



Master of Science in Systems Thinking in Practice

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available online via the Open University 'Student Policies and Regulations' website at <https://help.open.ac.uk/documents/policies>.

Short title

MSc Systems Thinking in Practice

Award letters

MSc Sys Prac (Open)

Entry requirements

A Bachelor's degree conferred by a UK university or other recognised degree-awarding body, an equivalent qualification or experience.

Maximum duration of study

8 years

Credit requirement

180 credits:

Research route: 60 credits from compulsory modules, 60 credits from the research project module, 60 credits from core option modules, including specified Microcredentials.

Professional route 60 credits from compulsory modules, 30 credits from the professional project module, 90 credits from core option modules of which no more than 60 credits can be from specified Microcredentials.

Maximum transferred credit

60 credits maximum against specified core option modules within the Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma only

Maximum age of credit transfer

8 years

Unique study requirement

60 credits

Classification

Minimum requirements:

Research route:

Distinction: 90 module credits at Distinction grade, which must include the 60-credit research project module and one of the 30-credit compulsory modules

Merit: 90 module credits at Merit grade, which must include the 60-credit research project module and one of the 30-credit compulsory modules

Professional Route:

Distinction: 90 module credits at Distinction grade, which must include the 30-credit professional project module and one of the 30-credit compulsory modules

Merit: 90 module credits at Merit grade, which must include the 30-credit professional project module and one of the 30-credit compulsory modules

Additional rules

The classification scheme was amended in June 2021