.

Example modules

- Principals of Nutrition
- Body Composition Practical
- Nutrition Support
- Obesity and Metabolism
- Health Psychophysiology
- Health Research Methods

Career opportunities

Graduates work in commercial and academic research, government (policy / health promotion), the food industry, private health care and the NHS. Many students are already health professionals taking the course as part of their career development.

MbyRes Ecology, Evolution and Behaviour

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Harry Marshall		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Flexible		

Gain a master’s degree by conducting an in depth research project into a topic you are passionate about within ecology, evolution or behaviour, with the support of world-leading researchers.

The ecology, evolution and behaviour of organisms are key elements of the natural world we see around us. Improving our knowledge of these topics is important in mitigating the impacts of environmental change, improving food and water security, increasing animal welfare and explaining the diversity of life we see across the globe.

Why Roehampton?

Your research supervisor will be part of the world-leading Centre for Research in Ecology, Evolution and Behaviour or the Centre for Research in Evolutionary, Social and Interdisciplinary Anthropology.

Example modules

- Research Project
- Research Methods in Biology

Career opportunities

Graduates may pursue careers in further research (e.g. PhD), conservation projects and organisations, animal welfare groups and environmental charities. The research skills acquired are valuable in a range of employment sectors.

MRes Nutrition and Metabolic Disorders

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Michael Patterson		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This specialist research master’s offers up to date practical and theoretical training in the science behind nutrition. You can choose your research from a range of topics including: gut microbiota, polyphenols and cardiovascular disease, the impact of meal times, the importance of breakfast, type 2 diabetes, dietary interventions for obesity, polycystic ovary syndrome and the endocrine regulation of appetite and bodyweight. You will be taught and supervised by academics at the cutting edge of nutritional research and health science.

Why Roehampton?

Students are automatically enrolled into the Health Sciences Research Centre which offers seminars and lab sessions with experts in their field.

Career opportunities

Graduates can go on to further study (e.g. a PhD), conduct research within academia or the food industry, and work in pharmaceuticals, nutrition, and scientific writing.

MRes Primate Biology, Behaviour and Conservation

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Harry Marshall		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Flexible, typically 2 days per week on campus		

This research master’s offers a range of topics within primatology and combines theoretical investigation with fieldwork and laboratory sessions. It also offers intensive training in research methods and statistics. Recent examples of research topics include social behaviour, cognition, endocrinology, ranging and habitat use, social networks, human-wildlife conflict, morphology and brain size evolution. Many of our graduates have had their work published in international journals such as Biology Letters, American Journal of Primatology, Proceedings of the Royal Society B, Animal Behaviour and Biological Conservation.

Why Roehampton?

The University of Roehampton has established networks with relevant leading institutions and field sites around the world. You will be taught by leading primatology experts who carry out their own world-leading research.

Example modules

- Primate Biology, Behaviour and Conservation
- Primatology: Theory & Practice
- Research Methods in Biology
- Dissertation

Career opportunities

Many graduates go on to pursue PhDs and careers as scientific researchers, conservation biologists and ecologists. They may also go on to careers in sectors such as fundraising, communication and outreach.



MSc Psychology of Sport and Exercise

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2 Years	180
Programme Convenor Dr Vaithehy Shanmuganathan-Felton		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This innovative master’s provides you with a thorough theoretical, conceptual and research-informed grounding in the discipline of sport and exercise psychology. You will develop a strong scientific understanding of human behaviour and experience, and of the complex interactions between these. You will also learn about the relationships between the theoretical concepts and current techniques used in sport and exercise psychology assessment and support. You’ll learn how to optimise athlete performance, improve well-being and enhance activity levels.

Why Roehampton?

The programme is accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS). It’s taught by experienced BPS-chartered, HCPC-registered Sport and Exercise Psychologists, and internationally recognised researchers.

Example modules

- Psychology of Sport and Performance
- Psychology of Physical Activity, Health and Wellbeing
- Approaches to Psychological Support
- Application of Psychological Support
- Professional Practice in Sport Psychology
- Research Methods

Career opportunities

Our graduates progress to careers as applied Sport and Exercise Psychology Practitioners, working in elite and professional sport, sports clubs and health domains. Some graduates also progress into further research and academia.

MSc Sport and Exercise Nutrition

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	N/A	180
Programme Convenor Dr Richard Mackenzie		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This master’s teaches the science behind sport, exercise, metabolism and nutrition. There’s a strong emphasis throughout on applying scientific analysis in clinical settings. You’ll critically examine the latest science and discover its practical applications within physiology, metabolism and biochemistry. By the end you’ll be making informed decisions about sport and exercise nutrition based upon scientific rationale, to aid you in pursuing a career in both research and applied sport and exercise nutrition. This MSc is awaiting SENr accreditation by the British Dietetic Association.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton offers a range of sport science degrees. Students become members of the Sports and Exercise Science Research Group, and attend cross-departmental seminars and lectures discussing the latest sports and exercise research.

Example modules

- Psychology of Physical Activity, Health and Wellbeing
- Current Topics in Exercise Physiology
- Sport and Exercise Nutrition
- Advanced Laboratory & Applied Skills – Exercise & Nutritional Sciences

Career opportunities

Our graduates work in elite and professional sport, in sports clubs and gyms, as specialists in public health, or for private nutrition or food companies. Some work as self-employed specialist consultants, as well as undertaking further research.

MSc Sport and Exercise Science (Pathways in Biomechanics or Physiology)

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Chris Tyler		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2-3 days a week on campus		

This exciting master’s will provide you with a critical understanding of the key concepts and theories in core areas of sport and exercise science. You will have the chance to develop your practical and analytical laboratory techniques in our excellent facilities, giving you a range of transferable skills related to the field to help you excel in either further study or employment.

You can choose to undertake all modules in the core disciplines, or specialise in either Physiology or Biomechanics.

Why Roehampton?

Develop theoretical and practical expertise in our state-of-the-art laboratories alongside world-renowned research-active academics

Example modules

- Advanced Laboratory and Applied Skills
- Psychology of Sport and Performance
- Research Methods
- Biomechanics of Human Movement
- Current Topics in Exercise Physiology

Career opportunities

Graduates take up positions such as Exercise Physiologists, Biomechanists, Performance Consultants, PhD students, Researchers, Health Care Professionals, Lecturers and Data Analysts. The transferable skills are also widely applicable in other careers.

MRes Sport and Exercise Science (Pathways in Biomechanics, Physiology or Psychology)

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-6 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Chris Tyler		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2-3 days a week on campus		

This MRes is a tailored programme of study and research enabling you to work closely with supervisors in your area of interest. This programme has been designed to allow you to specialise in either Psychology, Physiology or Biomechanics and to undertake your own independent research.

Why Roehampton?

Work closely with an expert in your chosen field of research to produce high-quality research alongside world-renowned academics.

Example modules

- Advanced Laboratory and Applied Skills
- Psychology of Sport and Performance
- Research Methods
- Biomechanics of Human Movement
- Current Topics in Exercise Physiology

Career opportunities

Career options include: Exercise Physiologist, Biomechanist, Performance Consultant, PhD student, Researcher, Health Care Professional, Lecturer and Data Analyst. The transferable skills are also widely applicable in other careers.



Psychology

Our Department of Psychology is a creative and diverse community of academics, researchers and practitioners dedicated to understanding human behaviour and making a difference to people's lives.

We offer one of the largest therapeutic training departments in the country and are the only institution in Europe to offer training in all five arts and play therapies. Our dynamic and high-quality programmes are delivered by passionate lecturers and experienced practitioners. Many of our programmes are accredited by the leading professional bodies in the UK, ensuring you gain the theoretical knowledge and practical clinical experience to excel in your chosen career path.

Our specialist programmes, hands-on training and established network of placement opportunities allow our students to gain first-hand experience in fields they are passionate about, and network with fellow students and practitioners while exploring different perspectives.

Our academic staff have a passion for research and their real-life experience informs their teaching. We are based at Whitelands College, overlooking the beautiful Richmond Park. As a team, we endeavour to provide you with an excellent educational experience while you are studying with the Department of Psychology by working in partnership with you throughout your educational journey at Roehampton and beyond.



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Research Excellence Framework 2014

Research

Research centres

The department is home to four distinct research clusters:

- The Centre for Research in Social and Psychological Transformation focusing on interventions and methods that support the enhancement of psychological wellbeing.
- The Centre for Applied research and Assessment in Child and Adolescent Wellbeing undertakes projects aimed at improving social and psychological wellbeing in young people with a focus on public health, policy and practice.
- The Centre for Cognition, Neuroscience and Neuroimaging researches brain function in both healthy and clinical populations.
- The Centre for International Research in Arts and Play Therapies has an international profile via Roehampton's status as the only university in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines.

Recent research projects

Professors Gina Di Malta and Mick Cooper have developed a new scale named the 'Relational Depth Frequency Scale' to measure relationship quality in counselling.

Pioneering research into people with schizophrenia has discovered that they can train themselves to control brain regions linked to 'voices', or verbal hallucinations. The project was led by Professor Paul Allen.

MA Art Psychotherapy

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time 3 Years	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Dr Jonathan Isserow		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This course is designed for experienced artists and professionals who have worked within a clinical setting and would like to build a rewarding career as an art psychotherapist. You will be taught by leading experts who will equip you with the skills and confidence to work as an art psychotherapist, and will undertake supervised clinical placements to put those skills into practice. Our graduating students are eligible to apply for registration with the Health and Care Professionals Council (HCPC).

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is the only provider in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines, including dramatherapy, dance movement psychotherapy, music therapy and play therapy.

Example modules

- Human Development and Growth
- Analytical Art Psychotherapy
- Interprofessional Learning and Practice
- Research Methodologies
- Research Project

Career opportunities

Graduates go on to work as art therapists in healthcare, education, mental health and third sector settings. They typically work in collaboration with psychiatrists, psychologists and other mental health professionals.

MSc Attachment Studies

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2-3 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Benedict Grey		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Blocks of 3-5 days four times a term (full time)		

This course provides students with a specific qualification in the assessment of child and adult attachment, parenting and family functioning. Designed for health and social care professionals, our aim is to prepare you to be at the forefront of the next generation of attachment scholars and practitioners.

This course is best suited for psychologists, social workers, therapists, and occupational therapists who are interested in broadening their skills in assessing attachment, improving the outcome of interventions with their clients and conducting research projects.

Why Roehampton?

The course is currently a blended learning programme offering a mixture of face-to-face and online learning, to help students balance their studies with other commitments. We are in the process of developing a fully distance learning option – please enquire.

Example modules

- Attachment Theory and Research
- Application of Assessment to Clinical Practice Settings
- Formulation of Treatment and Intervention Plans
- Infant Mental Health
- Research Methods
- Coding and Forensic Application of Assessment.

Career opportunities

Graduates go on to careers in health and social care, or undertake research. Those from a professional background have started businesses such as residential assessment centres, or work as independent experts for the courts in England and Ireland.

PsychD Counselling Psychology

Full Time 3 Years	Part Time 6 Years	Number of Credits 120 at level 7 plus 420 at Doctoral level
Programme Convenor Dr Mark Donati		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This programme provides professional training that leads to eligibility for registration as a counselling psychologist with the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) and chartered status with the British Psychological Society (BPS). It’s at the leading edge of developments in counselling psychology practice and research and brings together contemporary understandings from person-centred psychodynamic and cognitive-behavioural therapeutic models. Students complete 450 hours of supervised client hours in a range of clinical settings, and produce a doctoral portfolio to showcase their learning.

Why Roehampton?

You will be taught by a team of experienced practitioners including leading international figures in the field. The programme provides high levels of support for trainees’ clinical and research development with an emphasis on employability.

Example modules

- Professional Practice and Development
- Person-centred and Experiential Theory and Practice
- Inclusion Ethics and Social Justice
- Assessment Formulation and Clinical Presentations
- Research in Counselling Psychology

Career opportunities

As an HCPC registered Counselling Psychologist you will be qualified to work in a range of settings, including the NHS, the voluntary sector and private practice.

MA Dance Movement Psychotherapy

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time 3 Years	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenors Yeva Feldman and Geoffery Unkovich		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus (FT)		

This course is designed for people who have prior dance experience and professional or volunteering experience with people in need. The uniquely interdisciplinary course integrates theoretical, experiential and clinical learning, preparing students to practise as dance movement psychotherapists.

Dance movement psychotherapy is a relational process in which a client and therapist engage in an empathetic creative process using body movement and dance, to assist the integration of emotional, cognitive, physical, social and spiritual aspects of self.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is the only provider in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines, including dramatherapy, art psychotherapy, music therapy and play therapy.

Example modules

- Human Development and Growth
- Psychopathology: Alternative World Views
- Theoretical Approaches in DMP
- Research Methods and Methodologies
- Creative Processes: Reflexive Movement Improvisation

Career opportunities

Graduates go on to practise within a variety of organisations including: NHS, the prison service, special needs schools, drug rehabilitation, dementia services and women’s shelters.

MA Dramatherapy

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 220
Programme Convenor Henrietta Seebohm		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 weekdays on campus and some weekends (FT)		

This course is designed for people who bring a repertoire of theatre and drama skills to work with others. It offers a theoretical, experiential and clinical exploration of ritual and drama for working with others to facilitate healing and positive change. The programme includes: therapeutic stories, myth, Growtowski’s paratheatrical explorations, crafting theatres of the psyche, working with our own internal dramas and the use of ‘rites of passage’ within ritual theatre. Placements are validated by the Health Care Professions Council, students are eligible to register with HCPC on graduation.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is the only provider in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines, including art psychotherapy, dance movement psychotherapy, music therapy and play therapy.

Example modules

- Human Development and Growth
- Ritual of Creative Expression
- Ritual of Exploration
- Ritual of Transformation
- Paratheatrical Explorations
- Therapeutic Theatre and Closure
- Interprofessional Learning and Practice

Career opportunities

Dramatherapists work within statutory services, such as the NHS, education, social services, or in prisons and also within charities, private organisations and private practice.

MSc Forensic Psychology

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Ewa Stefanska		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This programme, accredited by The British Psychological Society, offers an exciting opportunity to study forensic psychology within a department with an established expertise in a range of therapies. It is especially designed to provide you with a comprehensive understanding of practical skills and the latest research in preparation for a career in the forensic field. As well as developing clinical skills you’ll study real-life case studies and apply theory to practical work with an emphasis on career preparation.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is a renowned centre of excellence in therapeutic teaching and learning, and students will benefit from our network of connections of organisations within the forensic psychology field.

Example modules

- Understanding Criminal Behaviour
- Forensic Psychological Interventions
- Forensic Mental Health
- Criminal Justice System Framework
- Assessment and Consultancy Provision
- Research Project

Career opportunities

Graduates can go into a range of careers in the criminal justice system, health services, prisons and probation services and the police service.

MA Intergrative Counselling and Psychotherapy

Full Time N/A	Part Time 3 Years	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Rebecca Kirkbride		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 1 day a week on campus		

This master’s course, accredited by the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP), is based on an integrative relational approach to counselling and psychotherapy, developed over many years by our cutting-edge teaching team. Our integrative approach incorporates aspects from three main therapeutic traditions; person-centred, cognitive and psychodynamic. Graduates are eligible to register as BACP approved individual practitioners. Our placements co-ordinator will help you find a suitable psychotherapy placement in which to gain the depth and range of experience necessary to become a competent practitioner.

Why Roehampton?

Train for a recognised counselling qualification at one of the UK’s foremost centres for therapeutic teaching and learning.

Example modules

- Integrative Theory and Skills
- Foundations of Professional Practice
- Introduction to Counselling Practice
- Assessment of Clients for Counselling and Psychotherapy
- The Role of Research in Counselling

Career opportunities

Once qualified some students follow an entrepreneurial route and build up a private practice, but employment opportunities also exist within the health and social services and the education sector.

MA Integrative Counselling and Psychotherapy for Children, Adolescents and Families

Full Time N/A	Part Time 3 Years	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Rebecca Kirkbride		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 1 day a week on campus		

This programme provides clinical training in counselling and psychotherapy for children, adolescents and their families. Graduates will be eligible for individual practitioner registration with the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy. The course is designed to support your development as a therapeutic practitioner able to work one-to-one with child and adolescent clients who present with diverse psychological issues in a variety of settings including mainstream and special education, child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) or youth and community support services.

Why Roehampton?

Train for a recognised counselling qualification at one of the UK’s foremost centres for therapeutic teaching and learning.

Example modules

- Theory and Skills in Child-Centred Therapy
- Observation Studies: Infant Development
- Integrative Approach to Formulation and Practice
- Child-Centred Therapy in Practice

Career opportunities

You who will be able to work with child and adolescent clients one-to-one, in a variety of settings including primary and secondary schools, children’s hospitals and children’s and adolescent’s mental health services (CAMHS).

MA Music Therapy

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time 4 Years	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Tessa Watson		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Max 2.5 days a week on campus		

This master’s programme offers training for competent, practising musicians to become therapists, bringing together their skills, education and other life experiences. Music therapy facilitates positive changes in wellbeing through engagement in musical interaction. On completion of the training, graduates are eligible to apply to the HCPC for registration, with the ability and flexibility to practice within the NHS, Social Services, education or private sector. The course emphasises your emotional development as a practitioner, together with clinical exploration through critical enquiry.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is the only provider in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines, including dramatherapy, dance movement psychotherapy, art psychotherapy and play therapy.

Example modules

- Music Studies: Clinical Improvisation
- Music Studies: Clinical and Musical Resources.
- Human Development and Growth
- Observational Studies
- Interprofessional Learning and Practice

Career opportunities

Music Therapists work within statutory services (such as the NHS, education or social services), within charities and private organisations, and in private practice.

MA Play Therapy

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 240
Programme Convenor Elise Cuschieri		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This two year full-time programme integrates theoretical learning, clinical skills and in-depth personal development to prepare graduates for clinical practice, predominantly with children, as a professional play therapist. Clinical placements are a central component to the training in this programme, during which you will synthesise, integrate and apply all aspects of your learning into practice. This master’s entitles you to registration as a full member of the British Association of Play Therapists (BAPT) whose register is accredited by the Professional Standards Authority.

Why Roehampton?

Roehampton is the only provider in Europe to offer training in all five of the arts and play therapy disciplines, including dramatherapy, dance movement psychotherapy, music therapy and art psychotherapy.

Example modules

- Human Development and Growth
- Infant Observation
- Experiential Process
- Professional Practice: Issues and Considerations.
- Research Methodologies

Career opportunities

Graduates work as a registered play therapist for both the private and public sectors.

MSc Psychology (Conversion)

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-3 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Gina Pauli		Sept 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Blended Learning usually 6 hours of evening classes a week		

Launched in 2020, this new course is awaiting accreditation from the British Psychological Society.

You'll develop a sound understanding of psychological theory and research to convert your existing bachelor's degree into a master's in Psychology, thus taking your first step towards a career as a psychologist. You'll gain a scientific understanding of the mind, brain and human behaviour, and how they interact within complex environments. You'll learn from enthusiastic and dedicated tutors, who are also practitioners and involved in the latest research.

Why Roehampton?

Gain your psychology conversion in a thriving department where 100% of its research was judged to be 'world leading' or 'internationally excellent' for its impact. (Research Excellence Framework 2014).

Example modules

- Historical and Conceptual Issues in Psychology
- Self and Identity
- Understanding Relationships
- Topics in Mental Health
- Making Sense of the World
- Applying Psychology

Career opportunities

Most graduates will continue to a further course of professional study to practice as a psychologist. Others may require psychological knowledge for career advancement in other fields.

MSc Psychology (Conversion) – Distance Learning

Full Time	Part Time	Number of Credits
1 Year	2-3 Years	180
Programme Convenor		Programme Start
Dr Gina Pauli		Jan 2021
Tuition Fees		Entry Requirements
Please see website		Please see website
Teaching Schedule		
Flexible to suit the student		

New for 2020, this psychology conversion programme is the same as the on-campus programme described left, but 100% taught online. Students can be anywhere in the world and organise their study schedule to suit their lifestyles. As distance learners, students will be supported by the university through regular contact with your module tutors, access to specialist services and to a wide range of e-books and research journals in the university library.

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“I am constantly encouraged to look outside and move outside my comfort zone. The support from the lecturers and the placement manager motivates me every single day to strive for improvement. There is a freedom to choose or work amongst various psychological approaches which gives me a sense of agency.”

Sanjini Kedia
MA Dance Movement
Psychotherapy

Social Sciences

If you are passionate about social justice our programmes in human rights, international relations and criminology are for you, while our new master's in international commercial law offers a career boost to legal professionals.

These outstanding postgraduate degrees combine academic excellence with practical engagement to equip you with the expertise, skills and knowledge that will help you in your chosen career and fulfil your work ambitions.

You will be taught by academics whose world-leading research informs their teaching. Our diverse team of active researchers are committed to social justice and undertake theoretically informed, impact-oriented research that has a direct effect on society. Their research has made groundbreaking impact in many areas including human rights and equality, migration and citizenship, international relations, gender based violence, crime, prisons and drugs, and parenting and families.

The internationally recognised Crucible Research Centre for Human Rights Research collaborates with departments across the University on human rights related activities. London's diverse international community is central to our programmes and the Department has an established network with human rights organisations. We are among the highest-rated in the UK for the impact of our social sciences research* so when you leave Roehampton you can be confident you have a qualification that will help you make a difference.

*Roehampton's research in Social Sciences was ranked 6th in the UK for its impact in the last Research Excellence Framework.



Teaching, learning
and research are
underpinned by
a passion for
social justice.

Research

Research centres

The Crucible Centre for Human Rights Research's is an interdisciplinary University Research Centre which is home to international experts conducting research, training and teaching in the field of human rights, social justice and international relations.

Recent research projects

Professor Aisha K. Gill CBE is a high-profile researcher and campaigner focusing on violence against BME women, particularly domestic and honour-based violence, forced marriage and female genital mutilation.

Research challenging standard careers advice about the benefits of unpaid work experience was published in 2020 by Professor Bryony Hopkins. The project found that a young person's social class affected his or her access to those volunteering opportunities most likely to lead to a paid job.

Dr Elisabeth Carter's research into how online crime and how fraudsters use manipulative language and techniques to trick victims into parting with money, was recently published in a guidance document for NHS England.

MA Criminology and Criminal Justice

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Maayan Geva		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically two days a week on campus		

With its strong emphasis on real world practice and employability, this course examines current criminological issues at global, regional and local levels. Drawing on a range of disciplines such as socio-legal studies, psychology and human rights, students develop their critical thinking skills and research techniques to address complex intellectual ideas about crime and justice. The five core modules, including the dissertation, are complemented by a wide range of optional modules on topics as diverse as genocide, the environment and internet crimes.

Why Roehampton?

Driven by a passion for social justice and human rights, Roehampton's criminology academics are highly respected within their fields, and the department's research is ranked 6th in the UK for its impact.

Example modules

Harms, Crime and Power

Crime Control and Justice

Migration, Criminal Justice and Citizenship

Breaking the Internet: crimes, harms and injustice

Criminology in Practice

Career opportunities

You will gain the knowledge and skills required for careers in the criminal justice system, local government and the Civil Service, charities working in the field or for further study at PhD level.

Erasmus Mundus Human Rights Policy and Practice

Full Time 2 Years	Part Time N/A	Number of Credits 120 credits at level M
Programme Convenor Dr Jennifer Melvin		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically 2 days a week on campus		

This two-year, full-time programme is taught in the UK, Sweden and Spain with the opportunity to complete the dissertation in Norway. It has a strong emphasis on professional development and is designed for postgraduates who want to make a significant contribution to the human rights agenda internationally within civil society organisations, governments, and the public and private sectors. You will adopt a legal, political, sociological and anthropological approach to the protection and promotion of human rights in a globalised world.

Why Roehampton?

This course offers a unique perspective on human rights through studying in three different nations. Roehampton's social science academics are highly respected within their fields, and the department's research is ranked 6th in the UK for its impact.

Example modules

Human Rights as an Interdisciplinary Field

State, Market and Human Rights

Researching Human Rights

Human Rights Defenders: Contexts, Policies and Practice

Theorising Human Rights

Social Movements and NGOs:
Understanding Social Change

Career opportunities

Students typically go on to work in national and international government and non-governmental agencies, think tanks and the media.

MA Human Rights and International Relations

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Francesca Ammaturo		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically two days a week on campus		

This is the UK’s only master’s in Human Rights and International Relations, producing skilled professionals in the field of promoting and protecting human rights. Students gain a solid understanding of the role human rights play in current international debates while the course’s holistic approach allows students to specialise and tailor their research project according to individual interests.

Why Roehampton?

Unique in the UK, this course is taught by academics of international repute within the field of human rights, while the department’s research is ranked 6th in the UK for its impact.

Example modules

Foundations of Human Rights
Human Rights Campaigning and Advocacy
The Ideological Battleground of Human Rights
International Development and Economic Justice
Genocide, Atrocities and International Justice
Foundations of International Relations

Career opportunities

Graduates typically work for human rights campaigning, advocacy and defending within government and non-governmental agencies, charities, think tanks, or in journalism and the media.

LLM Human Rights and Legal Practice

Full Time 1 year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Daniel Aguirre		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Typically two days a week on campus		

This course will provide you with a strong grounding in the practical and vocational legal skills required for legal practice in the human rights field. You will gain a thorough understanding of the theories and concepts underpinning human rights and how they are put into practice. This LLM examines the rhetoric and reality of human rights using an issues-based approach. Students are also offered the opportunity of a work placement.

Why Roehampton?

This course is the only one of its kind in London. Students can take advantage of London’s status as a world centre for human rights with most international NGOs having headquarters here.

Example modules

Human Rights, Litigation and Social Change
Human Rights Campaigning and Advocacy
Human Rights in Practice
The Ideological Battleground of Human Rights
Identity, Diversity and Human Rights
Genocide, Atrocities and International Justice

Career opportunities

Graduates may pursue careers in government, NGOs, diplomatic institutions, think tanks, development charities or continue with an academic career.

LLM International Commercial Law and Legal Practice

Full Time 1 Year	Part Time 2 Years	Number of Credits 180
Programme Convenor Dr Constantina Sampani		Programme Start Sept 2021
Tuition Fees Please see website		Entry Requirements Please see website
Teaching Schedule Please see website		

New for 2021, this Master of Laws degree will give you the knowledge and understanding of the regulatory framework and key legal issues that govern international commercial law and dispute resolution. You will learn how to apply this knowledge to a range of different cases and develop the essential skills for a career as a practising commercial lawyer or as a legal professional within governments or international organisations.

Why Roehampton?

Academic staff on this programme are experts with extensive practical experience at the leading edge of international commercial law.

Example modules

International Commercial Law in Practice
International Commercial Litigation
International Tax Law
International Competition Law
E-commerce
Corporate Governance and Corporate Social Responsibility

Career opportunities

In today’s political landscape, international commercial lawyers are in high demand. This specialised course will prepare you for a career within and beyond commercial law.

Further information

Funding and Fees

Funding for postgraduate study should form part of your research into the programmes you are considering. Take a look at the avenues below and keep an eye on application deadlines.

Postgraduate loans for master’s students (England)

The government offers a loans scheme for postgraduate students of up to £11,222. The loans are available for taught master’s programmes (and MRes) in all disciplines and subject areas. Students who normally live in England and are under 60 years old will be eligible, provided they have not already taken a master’s course. For full eligibility criteria and application forms visit:

gov.uk/funding-for-postgraduate-study

University scholarships

All Roehampton alumni, no matter when they graduated, are eligible for a 20% discount on their postgraduate tuition fees under the Alumni Scholarship scheme, including PGCE.

Thanks to the support of partners such as the Society of the Sacred Heart and Santander, the University of Roehampton has a number of scholarships, ranging from tuition fee discounts and accommodation subsidies to awards for overseas research, music, esports and sporting excellence.

roehampton.ac.uk/postgraduate-courses/funding-and-scholarships

Research degree funding opportunities

Research councils provide major sources of funding to institutions who then distribute the funds. Funding is available for doctoral training through the TECHNE partnership.

roehampton.ac.uk/graduate-school/funding

There are also charitable trusts that focus on research funding.

ukri.org/funding

leverhulme.ac.uk/funding

Alternative funding sources

Websites including Prospects, FindAMasters, FindaPhD and Postgrad.com have sections offering advice and leads on finding scholarships and bursaries for postgraduate study. It is also worth checking educational grants, charity databases and charities local to the University and your hometown.

Tuition Fees

Please always check our website for the latest fee information. Our postgraduate tuition fees are set annually, and usually posted on the website the autumn before the start of each academic year.

Roehampton’s postgraduate 180-credit courses sit across a number of fee bands. Full-time is charged as a flat rate, and part-time is charged at a rate per 10 credits.

For 240-credit courses the total tuition fee costs for each academic year are dependent on which 240-credit course you are taking.

For more information, please visit:

roehampton.ac.uk/postgraduate-courses/tuition-fees

Important note

Please note that if you are studying for a postgraduate programme that is longer than one year, the fees will rise each year to allow for a combination of factors, including inflation. The percentage rise will not necessarily match the rate of inflation in any one year, because inflation is just one factor of many which are considered when setting the University’s fees. Any changes for the following academic year will normally be confirmed in the preceding autumn, giving students almost one year’s notice of their fee liability for the following year, and at enrolment. Students should budget for a likely increment of between 2% and 5% for each further year of study.

Support with living costs

Home students are also eligible for a maintenance loan from the government to help with living costs. Part of the loan is income assessed and the amount you receive will depend on factors such as if you choose to live away from home or not.

If you apply to Roehampton, you will be eligible for a larger loan because the University is based in London. The maximum maintenance loan for 2019 entry was £11,672. For the most up-to-date information, please see:

gov.uk/student-finance

Payment Schedules

To help postgraduate students manage their budgets we offer a choice of four payment schedules for tuition fees.

Option 1

Full payment at time of enrolment, attracting a 2% fee discount when paid.

Option 2

50% paid upon enrolment and 50% at the end of January

Option 3

Three instalments – October, February and May – in line with the Student Loans Company (SLC) PG loan payment dates. Most students in receipt of the SLC loan adopt this schedule.

Option 4

Seven monthly instalments with a payment break in December. September to November is three payments, then January to April is the final four payments.

Students can decide which schedule suits them best when they enrol, and all payments can be made on credit or debit cards.

How to apply

We have a variety of different routes for postgraduate study. Whichever one you pick, we will provide you with support and advice throughout your application process.

Master’s, MBA and PsychD Counselling Psychology courses

To apply for one of our taught postgraduate courses, you will need to complete the online application form on the University website. Go to your chosen programme’s course page and simply click on Apply Now.

For advice about your application, please email either the name given under the ‘Further Information’ tab on the right of the course page, who is the academic responsible for the course, or:

postgradadmissions@roehampton.ac.uk

Our team is happy to guide you through your application. We would advise that you apply early to ensure the best possible chance of securing a place, particularly for some of our oversubscribed courses such as our therapy programmes in the Department of Psychology.

PGCE and School Direct (Teacher Training)

For all routes, you need to apply through the UCAS Teacher Training website, which includes a search for all postgraduate training programmes. Make sure you register early as places on some courses fill quickly, and applications open in October.

Applying for research courses

As the first step in the process, you are advised to contact the relevant member of academic staff for an informal discussion about your proposed research. Once you have had this initial conversation you can complete the application form. Please download the relevant guidance notes for applicants before completing an application form:

roehampton.ac.uk/globalassets/documents/graduate-school/applying/application-guidance.pdf

If you wish to apply for a place on one of our postgraduate research degree courses, MPhil, PhD or PsychD you will need to apply online:

uniofroehampton.force.com/onlineapp/

PhD candidates usually apply for the degree of MPhil (Master of Philosophy) in the first instance and have the opportunity to apply to transfer to the PhD (Doctor of Philosophy) after passing their upgrade.

Getting here

The University of Roehampton is in Zone 3 of the London transport system, and it can take as little as 30 minutes to get from main campus into central London.

Most of our postgraduate students commute to campus so to make life easier and help them save money, each of our four colleges now has a kitchen area where snacks and lunches can be prepared, heated and eaten in the company of other students. Commuting students may also stay overnight in a hall of residence room for as little as £30 per night, a service which is particularly useful during exam times when the library is open 24 hours a day. Please note that at certain times of year quarantine restrictions may require us to reserve these rooms for international student arrivals.

National Rail

The nearest station is Barnes, which is a 15-minute walk from the main campus or 25-minute walk from Whitelands Campus. The 265 bus stops outside the station and at both campuses. Trains from Barnes going into London stop at Putney, Wandsworth Town, Clapham Junction, Queenstown Road, Vauxhall and London Waterloo. Trains going out of London go to Kew, Hounslow, Weybridge and Staines.

Underground

Take the District Line to Putney Bridge. From outside the tube station, take bus 265 to both campuses.

Bus

The University is well served by buses that link Roehampton to South Kensington, Richmond, Kingston, Putney, Clapham Junction, Tooting, Wimbledon and New Malden.

Travelling to main campus

Buses that stop directly outside: 265, 493. Buses that stop at either Roehampton Village or Upper Richmond Road (Rosslyn Park RFC), each a short walk from the main campus on Roehampton Lane: 85, 170, 430, 419, 337.

Travelling to Whitelands Campus

Buses that stop nearby: 265, 493, 170, 430, 419, 85. Travelling from Barnes station along Roehampton Lane, alight at the Danebury Avenue stop (which is just after the junction with Danebury Avenue). Walk back to Danebury Avenue and then take the immediate left onto Holybourne Avenue. Whitelands is a minute’s walk on the right-hand side.

If you are approaching by bus from the direction of the A3, alight at the stop just after the junction with Danebury Avenue.

Car

Please note, student parking on campus is only for blue badge holders but there is a pay and display car park, charging £8* per day, in Queen Mary Hospital opposite main campus.

Postcodes for satnav systems are as follows:

Digby Stuart and Southlands College — SW15 5PU

Froebel College — SW15 5PJ

Whitelands College — SW15 4JD

*correct June 2020

Bike

The University can be easily reached by bike, and there are cycle stands throughout the campus. The Transport for London online journey planner provides route maps to the University.

To hire a Santander bike take the 265 bus to Putney where there are a number of racks. Check availability on the Santander Cycle Hire app.

To plan any journey around the London area visit:

tfl.gov.uk/Widgets/JourneyPlanner



Contact us




General enquiries about postgraduate study
pg.information@roehampton.ac.uk

Course specific enquiries, especially queries relating to the academic content of your course of interest:

Send an email to the person listed under 'Further Information' on the right hand panel of every course page. Usually this is the Programme Convenor, the academic staff member in charge of the course. Please allow up to five working days for a reply, and up to seven working days during exam periods.

International student enquiries
international@roehampton.ac.uk

Contact us via our social platforms

-  twitter.com/roehamptonuni
-  facebook.com/roehampton.uni
-  instagram.com/uni_roehampton

Important Notice

This prospectus was accurate when produced in August 2020 but some information is subject to change so please check the Roehampton website, roehampton.ac.uk, for updates.

The University will endeavour to deliver the course in accordance with the description applied to it in the University's prospectus and on the website for the academic year in which you begin the course. However, the University will be entitled to make reasonable changes to the course, including to content or syllabus of the course where developments in the subject area make that necessary, or to the location, method of delivery or methods of assessment on the course. In making any such changes, the University will aim to make the minimum changes necessary and will notify and consult with affected students in advance about any changes that are required. If the University changes your course and you are not satisfied with the changes, you will be offered the opportunity to withdraw from the programme and, if required, reasonable support to transfer to another provider. Further, circumstances beyond the University's reasonable control may prevent it from delivering the courses as described. Examples of such circumstances could include unanticipated departure of key members of University staff or where numbers recruited to the course are such that it is not possible to deliver an appropriate quality of education for students. In these circumstances, the University will take all reasonable steps to minimise any resultant disruption, by, for example, offering those students the chance to move to another course or institution or by delivering a modified version of the same course, but to the full extent that is possible under the general law, the University excludes liability for any loss and/or damage suffered by any applicant or student as a result of those circumstances.



Open evenings

Please see below the proposed schedule of postgraduate open events for the academic year 2020 – 2021.

For the most up to date information please visit the homepage of the Roehampton website where upcoming events are listed, and from where you can book a place at your chosen event.

Possible coronavirus restrictions

Most open events in the previous year had to be replaced by online versions due to the coronavirus restrictions, but we are keen to return to on-campus events as soon as it's safe to do so for our visitors and staff. Please keep an eye on the events section on the Roehampton homepage for the status of upcoming events.

PGCE Open Evening
Wednesday 22 September 2020
Wednesday 21 April 2021

Postgraduate Open Evening
Wednesday 3 November 2020
Wednesday 3 February 2021

Postgraduate Open Afternoon
Saturday 15 May 2021

**Arts and Play Therapies*
Open afternoon**
Wednesday 9 June 2021

PGCE Primary Pre-enrolment Taster Morning
Friday 11 June 2021


* Art Psychotherapy, Dance Movement Psychotherapy, Dramatherapy, Music Therapy, Play Therapy.


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for updates as some information is subject to change.