



The
University
Of
Sheffield.

International
College.

What are you going to be?



sheffield.ac.uk/international-college

**Ambitious
students are
made in
Sheffield.**



Welcome! When you join the University of Sheffield International College, you will become a part of the University of Sheffield and our vibrant international community.

We've found that our ambitious students thrive in our unique College environment, which is based on the University's own academic structure and study cycle. Our experienced team of more than 200 academic and professional staff, alongside our excellent teaching facilities, ensure that you are fully prepared for University life.

Our staff are dedicated to supporting you, providing the best possible introduction to studying in Sheffield. Whatever your ambition, we look forward to welcoming you and helping you on your journey to become who you are going to be.

Kayleigh Thomas
Deputy College Director

A Big Sheffield Welcome



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“I’m going to be...”

in an amazing place to study

The University of Sheffield has a global reputation for its exceptional teaching, impactful research, international outlook and outstanding student experience.



A world **top 100** university

(QS World University Rankings 2022)



99% of research is internationally recognised, excellent or world-leading

(Research Excellence Framework 2014)



Ranked **13th** in the UK

(Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2022)



No.1 Students’ Union in the UK for the fourth year in a row

(Whatuni Student Choice Awards 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017)



A member of the UK’s prestigious **Russell Group**: one of the 24 leading UK universities for research and teaching



13 subjects ranked in the world top 100

(QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021)

No.1 in the north of England for graduate employment

(The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2020)



Six Nobel Prize winners in the fields of Chemistry and Medicine/Physiology

More than **29,000** students from over **150** countries come to Sheffield every year



Over 60,000 students are proud to say, “I study in Sheffield.”





“I’m going to be...”

living in Sheffield

A community-focused and friendly cultural hub in the north of England, with the Peak District on your doorstep, Sheffield has plenty to experience.

A student city

Sheffield is England’s fifth largest city (World Population Review 2021) and is made up of 564,000 people – nearly 60,000 of which are students. The vibrant student community plays an active role in the life and feel of the city.

The cost of living here is the lowest compared to other student cities in the UK*. The range of available student discounts, as well as low accommodation and leisure costs make Sheffield a very affordable place to live.

A welcoming University

When you enrol at the University of Sheffield International College, you are welcomed into student life. From day one, you can join the University’s societies, start your own club or get involved with the award-winning Students’ Union.

A city to discover

When you want to explore, the city welcomes you too – Sheffield doesn’t hold back on things to do. Famous for its creativity, the city’s music, art and film communities are bustling with activity.

Sheffield is large enough to offer a great range of activities; yet small enough to find your way around quickly and feel part of the community.

The UK’s greenest city

If you enjoy the great outdoors, exploring Sheffield’s natural scenery is a must. With 60% of Sheffield a green space, and the Peak District a short bus or train ride away, there are lots of places to hike, climb or have a picnic.



England’s 5th largest city



Population of 564,000 people, 60,000 of which are students



60% of the city is green space



Cost of living among the lowest in the UK

Famous for its music, art and digital communities



*The Royal Bank of Scotland’s Student Living Index 2021

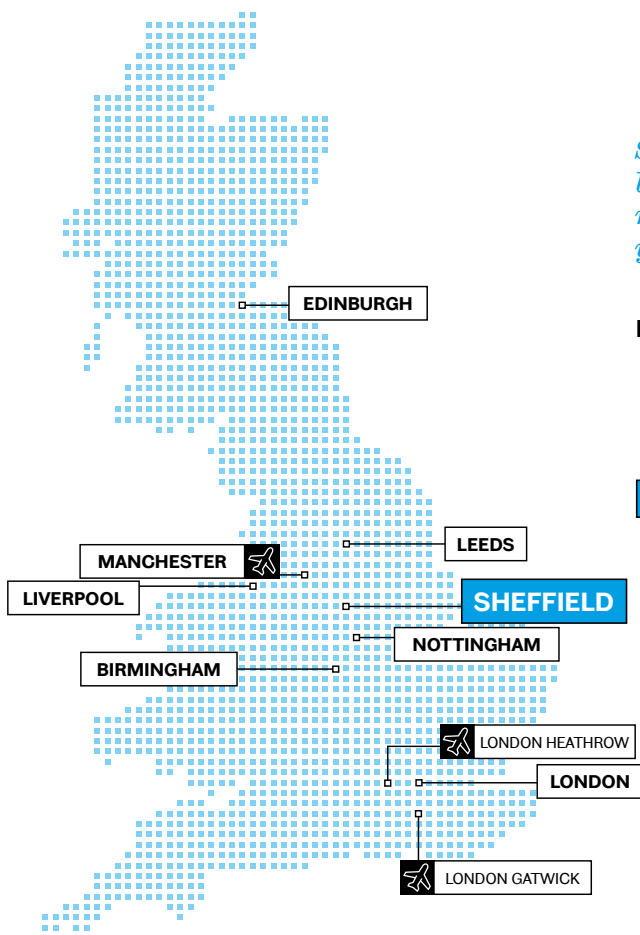


“Sheffield is a friendly city that allows you space and time for yourself. I think that’s quite important for me. It’s not big, but it has room for exploration and it’s not slow because it’s still a city. You still get the right amount of pace, the right amount of space, and that’s quite important to me.”

Rubin
Studied International Foundation Year. Progressed to BSc (Hons) International Relations and Politics.

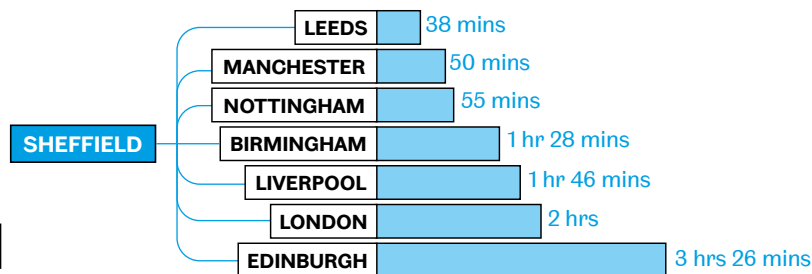


born in
Taiwan.
made in
Sheffield.



Sheffield is a friendly multicultural city in South Yorkshire, located in the heart of the UK. Whether you’re travelling by road, rail or air, Sheffield’s excellent transport links allow you to experience UK life to the full.

Explore the UK by train:



“I’m going to be...”

studying at the International College

The University of Sheffield International College is a dedicated facility where international students come to prepare for the challenges of academic life.



An extraordinary learning environment

At the University of Sheffield International College, we provide tailored pathway programmes for international students. During your time with us, we'll help you to:

- **Reach the academic level you need** in your chosen subject
- **Gain the study skills and independent learning techniques** that will be vital to your successful progression
- **Develop your English language ability** so you can express yourself clearly, take part in lessons, and get the most out of your studies
- **Adapt to the UK education model** by studying in a semester-based system, aligned closely to the University's own teaching style.

Our programmes have been designed in collaboration with the University, and are taught by Study Group, who are experts in international education. Your modules include specialist subject preparation, English language tuition and the study skills that you will need to thrive.

A transformative learning space

Our College is in the city centre, within walking distance of other University buildings and accommodation. You will be able to travel to and from the College easily and quickly. You will also be able to enjoy stunning views across the city from many classrooms. College facilities include:

- **Over 40 classrooms** of varying size and layout to provide suitable settings for different classroom activities
- **Social study zones** for collaborative group work
- **Meeting rooms** which are available for students to speak with teachers and support staff
- **The latest technology** including lecture capture facilities so classes with our expert academics can be easily recorded and reviewed
- **A laboratory** where future scientists and engineers can apply theory to experiments.

Small class sizes with experienced tutors

You will study in small classes with teachers experienced in helping students learn in a second language. With a combination of lectures, tutorials, workshops, seminars, interactive learning and independent study, you will experience a wide range of learning methods similar to those at the University.

Teachers will monitor your progress and support you to develop an appropriate pace of study and apply your skills. We will encourage you to build your competence in using academic English on a daily basis and work collaboratively with staff and your fellow students.

The perfect introduction to studying abroad

You may find that there is a difference between what you have learned at home and what students have learned in the UK. You'll also need to be able to study your chosen subject in English. You may need time to get used to new ways of teaching and more styles of independent learning. And, you'll have to do all of this while getting used to how things work in a different country. This is why we are here to help you get used to your new surroundings.

From the moment you confirm your place, you will be part of the Big Sheffield Welcome.

Arrival events, tours and activities will be available to help you get settled in, as well as orientation to make sure you complete all the steps of enrolment. This support will continue throughout your time at the International College, as you work towards progressing to the University.



Dedicated student support

We have over 200 members of staff dedicated to supporting your success while you're studying here at the College.

Our highly qualified academic staff are experts in teaching students from across the world. You will have an academic tutor who will advise you on your strengths and areas for development throughout your programme.

Our Student Support team can also help you from the moment you arrive. They can arrange transport from the airport, organise induction activities and trips throughout the semester – and are also available to talk if you have any problems.

The Progression Support Team can also help if you do not achieve the required progression level for the University of Sheffield at the end of your programme. This team works to ensure that all students who pass our programmes have an alternative choice either at the University of Sheffield, or in another UK university.

89% of students who completed their preparation programme at the International College were offered a place to study at the University of Sheffield in 2021.

Take a virtual tour of the International College, the University and Sheffield:
360imagery.co.uk/host/USIC

Outside the Diamond Building



The Information Commons



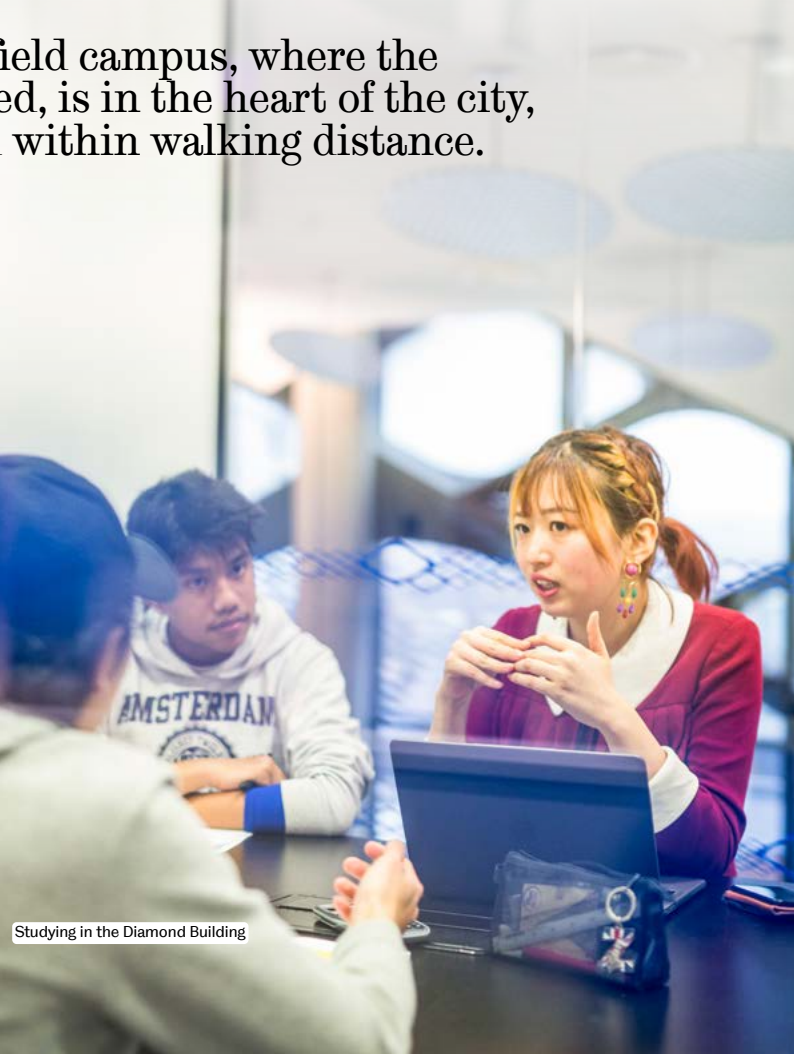
"I'm going to be..."

in the city centre of Sheffield

Students' Union



The University of Sheffield campus, where the International College is based, is in the heart of the city, with everything you need within walking distance.



Studying in the Diamond Building

Your campus

As an International College student, you'll have access to the University of Sheffield's world class facilities, including the best Students' Union in the UK*.

The University campus has everything you need to study, relax, and socialise:

Western Bank Library – check out new media, digital works, texts, research materials and more.

The Information Commons – an innovative, multi-purpose learning environment, open 24 hours a day.

The Diamond Building – home to exceptional engineering facilities, and study areas for all students.

The Arts Tower – the tallest academic building in the UK, and the city's second tallest building makes for an exciting place to learn.

What else is on campus?

Alongside the Students' Union own student-run bar, café and restaurant, there's plenty to see and do:

- 350 clubs and societies
- Box office for tickets to concerts and performances
- Student council
- Musical and theatrical events
- A bookshop
- Support services
- State-of-the-art fitness centre, with a gym, fitness classes, and a heated indoor pool.

**Whatuni Student Choice Awards 2017-2020*



“The Diamond is a pretty exciting place because it has pretty much all you'd need for studying. It's a quiet place if you want it to be and if you want to direct yourself, dedicate yourself to studying, you can do just that. You can book a group room in advance and use it to study with your peers. It actually helps you to concentrate more.”

Artem

Studied International Foundation Year.
Progressed to MEng Bioengineering.

born in
Russia.
made in
Sheffield.



“I’m going to be...”

at home in Sheffield

When you’re not busy studying or socialising, you’ll need somewhere to call home.

Living in student accommodation is a great way to make lifelong friends. It’s a key part of the student experience, and a big step in finding your independence. You can choose from University-managed accommodation, close to the International College, or arrange your own private accommodation.

St Vincent’s Place

Located near the University’s main campus, and next to the International College, St Vincent’s Place is our University-managed accommodation, incorporating a beautifully renovated church. With plenty of space to socialise and relax, as well as a Residence Life Mentor to help you settle into life in the UK, St Vincent’s Place is the ideal spot to call home.

Facilities at St Vincent’s Place

Your room at St Vincent’s Place will be a part of a shared flat, and includes the following benefits:

- Fully furnished
- Private en-suite bathroom
- Desk and study space
- Welcome pack, including bedding
- Bills included.

St Vincent’s Place also has a number of shared facilities and services, all designed for your comfort and safety:

- Shared kitchen
- Study areas
- 24/7 on-site security
- Social spaces, including a games room and cinema room
- Bike storage
- High speed Wi-Fi throughout
- Laundry facilities
- Music room.

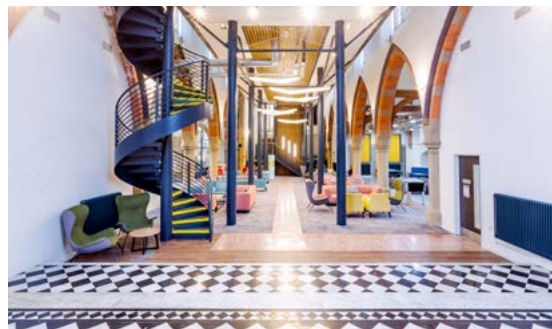
Alternative accommodation

If you are over 18 years old, there is also the option to arrange your own private accommodation. If you choose to do this, we advise that you arrange your accommodation as soon as you confirm your place. We can assist you during this process, just ask your agent or Student Enrolment Advisor.


Information for under 18s

We recommend that all under 18s live in University-managed accommodation. If you are younger than 18 years old when you start your programme, you are guaranteed a room in University-managed accommodation.

Note: Accommodation options vary depending on the time of year you start your course. For the latest information, please visit our website.



See our accommodation facilities at St Vincent’s through a 360° virtual tour: usic.sheffield.ac.uk/about/accommodation



“I’m passionate about aerospace. I want to be a pilot.”

I chose the University of Sheffield because the aerospace programme is also integrated with private pilot training.”

WeiYuan
Studied International Foundation Year.
Now graduated with BEng (Hons) Aerospace Engineering.

This is WeiYuan when he started his studies at the International College in 2015.



born in
Taiwan.
made in
Sheffield.

Undergraduate pathway

The International Foundation Year is an intensive programme, designed specifically to provide you with a route to undergraduate degree study at the University of Sheffield.

This course includes academic subjects, study skills and English language preparation. It has been developed for international students and will provide you with the skills and knowledge to succeed in your undergraduate degree.

Once you successfully complete your International Foundation Year and achieve the required progression grades, you can enter the first year of your chosen undergraduate degree at the University.

Study structure

You can choose one of three routes.

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

This will prepare you for an undergraduate degree in business, arts, humanities or social sciences, including those taught at the Management School and the School of Law, and many degrees in other departments.

Dentistry

We work with the University's prestigious School of Clinical Dentistry to deliver a unique, purpose-built dentistry foundation programme. This route offers ambitious students a route to a five-year Bachelor's degree in Dental Surgery at the University of Sheffield.

Science and Engineering

This will prepare you for an undergraduate degree in the Faculty of Engineering or the Faculty of Science and a small number of degrees in other faculties.

For each of our programmes, there are subject-specific pathways based on your progression degree.

Progression degrees

The International Foundation Year leads to a wide range of undergraduate degrees, subject to meeting progression requirements. These are subject to availability and may change at the University's discretion.

Please refer to the progression degrees listed on page 14 and 15 (note that some progression degrees are not available from the 1.5 semester programme).

For the latest list and up-to-date entry requirements, please visit our website.

English Language Preparation

If you need further language training before you start the International Foundation Year, you can join our intensive English Language Preparation programme. This course is taught in partnership with the University's English Language Teaching Centre and is designed to improve your English language skills to the necessary level. At the end of your English language preparation programme, you will start the International Foundation Year, providing you have achieved the required language level.

International Foundation Year: Key facts

Course length

1.5 or 2 semesters

Entry dates[^]

1.5 semesters: March

2 semesters: September or January

Age

Students should be at least 17 years of age on entry to the International College. Please note that students must be aged 18 or over upon progression to the University.

Entry requirements

Academic: Good high school graduation grades or equivalent

English language: See study plan below

[^]Dentistry is only available in September.

For more information:

usic.sheffield.ac.uk/programmes/international-foundation-year

Study plan options

International Foundation Year – Business, Social Sciences and Humanities (B,SS&H); Dentistry (D); Science and Engineering (S&E)									
Academic IELTS for UKVI	Semesters	Start	March-June	June-August	September-December	January-March	March-June	July-August	September
4.0 (4.0 in all skills)	2 terms ELP + 2 semesters	March or June	ELP		IFY			Holiday/re-sits*	Start your undergraduate degree programme at the University of Sheffield
4.5 (4.5 in all skills)	1 term ELP + 2 semesters	June or September		ELP	IFY	IFY		Holiday/re-sits*	
5.0 (5.0 in writing, 4.0 all other skills)	2 (B,SS&H) (S&E)	September or January			IFY			Holiday/re-sits*	
6.5 (6.0 in all skills)	2 (D)	September			IFY	IFY			
6.0 (5.0 in all skills)	1.5 (B,SS&H) (S&E)	March					IFY		

ELP English Language Preparation IFY International Foundation Year

*Re-sits for the June cohort take place in early July. Re-sits for the August finishers take place in early September.

Note: Students wishing to progress to some degree programmes at the University will require an English level of IELTS 0.5 or equivalent higher than the standard level of entry to their International Foundation Year. Please see page 14 and 15 for more information.

International Foundation Year

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

This programme provides a route to a number of degrees in business, the humanities, and social sciences, which include degrees taught at the Management School, the School of Law and School of Architecture.

Your International Foundation Year will include a combination of academic subjects, study skills and English language preparation.

The programme will be tailored to allow you to prepare for your chosen degree, studying the most relevant modules for your subject area.

Core modules

- Academic English Skills
- Project Skills

Pathway modules (related to your degree choice)

There is a choice of five pathways, each with modules specific to that pathway.

Architecture, Landscape and the Urban Environment (A)

- Social Science
- The Built Environment

Business, Management and Finance (BM&F)

- Accounting and Financial Management
- Management

Economics (E)

- Mathematics
- Principles of Economics

Law and Criminology (L&C)

- Principles of Law
- Social Science

Social Science and Humanities (SS&H)

- Humanities
- Social Science

University-style teaching

The University of Sheffield International College introduces you to the style of teaching that you will experience on your degree. Taking part in tutorials, seminar-style classes and larger group lectures means that you will be well prepared for an undergraduate degree at the University.

Assessment

You will be assessed regularly throughout the course. Your development is monitored through coursework during the semesters and assessments at the end of each semester. Some of these assessments might take the form of examinations. You may also need to complete a series of presentations and extended essays as part of your overall assessment.

Progress to the
Triple Crown accredited
Sheffield University Management School

International Foundation Year

Dentistry

This course provides route on to the University of Sheffield's prestigious five-year Dental Surgery Bachelor's degree.

We work with the University's prestigious School of Clinical Dentistry to deliver a unique, purpose-built dentistry foundation programme. Each year up to 10 ambitious students complete this programme and progress on to a five-year Bachelor's degree in Dental Surgery (BDS) at the University of Sheffield.

Your programme will be tailored to prepare you for the BDS Dental Surgery degree, studying the most relevant modules to your subject area.

Core modules

- Academic English Skills
- Project Skills

Pathway modules

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Dentistry (Delivered at the School of Clinical Dentistry)

University-style teaching

The University of Sheffield International College follows a semester format, introducing you to the academic schedule used at the University. To create a University-style teaching experience, you will take part in tutorials, seminars, lectures and laboratory work. Additionally, some components of this route are delivered within the School of Clinical Dentistry. This means that you will have a unique insight into the facilities and teaching style at the University of Sheffield.

Assessment

You will be assessed regularly throughout the course. Your development is monitored through coursework during the semesters and assessments at the end of each semester. Some of these assessments might take the form of examinations. You may also need to complete a series of presentations and extended essays as part of your overall assessment. In addition, you will be expected to meet the following progression requirements:

- Completion of the Discover Dentistry MOOC
- Minimum 50% in School of Clinical Dentistry Enhancement Elements Assessment
- No 'red flag' outcomes in Situational Judgement Test (SJT)
- UCAT score above annual threshold set by the School of Clinical Dentistry.

Other criteria for entry on to a clinical programme

To progress on to the BDS degree, you will need to meet health requirements in place at that time. This might include checking that you're not an infectious carrier of Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C or HIV and that you do not have tuberculosis. In order to complete your dental training in Sheffield, you also need to demonstrate immunity to Hepatitis B.

You will be required to undergo a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Enhanced Disclosure check. If you have lived outside the UK in the last 5 years, you will also need to provide a certificate of good conduct from your home country which confirms you do not have a criminal record. This must be dated within three months of the start of the BDS programme.

When you undertake clinical training in NHS hospitals and dental practices, you must adhere to local NHS policies including guidelines on behaviour and dress and the need to be "bare below the elbow".

Important information

Students who progress to study the BDS Dental Surgery course from the International College route are required to pay a clinical placement fee in each clinical year of study (Year 2 to 5) in addition to the University tuition fee.

For more information, please visit sheffield.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/2022/dental-surgery-bds#fees

Sheffield is ranked
9th in the UK
for Dentistry

(The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022)

International Foundation Year Science and Engineering

A pathway to an exciting scientific degree in the Faculty of Engineering or Faculty of Science, as well as a small number of degrees in other faculties.

Your programme will be tailored to prepare you for your chosen degree, studying the most relevant modules to your subject area. Some of the modules listed will be compulsory for progression on to specific degree programmes at the University.

Core modules

- Academic English Skills
- Project Skills

Pathway modules (related to your degree choice)

There is a choice of three pathways, with modules tailored to your aims:

Biological, Medical and Life Sciences (B&LS)

- Biology
- Chemistry

Chemistry and Engineering (C&E)

- Chemistry
- Mathematics

Physics and Engineering (P&E)

- Mathematics
- Physics

University-style teaching

The University of Sheffield International College introduces you to the style of teaching that you will experience on your degree. Taking part in tutorials, seminars, lectures and laboratory work means that you'll be well prepared for an undergraduate degree at the University. Occasionally, our teaching takes place in the University's Diamond Building, so you might get the chance to use the specialist laboratories and facilities.

Assessment

You will be assessed regularly throughout the course. Your development is monitored through coursework during the semesters and assessments at the end of each semester. Some of these assessments might take the form of examinations. You may also need to complete a series of presentations and extended essays as part of your overall assessment.

Sheffield is ranked
4th in the UK
for General Engineering

(The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022)



See the University's engineering facility, the Diamond, through a 360° virtual tour:
usic.sheffield.ac.uk/diamond-VR

Undergraduate progression degrees

Choose from over 160 undergraduate degrees available from the International Foundation Year, subject to meeting progression requirements. Please note some progression degrees are not available from the 1.5 semester programme. Places are limited on some courses, so you are advised to apply and confirm your place as soon as possible.

These degrees are subject to availability and may change at the University's discretion. Please refer to the website for full and up-to-date details.

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Accounting and Financial Management BA (Hons)	BM&F
Accounting and Financial Management and Economics BA (Hons)	BM&F
Applied Social Sciences BA (Hons)	SS&H
Architecture BA (Hons) *†^	A
Architecture and Landscape BA (Hons) *†^	A
Business Management BA (Hons)	BM&F
Business Management and Economics BA (Hons)	BM&F
Business Management and Japanese Studies BA (Hons)	BM&F
Chinese Studies BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Chinese Studies and Business Management BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Chinese Studies and History BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Chinese Studies with Japanese BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Criminology BA (Hons)	L&C
Digital Media and Society BA (Hons)	SS&H
East Asian Studies BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Economics BA (Hons)	E
Economics BSc (Hons)	E
Economics and Mathematics BSc (Hons)	E
Economics and Politics BA (Hons)	E
Economics with Finance BSc (Hons)	E
Education, Culture and Childhood BA (Hons)	SS&H
English and History BA (Hons)	SS&H
English Language and Linguistics BA (Hons)	SS&H
English Language and Literature BA (Hons)	SS&H
English Literature BA (Hons)	SS&H
Geography BA (Hons)	A
Geography and Planning BA (Hons)	A
History BA (Hons)	SS&H
International Business Management with Study Abroad BA (Hons) ^	BM&F
International Relations and Politics BA (Hons)	SS&H
Japanese Studies BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Japanese Studies and History BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Journalism Studies BA (Hons) **†Δ	SS&H
Korean Studies BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Korean Studies with Japanese BA (Hons) □	SS&H
Landscape Architecture BA (Hons) ‡	A
Landscape Architecture BSc (Hons) ‡	A
Law LLB (Hons)	L&C
Law (European and International) LLB (Hons)	L&C
Law and Criminology LLB (Hons)	L&C
Law with Chinese Law LLB (Hons)	L&C
Mathematics BSc (Hons)	E

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Mathematics MMath (Hons)	E
Mathematics and Philosophy BSc (Hons)	E
Mathematics and Statistics BSc (Hons)	E
Mathematics and Statistics MMath (Hons)	E
Modern Languages and Cultures BA (Hons)	SS&H
Music BMus (Hons) !	SS&H
Music and Korean Studies BA (Hons) !□	SS&H
Music and Philosophy BA (Hons) !	SS&H
Philosophy BA (Hons)	SS&H
Philosophy, Religion and Ethics BA (Hons)	SS&H
Politics BA (Hons)	SS&H
Politics and Philosophy BA (Hons)	SS&H
Politics and Sociology BA (Hons)	SS&H
Psychology BSc (Hons) **	SS&H
Quantitative Social Sciences (Criminology) BSc (Hons)	SS&H
Quantitative Social Sciences (Management) BSc (Hons)	SS&H
Quantitative Social Sciences (Politics) BSc (Hons)	SS&H
Quantitative Social Sciences (Sociology) BSc (Hons)	SS&H
Quantitative Social Sciences BSc (Hons)	SS&H
Sociology BA (Hons)	SS&H
Sociology with Social Policy BA (Hons)	SS&H
Urban Studies BA (Hons)	A
Urban Studies and Planning MPlan (Hons)	A

Pathway key:

(A) Architecture, Landscape and the Urban Environment
 (BM&F) Business, Management and Finance
 (E) Economics
 (L&C) Law and Criminology
 (SS&H) Social Science and Humanities

* Design portfolio required at application to the International College.

□ Language degrees not suitable for native speakers.

^ Students must be 18 or over when starting their degree.

** Students wishing to progress to these degree programmes at the University will require an English level of IELTS 0.5 or equivalent higher than the standard level of entry to their International Foundation Year.

† Pass in an interview required as well as meeting progression requirements.

‡ Portfolio will be completed in International College but does not count towards progression.

! Grade 8 Practical (ABRSM/Trinity/Rockschool) at Merit + Grade 5 theory (ABRSM/Trinity) at Merit or equivalent.

Δ Blog chat required.

Dentistry

Degree Programmes	Pathway
BDS Dental Surgery *	D

Pathway key:

(D) Dentistry

* In addition to achieving the required progression grades, you'll be expected to meet further requirements for entry on to a clinical programme. For further information, please see page 12.

Science and Engineering

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Aerospace Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Aerospace Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Aerospace Engineering with Private Pilot Instruction BEng (Hons)	P&E
Aerospace Engineering with Private Pilot Instruction MEng (Hons)	P&E
Architectural Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science BSc (Hons)	P&E
Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science MComp (Hons)	P&E
Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons)	P&E
Biochemistry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biochemistry and Genetics BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biochemistry and Genetics with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biochemistry with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Bio-dental Science and Technology BSc (Hons) ^**!	B&LS
Bioengineering BEng (Hons)	C&E
Bioengineering MEng (Hons)	C&E
Bioengineering with a Year in Industry BEng (Hons)	C&E
Bioengineering with a Year in Industry MEng (Hons)	C&E
Biology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biology MBiolSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biomedical Science BSc (Hons) ^**!	B&LS
Biomedical Science MBiolSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biomedical Science with a Year Abroad BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biomedical Science with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Biomedical Science with a Year in Industry MBiomedSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Chemical Engineering BEng (Hons)	C&E
Chemical Engineering MEng (Hons)	C&E
Chemical Engineering with a Year in Industry MEng (Hons)	C&E
Chemical Engineering with Industrial Experience BEng (Hons)	C&E
Chemistry BSc (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry MChem (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry with a Year in Industry MChem (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry with Biological and Medicinal Chemistry BSc (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry with Biological and Medicinal Chemistry MChem (Hons) **	C&E
Chemistry with Study Abroad MChem (Hons) **	C&E
Civil and Structural Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Civil Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Civil Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Computer Science BSc (Hons)	P&E
Computer Science MComp (Hons)	P&E
Computer Systems Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Computer Systems Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Computer Systems Engineering with a Year in Industry BEng (Hons)	P&E
Computer Systems Engineering with a Year in Industry MEng (Hons)	P&E
Ecology and Conservation Biology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Ecology and Conservation Biology MBiolSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Electrical and Electronic Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Electrical and Electronic Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Electrical Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Electronic Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Electronics and Computer Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Electronics and Computer Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Environmental Science BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Environmental Science MEnvSci **!	B&LS
Financial Mathematics BSc (Hons)	P&E
General Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
General Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
General Engineering with a Year in Industry BEng (Hons)	P&E
General Engineering with a Year in Industry MEng (Hons)	P&E
Genetics BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Genetics with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Geography BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Health and Human Sciences BMedSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Materials Science and Engineering BEng (Hons)	C&E

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Materials Science and Engineering MEng (Hons)	C&E
Mathematics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Mathematics MMath (Hons)	P&E
Mathematics and Philosophy BSc (Hons)	P&E
Mathematics and Statistics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Mathematics and Statistics MMath (Hons)	P&E
Mechanical Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Mechanical Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Mechatronic and Robotic Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Mechatronic and Robotic Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Mechatronic and Robotic Engineering with a Year in Industry BEng (Hons)	P&E
Mechatronic and Robotic Engineering with a Year in Industry MEng (Hons)	P&E
Medical Genetics BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Medical Genetics with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Medical Microbiology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Medical Microbiology with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Microbiology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Microbiology with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Molecular Biology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Molecular Biology with a Year in Industry BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Orthoptics BMedSci (Hons) ^!†	All pathways
Physics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Physics MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Physics and Astrophysics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Physics and Astrophysics MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Physics with Medical Physics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Physics with Medical Physics MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Physics with Study Abroad MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Plant Sciences BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Plant Sciences MBiolSci (Hons) **!	B&LS
Psychology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Software Engineering BEng (Hons)	P&E
Software Engineering MEng (Hons)	P&E
Structural Engineering and Architecture MEng (Hons) *	P&E
Theoretical Physics BSc (Hons)	P&E
Theoretical Physics MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Theoretical Physics with Study Abroad MPhys (Hons)	P&E
Zoology BSc (Hons) **!	B&LS
Zoology MBiolSci (Hons) **!	B&LS

Pathway key:

(B&LS) Biological, Medical and Life Sciences

(C&E) Chemistry and Engineering

(P&E) Physics and Engineering

* Design portfolio required at application to the International College.

** Students wishing to progress to these degree programmes at the University will require an English level of IELTS 0.5 or equivalent higher than the standard level of entry to their International Foundation Year.

^ Students must be 18 or over when starting their degree.

! Not available for March starters.

† Students must attend at least two events organised by the Academic Unit of Ophthalmology and Orthoptics.

Postgraduate pathway

The Pre-Masters programme at the University of Sheffield International College offers a path to postgraduate study for international students.

This course is an intensive 1.5 or 2-semester programme of academic subjects, study skills and English language preparation. It has been designed specifically to prepare you for masters study at the University of Sheffield.

This programme is for you if you do not meet the entry requirements for a masters degree, want to refresh your skills, or want to be better prepared for the style of study required during a UK masters degree. Once you successfully complete your Pre-Masters programme and achieve the required progression grades, you can proceed to your postgraduate degree at the University.

Study structure

You can choose one of two routes.

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

This will prepare you for a taught postgraduate degree in the Faculty of Social Sciences, including the School of Law, the Management School and the School of Architecture. It can also lead to degrees in the Faculty of Arts and Humanities and other areas too.

Science and Engineering

This will prepare you for a taught postgraduate degree in the Faculty of Engineering or Faculty of Science, and a small number of programmes in other

Faculties, such as Medicine, Dentistry and Health.

For each of our programmes, there are subject-specific pathways based on your progression degree.

Progression degrees

The Pre-Masters leads to a wide range of postgraduate degrees, subject to meeting progression requirements. These are subject to availability and may change at the University's discretion.

Please refer to the progression degrees listed on page 20 and 21. For the latest list and up-to-date entry requirements, please visit our website.

English for Pre-Masters

If you need additional language training before you start your Pre-Masters, depending on your degree choice, you may be able to join our intensive English for Pre-Masters programme. This is taught in partnership with the University's English Language Teaching Centre and is designed to improve your English language skills to the necessary level. At the end of your English language preparation programme, you will start the Pre-Masters programme, providing you have achieved the required language level.

Pre-Masters: Key facts

Course length

1.5 or 2 semesters

Entry dates

1.5 semesters: March

2 semesters: September and January

Age

Students will normally be 21 years of age or older

Entry requirements

Academic: Recognised degree – in a related field for most subjects

English language: See study plan below



For more information:
[usic.sheffield.ac.uk/
 programmes/pre-masters](https://usic.sheffield.ac.uk/programmes/pre-masters)

Study plan options

Pre-Masters programme – Business, Social Sciences and Humanities; Science and Engineering

Academic IELTS for UKVI*	Semesters	Start	March-June	June-August	September-December	January-March	March-June	July-August	September
4.5 (4.5 in all skills)	2 terms ELP + 2 semesters	March or June	EPM		PMP			Holiday/re-sits*	Start your postgraduate degree programme at the University of Sheffield
5.0 (5.0 in all skills)	1 term ELP + 2 semesters	June or September		EPM	PMP			Holiday/re-sits*	
5.5 (5.5 in all skills)	2	September or January			PMP			Holiday/re-sits*	
6.0 (5.5 in all skills)	1.5	March				PMP			
							PMP		

EPM English for Pre-Masters **PMP** Pre-Masters programme *Re-sits for the June cohort take place in early July. Re-sits for the August finishers take place in early September. *We accept a range of English language qualifications for direct entry to the Pre-Masters on-campus as a result of Study Group's successful registration with the Office for Students (OfS), and these qualifications include IELTS Academic; Pearson; TOEFL; Cambridge Business; Cambridge Main Suite.

Note: Students wishing to progress to some degree programmes at the University will require an English level of IELTS 0.5 or equivalent higher than the standard level of entry to their Pre-Masters programme. Please see page 20 and 21 for more information.

Pre-Masters

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

This course provides a route to a number of masters degrees in the Faculties of Arts and Humanities and Social Sciences, including the Management School, the School of Law and Sheffield School of Architecture.

Your programme will be tailored to prepare you for your chosen degree, studying the most relevant modules to your subject area. Some of the modules listed will be compulsory for progression on to specific degree programmes at the University. To join a Pre-Masters pathway, you may need a relevant first degree.

Core modules

- Academic English Skills
- Research Project

Pathway modules (related to your degree choice)

There is a choice of five pathways, with modules tailored to your aims:

Business, Management and Finance (BM&F)

- Accounting and Finance
- Management

Economics (E)

- Advanced Economics
- Statistics and Econometrics

Information Studies (IS)

- Social Science
- Statistics for Econometrics

Law and Criminology (L&C)

- Advanced Law
- Social Science

Social Sciences & Humanities (SS&H)

- Communication, Cultures and Heritage
- Social Science

University-style teaching

The University of Sheffield International College introduces you to the style of teaching that you will experience on your degree. Taking part in tutorials, seminar-style classes and larger group lectures will prepare you for your masters at the University.

Assessment

You will be assessed regularly throughout the course. Your development is monitored through coursework during the semesters and assessments at the end of each semester. Some of these assessments might take the form of examinations. You may also need to complete a series of presentations and extended essays as part of your overall assessment.

Sheffield Management School has been awarded a **Silver Charter Award** from the Small Business Charter, recognising the University's active participation in supporting start-ups and small and medium sized businesses.

Pre-Masters Science and Engineering

This course provides a route to a number of masters degrees in the Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Science.

Your Pre-Masters will include a combination of academic subjects, study skills and English language preparation. You will study modules relevant to your chosen subject area. Some of the modules listed will be compulsory for progression on to specific degree programmes at the University. To join a Pre-Masters pathway, you may need a relevant first degree.

Core modules

- Academic English Skills
- Research Project for STEM
- Statistics

Pathway modules (related to your degree choice)

There is a choice of three pathways, with modules tailored to your aims:

Biological, Medical and Life Sciences (B&LS)

- Mathematics
- Statistics for Research

Computing and Computer Science (C&CS)

- Programming

Physical Sciences and Engineering (PS&E)

- Mathematics

University-style teaching

The University of Sheffield International College introduces you to the style of teaching that you will experience on your degree. Taking part in tutorials, seminars, lectures and laboratory work means that you will be well prepared for a masters degree at the University.

Assessment

You will be assessed regularly throughout the course. Your development is monitored through coursework during the semesters and assessments at the end of each semester. Some of these assessments might take the form of examinations. You may also need to complete a series of presentations and extended essays as part of your overall assessment.

Sheffield is ranked
UK number 1 for biomedical research
and top 5 for biological sciences research

(Research Excellence Framework 2014)



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usic.sheffield.ac.uk/diamond-VR

“I am going to be a landscape architect...”

The International College is really good for new international students, especially for people like me who are from really far away, from different cultures...

Within the College they teach you about UK culture and we also meet international students from all over the world, just like myself.”

Giulio
Studied International Foundation Year.
Progressed to BA (Hons) Landscape Architecture.

born in
Indonesia.
made in
Sheffield.

Postgraduate progression degrees

Choose from over 140 postgraduate degrees available from the Pre-Masters programme, subject to meeting progression requirements. Places are limited on some courses, so you are advised to apply and confirm your place as soon as possible.

These degrees are subject to availability and may change at the University's discretion. Please refer to the website for full and up-to-date details.

Business, Social Sciences and Humanities

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Acquired Communication Disorders MSc *	SS&H
American History MA *	SS&H
Applied GIS MSc *	SS&H
Applied Linguistics with TESOL MA *	SS&H
Archaeology MA	SS&H
Archaeological Science MSc	SS&H
Architectural Design MA Δ*	SS&H
Broadcast Journalism MA ***^	SS&H
Business Administration MBA ø*	BM&F
Business Finance and Economics MSc *	E
Cognitive Studies MA	SS&H
Composition MA †	SS&H
Corporate and Commercial Law LLM *	L&C
Creative and Cultural Industries Management MSc	BM&F
Cultural Data Management & Communications MA	SS&H
Cultural Heritage Management MA	SS&H
Data Science MSc	IS
Digital Architecture and Design MSc Δ*	SS&H
Digital Culture & Communications MA	SS&H
Digital Literacies, Culture and Education MA *	SS&H
Digital Media and Society MA *	SS&H
Early Modern History MA *	SS&H
East Asian Business MSc	SS&H
Economics MSc *	E
Economics and Public Policy MSc *	E
Education MA	SS&H
Education: Early Childhood MA	SS&H
Education: Language and Education MA	SS&H
English Literature MA *	SS&H
English Literature (Creative Writing) MA *	SS&H
Environmental Change and International Development MSc *	SS&H
Finance and Accounting MSc	BM&F
Financial Economics MSc *	E
Global History MA *	SS&H
Global Journalism MA *	SS&H
Heritage and Archaeology MA	SS&H
Human Osteology and Funerary Archaeology MSc	SS&H
Human Resource Management MSc	BM&F
Human Resource Management with CIPD Pathway MSc	BM&F
Information Management MSc	IS
Information Systems MSc	IS
Information Systems Management MSc	BM&F
Intercultural Communication MA *	SS&H
International Criminology MA *	L&C
International Development MA *	SS&H
International Development MPH *	SS&H
International Law and Global Justice LLM*	L&C
International Management MSc	BM&F
International Management and Marketing MSc	BM&F
International Political Economy MA	SS&H

Degree Programmes	Pathway
International Public and Political Communication MA *	SS&H
International Relations MA	SS&H
International Relations and East Asia MA	SS&H
Journalism MA ***^	SS&H
Law MA	L&C
Logistics and Supply Chain Management MSc	BM&F
Magazine Journalism MA ^*	SS&H
Management MSc	BM&F
Management (International Business) MSc	BM&F
Marketing Management Practice MSc	BM&F
Medieval History MA *	SS&H
Modern History MA *	SS&H
Money, Banking and Finance MSc *	E
Music Management MA *	SS&H
Musicology MA	SS&H
Music Performance Studies MA !*	SS&H
Osteoarchaeology MSc	SS&H
Palaeoanthropology MSc	SS&H
Philosophy MA	SS&H
Politics and Media in East Asia MA	SS&H
Politics, Governance and Public Policy MA	SS&H
Political Theory MA	SS&H
Psychology and Education MA	SS&H
Psychology of Music MA *	SS&H
Real Estate MSc *	SS&H
Real Estate Planning and Development MSc *	SS&H
Speech Difficulties MSc *	SS&H
Sustainable Architecture Studies MSc Δ*	SS&H
Translation Studies MA	SS&H
Urban Design MA Δ*	SS&H
Urban Design and Planning MA *	SS&H
Urban and Regional Planning MSc *	SS&H

Pathway key:

(BM&F) Business, Management and Finance
 (E) Economics
 (IS) Information Studies
 (L&C) Law and Criminology
 (SS&H) Social Sciences & Humanities

* Specific academic background is required for application/confirmation.

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Δ Design portfolio on entry to the International College assessed by Study Group (sample portfolios of adequate standard will be provided by the department to the College selection team).

^ Blog chat interview required.

! Portfolio submission - progression must be via a video audition on principal instrument. This is required before progression at the end of the Pre-Masters programme.

ø At least 5 years relevant full-time work experience after graduation with some managerial experience and interview is required.

† Applicants must have two examples of previous composition work (either instrumental or electroacoustic/electronic).

Science and Engineering

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Aerospace Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Advanced Computer Science MSc *	C&CS
Advanced Control and Systems Engineering MSc *	C&CS
Advanced Mechanical Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Advanced Metallurgy MMet *	PS&E
Aerospace Materials MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Antimicrobial Resistance MSc *	B&LS
Archaeology MA	PS&E
Archaeological Science MSc	PS&E
Autonomous and Intelligent Systems MSc *	PS&E
Biochemical Engineering with Industrial Management MSc *	PS&E
Biodiversity and Conservation MSc *	B&LS
Biological Sciences MSc *	B&LS
Biological and Bioprocess Engineering MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Biomedical Science MSc *	B&LS
Cognitive and Computational Neuroscience MSc *	B&LS
Cognitive Neuroscience and Human Neuroimaging MSc (Res) *	B&LS
Chemistry MSc *	PS&E
Chemistry MSc (Res) *	PS&E
Chemistry and Sustainability MSc	PS&E
Civil Engineering and Management MSc *	PS&E
Civil Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Computer Science with Speech and Language Processing MSc *	C&CS
Cybersecurity and Artificial Intelligence MSc	C&CS
Data Analytics MSc *	C&CS
Data Communications MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Drug Discovery Science MSc *	PS&E
Electronic and Electrical Engineering MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Energy Engineering with Industrial Management MSc *	PS&E
Environmental and Energy Engineering MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Genomic Approaches to Drug Discovery MSc *	B&LS
Heritage and Archaeology MA	PS&E
Human Anatomy with Education MSc *	B&LS
Human and Molecular Genetics MSc *	B&LS
Human Osteology and Funerary Archaeology MSc	PS&E
Masters in Dental Public Health MDPH	PS&E
Materials Science and Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Mechanical Engineering and Industrial Management MSc *	PS&E
Molecular and Cellular Basis of Human Disease MSc *	B&LS
Molecular Biology and Biotechnology MSc *	B&LS
Nanomaterials and Materials Science MSc *	PS&E
Neuroscience MSc *	B&LS
Osteoarchaeology MSc	PS&E
Palaeoanthropology MSc	PS&E
Particle Physics MSc (Res) *	PS&E
Pharmaceutical Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Polymers and Composites MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Polymers for Advanced Technologies MSc *	PS&E
Process Safety and Loss Prevention MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Psychological Research Methods MSc *	PS&E
Psychological Research Methods with Advanced Statistics MSc *	PS&E
Psychological Research Methods with Data Science MSc *	PS&E
Quantum Photonics and Nanomaterials MSc (Res) *	PS&E
Robotics MSc *	C&CS
Semiconductor Photonics and Electronics MSc (Eng) *	PS&E
Solar Cell Technology MSc *	PS&E
Statistics MSc *	PS&E
Statistics with Medical Applications MSc *	PS&E
Structural Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Stem Cell and Regenerative Medicine MSc *	B&LS
Sustainable Agricultural Technologies MSc *	B&LS
Systems Neuroscience MSc *	PS&E

Degree Programmes	Pathway
Translational Neuropathology MSc *	B&LS
Translational Neuroscience MSc *	B&LS
Translational Oncology MSc (Res) *	B&LS
Water Engineering MSc *	PS&E
Wireless Communications (Systems) MSc (Eng) *	PS&E

Pathway key:

Biological, Medical and Life Sciences (B&LS)

Computing and Computer Science (C&CS)

Physical Sciences and Engineering (PS&E)

* Specific academic background may be required for application/confirmation.

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How to apply

If you would like to apply to study at the University of Sheffield International College, you will need to complete an application form and submit the relevant documentation.

You can apply through your local education agent. Alternatively you can apply directly via our website and one of our dedicated Student Enrolment Advisors will be happy to provide support through every step of the application process.

Full information on how to apply, fees, entry requirements and more, visit usic.sheffield.ac.uk/how-to-apply

Support to attain a world class education: scholarships for every year of study

The University of Sheffield International College is offering scholarships of up to £5,000 for students enrolling on our International Foundation Year who show excellent academic potential.

Students will also be eligible to receive a scholarship worth up to £2,500 for each year of their undergraduate degree when they progress to The University of Sheffield.

Terms & Conditions

The University of Sheffield International College: International Foundation Year Scholarships

- Scholarships will be awarded to self-funded students only and will be discounted from tuition fees.
- Scholarships should be requested at the point of application, are subject to availability and made by Study Group in their sole discretion.
- The International Foundation Year in Dentistry and progression degree programmes with limited availability are excluded from this offer.
- Fees, progression requirements and availability vary by degree programme, please see: usic.sheffield.ac.uk/programmes/international-foundation-year

The University of Sheffield: Undergraduate Scholarships

University scholarship is worth £2,000 per year for courses in the Faculty of Arts and Humanities and Faculty of Social Sciences, and £2,500 per year for courses in the Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health and Faculty of Science.

- University scholarships apply for each year of a degree, subject to achieving a minimum GPA in each year of study.
- For full terms and conditions see:

sheffield.ac.uk/international/fees-and-funding/scholarships/undergraduate/international-undergraduate-scholarship



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