

# Study with us

# **About your course**

#### **Courses covered**

Code	Title
HUHISM	MA History

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

### **Important points**

- This course offers a carefully structured programme of study in History which introduces students to a stimulating and specialised range of topics and sources and to a variety of critical and theoretical approaches.
- The programme is designed to recruit graduates who have a degree in History or whose degree contains at least 50% of History topics. The minimum classification for the degree should normally be a second class first division. However, students with an Honours Degree (e.g. in a related subject) who can demonstrate potential for postgraduate study in History will also be considered for the programme.
- Students will complete three twelve-week modules, two six-week modules and a final dissertation (15,000 words) on a topic of their choice.
- Students on the taught modules meet weekly for intensive seminars, and on the dissertation are supported in a programme of one-to-one supervision.
- Full-time students study over a period of one year, part-time students over two years.
- As well as breadth and depth of knowledge, students will develop advanced analytical, communication and research skills which may be transferred to a range of graduate careers.
- Wide reading is key to postgraduate study of History. Each module has required texts
  and sources, but students are expected to read beyond the required texts. Most texts
  are available via the university library and online resources and many can be purchased
  second-hand, therefore the costs below are merely indicative.

### **Academic Year**

#### Academic Year 2019 - 2020

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

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

## **Additional expenses**

Description	Year	Mandatory/ Optional	Estimated cost	
Books (print and digital)	1	Optional	£100	
Travel to archive repositories	1 (2 for part time students)	Optional	£100	
No additional expenses have been specified for this course.				