

FORENSIC & APPLIED SCIENCES

**FACULTY OF
SCIENCE &
TECHNOLOGY**

School of
Engineering

School of
Forensic and
Applied Sciences

School of Physical
Sciences and
Computing

School of
Psychology

The facilities on offer in this subject area are impressive and include the £12.5 million J.B Firth Building that was purpose built to support study and capability in chemistry and fire safety and engineering. The Fire Engineering Laboratory is fully equipped for a range of small to intermediate scale fire tests with state of the art analytical and material characterisation facilities to allow students, through laboratory work, to develop an understanding of how material behaves in a fire situation. Crime scene houses are an essential teaching aid to enable students to study and practice the techniques of all aspects of crime scene investigation and UCLan were the first institution in the country to introduce this teaching facility. The number and quality of the crime scenes are second to none and are an ongoing development undergoing regular changes. There are also search and recovery labs used to teach techniques and procedures in forensic analysis, a blood spatter analysis suite and forensic anthropology labs providing essential learning facility for bone analysis. For more details about the excellent facilities and all UCLan has to offer please visit our website:

http://www.uclan.ac.uk/schools/forensic_investigative_sciences/index.php



PHYSICAL SCIENCES, COMPUTING & ENGINEERING

This year course leaders have been very pro-active by introducing professional placements for a number of the MSc programmes that are available in September 2016. Placement officers will help students find a professional placement and course leaders will also provide the necessary support and assistance, during your taught studies, to help you secure a place. Course leaders have established links with organisations who would be able to host some students. You can make an application for a placement with salary attached and every effort will be made to help secure a paid professional placement. Travel expenses to and from placements

will be covered for successful applicants. The placement would last for up to 40 weeks during which time you would work at an engineering related organisation, give a presentation and write a report on your experiences before returning to complete your dissertation. The placement will allow students to gain technical skills, experience and a greater understanding of the engineering profession which should be advantageous when applying for full time employment on graduation.

Another exciting development has been the introduction of the BEng and MEng Aerospace Engineering programme that

welcomed its first intake of students in September 2015. The programme is ideally suited to applicants with an interest in aircraft, spaceflight and related technologies. Discussions have taken place with the Royal Aeronautical Society and Institute of Mechanical Engineers to ensure that the programme meets all their requirements and expectations throughout the course. With engineering graduates in demand this degree should open the door to a diverse range of career opportunities in the Aerospace Engineering field for all graduates. Full details are available on the website: <http://www.uclan.ac.uk/courses/index.php>



PSYCHOLOGY

Support and opportunity are key concepts of psychology courses on offer at UCLan. All programmes cover all core psychological concepts defined by the British Psychological Society (BPS) required for Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC) status. Students are offered the chance to specialise in areas such as sport, forensic or health. The School enjoys an extensive range of state-of-the-art laboratory spaces, including a health psychology suite, a cognitive psychology complex, a sports psychology laboratory, a child observation suite, additional laboratories and a 3D lecture theatre. The Hydra Minerva Suite (pictured) has also been created for use by students studying Psychology and other disciplines and allows for major incidents to be authentically recreated and experienced.

ENGINEERING INNOVATION CENTRE (EIC)

The Engineering Innovation Centre (EIC) will be a state-of-the-art facility, equipped to a high quality standard, on the Preston Campus. UCLan is located at the centre of one of the most intense engineering and manufacturing areas in the UK and the Engineering Innovation Centre will create an integrated space for teaching, research and knowledge exchange, improving higher education engineering provision in Lancashire. Due to open in 2018, the Engineering Innovation Centre (EIC) will capitalise on the location of the University to create an internationally competitive facility that will bring together the region's expertise from within academia and industry. The EIC will be equipped to the highest standard with technology demonstration areas and specialist work areas to create an integrated space for teaching, research and knowledge exchange. Among the seven major objectives of the EIC is to deliver an expanded engineering school with the capacity to accommodate an increase in those wishing to study at undergraduate level.



Marwa Narmiq
LLM
International Business Law

Marwa completed her studies on the LLM International Business Law programme at UCLan graduating with a Masters with Merit. Marwa said: *"I enjoyed my studies, the course modules were very interesting and I found the friendly atmosphere between tutors and students together with tutor support to be really beneficial"*. Marwa enjoyed spending time studying in the library and exercising in the gym confirming: *"The facilities at UCLan are excellent and I have been able to find a good balance between my studies and my social life with my new friends"*. Marwa hoped to complete a PhD in Law following her graduation.



LANCASHIRE LAW SCHOOL

The university has more than 40 years' experience offering a wide range of law programmes including the accredited LLB Law degree and popular LLM in International Business Law. Commitment to providing access to the law and legal professions together with a strong focus on employability, that forms an important component to the delivery of courses, has resulted in more than 1000 students now studying law at UCLan in a variety of ways. The LLM International Business Law programme ensures students graduate with all the essential skills and expertise in international business law and is available to those from both a legal and non-legal background.

FACULTY OF BUSINESS, LAW AND APPLIED SOCIAL SCIENCES

School of Business

School of Management

School of Social Work, Care and Community

Lancashire Law School

Centre for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT)

BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

These subjects have a strong focus on real-world learning to ensure that graduating students are fully equipped to enter employment. Working on live projects with a range of business organisations with informed teaching through case studies and guest speakers brings a real-world learning to the lecture theatre. Students benefit from a focus on employability through opportunities to enter competitions run by organisations; recent competitions have involved companies such as Microsoft and IBM. The prestigious leadership and development programme enables students to participate in a project to improve their skills and provides an opportunity for work experience, business mentoring and networking that enhances employability. We have strong links with leading companies and students have previously participated in placements with Disney Florida, Marriott Hotels, Events Northern Ltd and Merlin Leisure for those interested in our tourism, hospitality and events programme.



Dorota Marsh
Lancashire Business School

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)

Dorota has been the course leader for the Master of Business Administration (MBA) programme for the past 10 years and would be one of the highly experienced tutors who would make a contribution towards your personal and managerial development throughout your studies. The programme is designed for those who wish to establish or sustain a successful managerial or professional career in business. An exciting residential programme is included that takes place in the Lake District which

is England's largest National Park famous for its lakes, forests and mountains. Dorota said: *"Time spent in the beautiful setting of the Lake District provides an essential way of getting to know your colleagues and prepare you for the challenges that the MBA programme presents."* Dorota added: *"This innovative approach provides an invaluable experience and will help you identify your own strengths and weaknesses and enables you to focus on positive actions and behaviours."*

SOCIAL WORK, CARE & COMMUNITY

The School of Social Work, Care and Community is proud of its national reputation for delivering high quality education for social work, social care, the children and young people's workforce, and community leadership and engagement. The MA Social Work course leads students to a professional qualification in social work and includes a 170 day placement experience. Studied over two years students learn a range of skills including essential experience, working collaboratively across multiple agencies. The course leader is keen to welcome more international students.



FACULTY OF CULTURE AND THE CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

School of Art, Design and Fashion

School of Journalism, Media and Performance

School of Humanities and the Social Sciences

School of Language and Global Studies

JOURNALISM, MEDIA & PERFORMANCE

Graduate success and our links with industry is of interest to all applicants and is something that the course leaders for Journalism and Media have been keen to develop and promote across all of the subject range. UCLan graduates are currently employed in a number of highly regarded national and international publications and media organisations including The Daily Mail, The Independent, BBC, Sky, Sky Sports, Forbes magazine and Al Jazeera. Work placement opportunities offering students a chance to develop their skills are available and has seen students previously working for the BBC, Sky, Manchester United, Preston North End and many others. Industry links also enable students to enjoy an impressive series of guest lectures who have in the recent past included Bill Nighy (Pirates of the Caribbean, Harry Potter) and Neil Dunwoodie (Sky News's head of careers).



FACULTY OF CLINICAL AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

School of Dentistry

School of Medicine

School of Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences

PHARMACY & BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

UCLan offer courses across a number of subject areas that are of interest to those who would like to make a difference in the field of science and health care. Our BSc Biomedical Science degree has enjoyed more than 10 years accreditation with the Institute of Biomedical Science, our BSc Biological Sciences degree is accredited by the Society of Biology and our MPharm programme is fully accredited by the General Pharmaceutical Council. Excellent facilities and teaching ensure that our students have a fantastic experience throughout their studies and are equipped upon graduation with the skills and experience highly sought by employers.



FACULTY OF HEALTH AND WELL BEING

School of Nursing

School of Community Health and Midwifery

School of Health Sciences

School of Sport and Wellbeing

HEALTH & LIFE SCIENCES

Did you know that the MSc Applied Public Health programme is designed to meet the needs of a wide range of professionals working to achieve improvements in health. The opportunity to gain invaluable work experience in a relevant and real world setting will bring the taught elements of the programme to life and provide students with a significant advantage in the job market upon completion of their studies. Course leader Paul Reid said: *"This is a new and exciting development for the programme that we were keen to introduce to give every advantage to our students"*.



Paul Reid

MSc Applied Public Health Course Leader

UCLAN - DID YOU KNOW?

SCHOOL OF ART, DESIGN AND FASHION

Cutting-edge facilities including the £15 million state-of-the-art Media Factory ensure that student talent is nurtured to ensure that graduates are strongly positioned to enter the creative industries job market. The strength, range and quality of facilities available across all of the programmes on offer in these subject areas allow students to work creatively and develop skills in the best possible environment. From specialist workshops (knit and sewing) to recording studios, photography studios, studio theatres, digital print studios and beyond, all fitted with the latest equipment, students can be assured of an incredible study experience at UCLan.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT ALL COURSES OFFERED BY UCLAN PLEASE VISIT: WWW.UCLAN.AC.UK/COURSES/INDEX.PHP

We hope you've found the July 2017 edition of International@UCLan (International) of interest. Previous editions can be found here:

www.uclan.ac.uk/international/applicants.php

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