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## About your course

### Courses covered

Code	Title	UCAS Code
ENCIVMENG	Civil Engineering	H200

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

### Important points

- Progression to level 5 of MEng requires a minimum of 120 credits with an average of 60%.
- Progression to level 6 of MEng requires a minimum of 240 credits with an average of 60% at level 4 and 5.
- Progression to level 7 requires students to obtain at least an upper second class BEng Honours exit award as defined under the Programme Specific Regulations.
- If any of the progression requirements stated above are not met then the Board of Examiners is empowered to require the student to transfer to the BEng (non-Honours) or BEng Honours degree programme. The study pattern for students transferring onto the BEng (non-Honours) route shall be agreed on a case-by-case basis with the BEng Programme Tutor or Associate Dean of School.
- Level 7 of the MEng programme can only be studied as a full time student, the part-time route is not available.
- A compensated pass cannot be awarded for the Level 7 Whole Life Design Project or the Level 6 Individual Major Project.
- Students who have not achieved the minimum progression requirements at the end of level 5 may be prevented from undertaking a sandwich placement.
- Option available to undertake additional study abroad or an Industrial Placement during year 3.
- In addition to the academic fees, students are expected to attend the 5 day residential field course at level 5. All equipment for the field course will be provided. Students will be expected to provide their own outdoor clothing and footwear.
- This course is provided in collaboration with BRE and students will be expected to attend the BRE site in Garston, near Watford, during their studies. The costs of travel to and from BRE will be the responsibility of the student.
- As part of the learning experience for this course students will be expected to attend a number of site visits. The costs of these will be met by the School of Physics, Engineering and Computer Science.

- The programme will be submitted for accreditation in accordance to the requirements of the Joint Board of Moderators. The submission date is April 2021. Once accredited, this will be backdated to include all the cohorts joined the University since September 2017.
- In the academic year 2021/22 exams will be replaced with alternative forms of assessment due to the covid pandemic. Alternative forms of assessment may include, but are not limited to, online timed tests and take home coursework.

## Academic Year

### Academic Year 2021 – 2022

The University's academic year is made up of 3 Semesters. Normally most undergraduate programmes use Semesters A and B, additionally postgraduate programmes and specific undergraduate programmes use Semester C. Each of these is made up of teaching weeks followed by exams (the re-sit period falls within Semester C).

- Semester A runs from Monday 27 September 2021 to Friday 21 January 2022
- Semester B runs from Monday 24 January 2022 to Friday 13 May 2022
- Semester C runs from Monday 16 May 2022 to Friday 09 September 2022

## Expected workload

In the UK, a full time student is expected to spend 1200 hours on their studies each year. Please find below an estimate of how your time will be spent on this course during each year of study.

	Lectures, seminars, tutorials	Independent study	Placement
Year 1	30%	70%	0%
Year 2	32%	68%	0%
Year 3 Sandwich	0%	0%	100%
Year 3 Full Time / Year 4 Sandwich	19%	81%	0%
Final Year	18%	82%	0%

## Method of assessment

	Written Exam	Coursework	Practical
Year 1	0%	100%	0%
Year 2	0%	100%	0%
Year 3 Sandwich	0%	100%	0%
Year 3 Full Time / Year 4 Sandwich	0%	100%	0%
Final Year	0%	100%	0%

## Additional expenses

Description	Year	Mandatory/ Optional	Estimated cost
Typical travel costs per year to attend BRE site assuming use of UNO bus	1, 2 & 3	Compulsory	£40 each year
Course book(s)	1	Compulsory	£60
Course books	2	Compulsory	£80
Course book(s)	3	Compulsory	£100