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Welcome



Welcome to the 2021/22 guide to our University College Jersey courses.

In recent times there have been enormous changes in the way we live, study and work. At UCJ, you will find face to face tuition combined with online learning. You will benefit from studying with the most experienced higher education (HE) provider on-Island offering you sustained personalised support and excellent learning experiences.

We offer an extensive range of HE courses here at Highlands College. Our students achieve excellent results. You will complete a work placement where you will apply your learning and start making an impact on society in real-time.

We partner with institutions in the U.K. who are leaders in their field of study so that your learning experiences are of the highest quality. Degree level study is not only personally and intellectually rewarding, it means that you will earn more over your lifetime and have healthier and more fulfilled lives. Isn't it time you started a new chapter in lifelong learning with us at UCJ? Don't forget we offer part-time study routes as well; all our students can earn while they learn.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jo Terry-Marchant".

Jo Terry-Marchant
MA, PGCE, BA (Hons)
Principal



University College Jersey (UCJ) is the leading provider of higher education in Jersey. We work in partnership with University of Plymouth, University of Sussex and London South Bank University, as well as Pearson, to bring degrees and equivalent qualifications to Jersey students. Our students benefit from small class sizes, high levels of pastoral care and tuition by industry and academic experts, which leads to academic achievement that exceeds the UK average.

Work-based learning embedded into programmes gives all of our students exposure to industry and helps them to develop their professional network. As a result, the majority of our graduates go on to higher level study or graduate-level employment.

Studies are enriched by off-island trips and educational visits, as well as social events organised in conjunction with other on-island higher education providers. We want our students to have a diverse and fulfilling university experience that sows the seeds of future economic and social success.

We look forward to welcoming you to UCJ.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ben Bennett".

Ben Bennett
Head of Higher Education



A warm
welcome
from our sponsor MasonBreese
Jimmy Kelly

MasonBreese is delighted to continue its close partnership with University College Jersey for the forthcoming academic year. We have proudly sponsored UCJ since 2018 and through our active collaboration we are able to support students in a variety of different ways. As well as offering employability support through a number of interventions, from CV writing skills to interview technique guidance, we are also pleased to offer all final year UCJ students a guaranteed job interview for a role in our Change Academy programme.

Our Change Academy is a unique two-year programme for graduates interested in a career as a business analyst, data analyst or change manager. As well as a market-leading graduate salary, members of the MasonBreese Change Academy also receive a comprehensive two-year programme of internationally recognised change management qualifications.

MasonBreese are proud to sponsor the island's leading provider of higher education and we look forward to working in collaboration to support UCJ students over the next academic year and beyond.

Jimmy Kelly
Managing Director of MasonBreese

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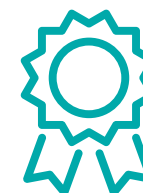
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Study at University College Jersey



200+ students
are taking higher level qualifications



79.5% of students achieved
a 1st or 2.1 honours degree on average over 3 years



92% pass rate for Higher Education students



9/10 students progress
onto employment or further study within 2 months of graduating



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achieve your degree in partnership with the Universities of London South Bank, Plymouth and Sussex or receive the international recognition of a BTEC Higher National from Pearson



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Work & Learn

work placement during your course gives you access to professionals in industry to support the development of your employability skills

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The aims of UCJ

University College Jersey is the higher education department of Highlands College

Our Aim

To be an outstanding higher education provider developing the higher learning and skills of the individuals and communities we serve.

Strategic themes

Learning & Innovation:
we will develop new ways to learn at higher levels

Learning & Innovation:
we will be research-informed

Learning & Innovation:
we will grow and promote studying in Jersey

Putting the Community first: we will ensure lifelong learning with a focus on employability at the heart of what we do

Putting the Community first: we will continue to enhance our students' experiences

Putting the Community first: we will keep stakeholders informed

Putting the Community first: we will demonstrate teaching excellence

Putting the Community first: we will widen participation and access to higher education

Putting the Community first: we will work in partnership with key external stakeholders

We will ensure UCJ is well governed, offers value for money and is sustainable

academic partners



Pearson

Pearson is the UK's largest awarding body and they are regulated by Ofqual (England), SQA Accreditation (Scotland), CCEA Accreditation (Northern Ireland) and Qualifications Wales (Wales). They offer academic and vocational qualifications that are globally recognised and benchmarked.

BTEC is the world's most successful and best-loved applied learning brand, and it has been engaging students in practical, interpersonal and thinking skills for more than 30 years. BTEC Higher Nationals are professional/ technical higher education qualifications, recognised as equivalent to the first two years of an honours degree. Designed for students who want to gain both recognition through higher education level study - and want to progress to the final year of an honours degree, and those who want an industry recognised qualification providing the skills and experience to support their progression in employment. BTEC Higher Nationals are co-designed with industry, employers and professional bodies. BTEC Higher National qualifications are therefore widely recognised by industry and higher education as the principal vocational qualification at Levels 4 and 5, equivalent to the first two years of an honours degree.



London South Bank University

London South Bank University (LSBU) – originally the Borough Polytechnic Institute – laid down roots in south London in 1892 and has been improving the lives of students, businesses and the local community ever since.

LSBU is a double award winner for University of the Year for Graduate Employment and prospects by The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2018 and 2019. This follows on from their award as University of the Year for Graduate Employment and prospects by the Times Higher Education Supplement in 2016. LSBU has a silver rating under the UK government's Teaching and Excellence Framework (TEF) and is in The Guardian Newspaper's top 100 universities.

UCJ at Highlands College works with the School of Engineering and the School of The Built Environment and Architecture, which together are the top modern university in London for world-leading and internationally excellent research in General Engineering. LSBU has the largest Building School in the UK and trains 60% of Building Services engineers. LSBU has been educating Professional Engineers for over 100 years and was the first university to admit women to an engineering course.

Over 100 students have graduated on these programmes through Highlands and have won the Jersey Construction Council Awards for best new entrants to the profession.



Plymouth University

Founded in 1862 as a School of Navigation, and among the highest-ranked modern higher education institutions in the world, the University of Plymouth is now the UK's 15th largest university. A twice winner of the Queen's Anniversary Prize for Higher and Further Education, and with a world-class research pedigree and a reputation for innovation in its approach to teaching and learning, the University has consistently built upon its roots.

With 23,000 enrolled students and a further 13,000 studying for a University of Plymouth award at institutions in the UK and overseas, such as UCJ at Highlands College, Plymouth has become one of the largest and most influential universities in the UK, with research and teaching that positively impacts cultures and economies across the globe.

The University of Plymouth is in the top 10 in the UK and 161st in the world 2019 Times Higher Education Young University Rankings. Plymouth was the first university to be awarded the Social Enterprise Mark. Plymouth has a silver rating under the UK government's Teaching and Excellence Framework (TEF).

The University of Plymouth has a long established strategy of working in partnership with Further Education Colleges in the South West of England and has been working with Highlands college since the establishment of a Certificate of Higher Education in Social Sciences in 1992.



University of Sussex

The University of Sussex is the newest partnership with UCJ and awards the BA in Social Work Jersey. Sussex is rated 7th in the UK for Social Work (The Guardian University Guide 2020).

The University of Sussex is a leading higher education and research institution near Brighton, in the south of England. Sussex was the first of the 'Golden Age' universities that were founded in the 1960s.

Sussex has a Teaching Excellence Framework silver award for the quality of its teaching, and has been particularly commended for its outstanding employment strategy and excellent student success rate, with a very high proportion of Sussex students from all backgrounds completing their course and going on to highly skilled employment or further study.

Research-led teaching and a strong sense of purpose add breadth to Sussex's teaching and learning. Sussex is a leading research university, as reflected in the 2014 Research Excellence Framework (REF). Over 75% of research activity at Sussex is categorised as world leading (4*) or internationally excellent (3*) in terms of originality, significance and rigour. Overall, the University was placed 36th (of multi-disciplinary institutions) by grade point average (GPA).

Sussex currently ranks 38th in the UK (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2020) and 40th in the UK (The Complete University Guide 2021).

Degrees and diplomas explained

HND/HNC [BTEC Higher Nationals – licensed from Pearson, awarded direct or by LSBU]

With a qualification that meets employer needs you will be equipped with both academic and practical skills, ensuring you leave with the experience required by business and industry and with the flexibility to go straight into employment or top-up to a full Bachelor's [BA/BSc Hons] degree with an additional year of full-time study or two years of part-time study.

FdA/FdSc [Foundation Degrees – awarded by Plymouth University]

A foundation degree is a Level 5 stand alone qualification, similar to Higher Nationals, usually delivered in 2 years full-time or 4 years part-time. A foundation certificate at level 4 can be awarded after 1 year full-time study or 2 years part-time study. All our foundation degrees combine academic study with work placements. A foundation degree can be topped up to a full Bachelor's [BA/BSc Hons] degree with an additional year of full-time study or two years of part-time study.

BSc / BA [Top-up (Hons) Degrees – awarded by Plymouth University & LSBU]

A “top-up” honours degree is a Level 6 qualification that develops higher-level skills and understanding to work towards a career in management, research and academic pathways. They are designed as the progression route for students who have already achieved an HND or a foundation degree in a relevant or similar subject.

BA [Honours Degree – awarded by the University of Sussex]

This is a full three year programme awarded at level 6. The level indicates the requirement of the profession associated with the degree which in our case, is Social Work. For this reason, the entry requirements for the BA [Hons] is higher than for Higher Nationals and Foundation Degrees.

Higher and Degree Apprenticeships

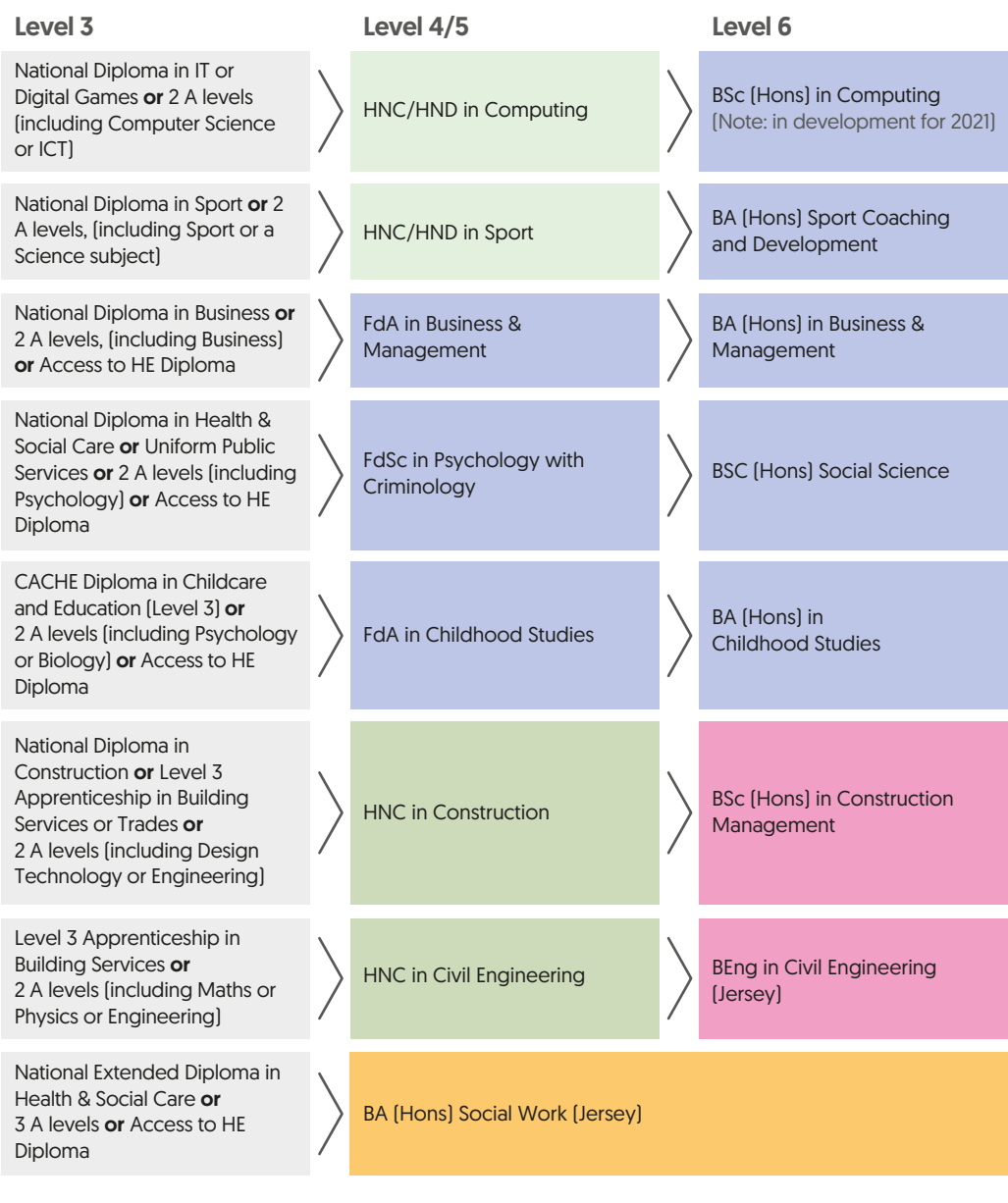
UCJ offers higher or degree apprenticeships in partnership with the Skills Jersey Trackers Apprenticeship programme. It enables UCJ qualifications to be studied whilst working. Apprentices are expected to be working approximately 30 hrs a week, and attend college part-time. Higher and Degree apprentices are supported in their employment by an experienced mentor from Skills Jersey's Trackers programme. Applicants considering this route to higher level study should contact Trackers directly.

Tel: 01534 449180
email: trackers@gov.je



The annual graduation ceremony, attended by dignitaries from all of our partner universities, is the culmination of a student's higher education journey, and a fantastic opportunity to celebrate success with family and friends. Students process through the streets of St Helier in their robes and mortar boards, confirming their status as graduates of their awarding universities. Graduation is always warmly anticipated and fondly remembered.

Learning Pathways to a Degree



Key:

Degrees awarded by Plymouth University

HNC/HNDs awarded directly by Pearson/BTEC

HNC/HNDs awarded by LSBU under licence from Pearson/BTEC

Degrees awarded by London South Bank University

Degree awarded by University of Sussex



Georgena Piziura

Level 3 Diploma in Childcare and Education Graduate
BSc (Hons) Degree in Joint Social Sciences Graduate



My learning journey with Highlands College began when I enrolled on the Level 3 diploma in Childcare. I wasn't quite sure of my next steps, however following a talk at the college about social science, my interest in politics was piqued and it became apparent to me that this was the career path I wished to follow. After completing my diploma, I embarked upon the BSc (Hons) Degree in Joint Social Sciences.

Work placements form an integral part of any degree at UCJ, and for mine I was fortunate to be able to work at the heart of local politics. I shadowed the Deputy Greffe on various projects including women's right to vote, and was also given responsibility to carry out action research, interviews, and surveys with the States Greffe regarding people with disabilities working in different sectors.

I also chose to become very involved with college life and by the end of my degree was 'Student Course Representative', 'Head Student Ambassador' and 'Lead Course Representative' for Plymouth University. Each of these roles has provided me with wonderful networking opportunities that I plan to build upon.

I am extremely grateful to the College for supporting me, and for the opportunity to follow my ambitions.

Welcome to University College Jersey (UCJ)

UCJ is the Higher Education (HE) Department of Highlands College. The UCJ team has been delivering degree level education to Jersey students for over 25 years, and the department has grown to accommodate more than 200 full and part time students from all ages and walks of life. We are proud that, year on year, our degree students achieve academic results which far exceed the UK average.

Internationally recognised

All our HE courses are internationally recognised and are delivered in partnership with mainland universities (University of Plymouth, University of Sussex and London South Bank University). As a result of our partnerships, many of our courses have progression routes / pathways and 'top up' options that mean you can continue elements of your studies in the UK for that 'off-island' experience.

Employability and Work Placements

Working with the Employability team at Highlands College and over 100 local businesses, charities and schools, UCJ offers an extended work-placement on every one of our degrees. These placements offer students the chance to make important connections between their academic learning and the real world of work, as well as developing soft and transferable skills, and a professional network. It is this unique process of work-based learning which ensures that our graduates have the skills and dispositions that employers seek; in 2019 - more than 90% of UCJ graduates were in graduate-level employment or post-graduate study within 3 months of completing their studies.

Where you'll be a name and not a number

We typically use classrooms as teaching spaces, which means you will enjoy a quality, and personalised learning experience with plenty of opportunities to ask questions, receive feedback, and become friends with your classmates. Your lecturers will get to know you, understand your needs, and provide the support you require to be successful in your studies. You will receive plenty of contact time in lessons and will also be allocated a personal tutor with whom you will be able to discuss any course matters or personal concerns you may have during regular 1-1 tutorials.

Online Learning

Every course will have an element of online learning.

future career opportunities

UCJ has some of the highest rates of graduate employment in the UK. This is due to the strong partnerships we have with local industry professionals who offer work placements to our students as part of their degree programme. Focusing on linking theory based learning with practical application through work placements ensures students get a real understanding of how their degree will influence their chosen career path.

THE UCJ. experience

New York Trip

This biennial study trip is a highlight of the academic calendar at UCJ. The six day excursion takes in points of interest including the United Nations, UNESCO, Wall Street, the Federal Reserve Bank and the American Museum of Natural History. We also see a Broadway show, reach the top of the Empire State Building, enjoy a boat cruise to the Statue of Liberty and a basketball game at Madison Square Garden.

Freshers' Week

Your student life at UCJ starts with Freshers' week; an ideal opportunity to meet other students across all of the degree programmes through a week of fun and interesting activities. Apart from getting to know your peers and the programme teams in ice-breaking sessions, your skills and social interaction will be tested through a range of stimulating challenges. Students work in teams to design and build products which are then tested competitively. A treasure hunt of the campus ensures that you familiarise yourself with those important locations, and a full day of outdoor activities builds character and friendships. Students and staff mingle socially whilst kayaking, coasteering and learning how to survive in the wild!

Annual Trip to Nepal

Since a devastating earthquake hit the country in 2015, a group of students and members of Highlands College staff has travelled out to the Lamjung region of Nepal each year. There the College coordinates an English and Wellbeing programme for children in association with Jersey Overseas Aid and the Gurkha Welfare Trust Jersey.

The Shree Guanda School has been rebuilt, so the project's focus is to ensure the school is sustainable and has adequate resources for the children. Highlands College students, with the support of staff, are responsible for planning and delivering English lessons as well as implementing a wellbeing programme for the local children.

London Trip

First year students on the Construction Management degree can undertake a residential week at London South Bank University. Students receive tuition for their Research Project module and the trip offers the opportunity to engage with international students on campus. They also access specialist science and material laboratories, enjoy a social evening with LSBU staff and go on a specialised site visit in London.

Mature Students

There is no typical mature student. Some students come to us after starting a family, others for a career change, or simply to continue a lifelong love of learning.

If you have had a break from education, returning to study might seem a little daunting. At UCJ you can relax knowing you will not be alone; our classes are made up of adults from lots of different backgrounds. Alumni tell us that they have developed enduring friendships through their shared learning experiences.

We appreciate that for many mature students the transition to university can be challenging. In recognition of this you are allocated a personal tutor who is your first point of contact should you find yourself struggling, whether it's with time management or balancing studying with work and family commitments. We also have a network of support services, including study skills workshops, to ensure you have what you need to succeed.



As a mature student, having the opportunity to study for this degree in Jersey has enabled me to pursue a career change with minimal impact on my young family. I have thoroughly enjoyed studying at UCJ and have found the tutors to be knowledgeable, supportive and passionate about their subjects. Having small class sizes has been a hugely positive aspect of studying for a degree in Jersey, as have the opportunities to complete work placements and obtain vital experience without needing to travel to the UK. Whilst this degree has given me a broad and in-depth understanding of the global issues impacting childhood and education, the local work experience has provided me with a good understanding of the local childcare and education environment and has helped me to develop useful contacts and relationships within the industry.

Gemma Baigent

Year 2, Childhood Studies
Supply Teaching Assistant



Supporting you

We pride ourselves on the highest standards of pastoral care. We appreciate that for many students the transition from school to university, where you are required to study more independently, can be challenging. This can be equally difficult for students returning to study after a break in education. In recognition of this you are allocated a personal tutor, who is your first point of contact should you find yourself struggling with your course. In addition, we also run workshops on study skills which can include note-taking, essay writing and time-management, and have drop-in sessions where you can access additional support

Careers Advice

Our Employability Team can provide information and advice on employment options, interview techniques, writing your CV, and more. You can access one-to-one interviews, drop-in sessions, and a wealth of information to make sure you have the right skills and knowledge for your chosen profession.

Academic Support

We offer innovative and targeted learning support to help all students achieve their full potential. If you feel you might need support, please mention this in your application or when you first meet your tutor. We can then ensure you get the right type and level of support for your needs.

Student Life Team

Our friendly Student Life team are on hand to help you with any problems you may encounter while studying, and make sure you know about the services available to you.

Our dedicated team provides:

- Emotional health and well-being support
- Financial support
- Counselling service
- Student Voice and Student Ambassador opportunities
- Enrichment activities
- A link to outside agencies in the community
- Support with safeguarding situations
- Small group chat and well-being activity sessions

The Student Life Team can be contacted directly by you or with the assistance of your Personal Tutor or other agencies. Call into our office in the Café Connect Lounge or contact us via telephone or email.

Contact

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E student.life@highlands.ac.uk

Facebook @HighlandsStudentLife

Disability Support

Any student with a pre-existing disability, including mental health, of at least 6 months, may be entitled to a Disability Students' Allowance. Please contact Student Finance via gov.je for further information.



support

when you need it

**As a UCI student
we want you to be
happy, supported
and achieve
academic success...
in that order!**

Access to a range of modern facilities

- Learning Resource Centre – library and reference support
- Campus wide printing, scanning and copying facilities
- Office 365 – Bring your own device to class
- Quiet study areas & hot desks
- Campus-wide Superfast WIFI
- Dedicated UCJ Lounge
- Breakout areas



how to apply to UCJ

All applications can be made online through the Highlands College website:

www.highlands.ac.uk/university-college-jersey/

Once you have submitted your application and have met the requirements, you will be invited for interview. You will be advised on any further preparation for the interview for your course.

All applications can be made online through the Highlands College website: www.highlands.ac.uk/university-college-jersey/

If you are unsure of anything or have any questions, contact us directly:

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E ucadmin@highlands.ac.uk
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Student Finance

If you are applying to study for a Diploma or Degree for the first time and you are a Jersey resident, you may be eligible to apply to Student Finance to have your Tuition Fees paid for by the Government of Jersey. Depending upon your family or personal income you may also be eligible for a maintenance grant and social security support. See pages 20.

Contact Student Finance

Open Monday to Friday 8:30am – 4:30pm

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Studying at UCJ has allowed me to build a new career for myself and I am grateful to the tutors who helped me along the way.

Students must be at least 18 on the 1st September 2020 in order to apply to any higher education courses at UCJ.

How to fund your course

The Government of Jersey provides financial help for Jersey students who want to study for their first undergraduate degree or other recognised higher education course at University College Jersey.

The amount you receive is means-tested and has two elements:

- Tuition fees: Up to £9,250 per year.
- Maintenance Grant: Up to £7,500 for a standard academic year. This helps to pay some of the living expenses, including accommodation, food and books.

You are entitled to apply for funding if you or your parents have lived in Jersey for long enough and meet the academic standard. The requirements vary depending on which course you want to study and whether you are:

- A dependent student – living with their parents and under 25 on 31 August of the year their course starts.
- An independent student – aged 25 and over or living financially independently for three years before the course starts or married and over 21.

You need to apply for funding well before your course starts to be sure of receiving a grant for the beginning of term. You can apply any time from January 2021 for your course starting in September 2021. You should submit an application before 31 March 2021.

If you have any queries about your application or eligibility please look in the first instance at the student finance 2021/22 booklet on gov.je and if you are still unsure contact student finance on studentfinance@gov.je

The initial application form is called HE1 and can be completed online at:

www.gov.je/applyforstudentfinance

Note: this information is correct at the time of going to press. Applicants can get up to date information by searching for "student finance" on the gov.je website. All courses are subject to minimum enrolment.



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You could have the opportunity to work with one of our award winning companies on high profile projects which include the Jersey International Finance Centre, Premier Inn and Weighbridge House.

For more information on roles, please look at the careers section on **www.garenne.je** or on the careers pages of the following websites. Should you require any further information, please contact careers@garenne.je tel 726420.



www.amalgamatedfm.com



www.camerons.je



www.geomarine.je



www.granitelepelley.je

Access to Higher Education: Diploma in Social Science or Science

Pre-degree course 1 year | Full time

Why choose this course?

- Enables students who are over 19 years of age, who have **not** previously gained a Level 3 qualification (A level or equivalent), to study towards a degree
- For students aged 24 years, or over, who wish to return to study at higher education level, to update their knowledge and prepare for degree level study
- Designed for students without the pre-requisite qualifications, who aspire to degree-level study
- Prepares students for higher-level study in their chosen career path

What will I learn?

This programme is an intensive 1 year course, which is both challenging and thorough.

Study of psychology, criminology and counselling and sociology (social science pathway), study of chemistry, biology and psychology (science pathway). Development of core academic skills, using information technology to prepare you for university.

Course Fees

There is a subscription and examination fee payable for this course by all students of £129. For students wishing to study this course to improve their existing Level 3 qualifications the full course fee of £3,200 is payable (subject to review).

This course is **NOT** eligible for a student finance grant. The college offers a part-payment plan to spread the cost of the course.

Income Support

This is recognised as a Critical Skills course by the Department of Social Security. If you can demonstrate your intention and are a suitable applicant for a career in **Nursing** or **Social Work** you can continue to receive income support and housing benefit payments while you are studying.

How do I qualify?

Interview

- Demonstrate the potential to study at Level 3 (A level)
- Show a desire to progress to higher education
- Demonstrate a clear understanding of how to achieve your HE goals, including routes to university
- You must be aged 19 or over and not studied at Level 3 before to have your fees waived

If you are aged 24 or over you must demonstrate your intention to apply for a course in higher education.

Entry requirements

GCSE

You must have a minimum grade C or 4 in English Language and maths **before** you apply for the course.

You must be able to demonstrate your ability to study at level 3 at interview.


Where can I go from here?

Students have progressed onto degree courses at UCJ and social science and sciences degrees at a number of UK universities. The Access course offers a sound preparation for degree-level study through a range of teaching, learning and assessment strategies.

Progression route from Highlands College

BA (Hons) Social Work, FdSc in Psychology with Criminology or FdA in Childhood Studies.

Local Nursing degree and UK Universities via UCAS.



I'm so glad this course was available to me. I feel ready now to go to university and do everything I always hoped I could but never had the tools or support for

Paul Hall, Access to HE and BSc (Hons)
Social Sciences Graduate

Diploma in Art and Design (UAL)

Foundation Studies [Level 3] Pre-degree course

1 year | Full time

Why choose this course?

This one-year, Level 3 (A level equivalent) course is designed for students who wish to further their study of Art & Design at university, or who are aiming for a career in the creative industries. It is aimed at learners who wish to further their studies in art and design but may not have had the opportunity to develop the necessary skills.

An exciting and practical full time programme which allows students to explore a wide range of media and techniques, the flexible design of the course makes it a favourite with mature students and school-leavers alike. All of the tutors on the programme are professional artists and designers and students have the opportunity to visit galleries and museums both on-island and in the UK.

Course Fees

There is a subscription and materials fee payable for this course by all students of £129. For students who are 19 or over and do not intend to progress to a Degree in Art and Design off-island, the full course fee of £3,200 may be payable (subject to review). You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.je for more information.

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What will I learn?

This course gives a strong grounding in a range of creative skills and disciplines, including, but not limited to: drawing, painting, printmaking, photography, ceramics, 3D design, textiles, fashion and sculpture. Students will gain a clearer understanding of their potential area of specialism prior to degree level study. Learning takes place in the creative surroundings of our art studios, where artists work side-by-side and are able to comment on and critique each other's work.

The course comprises seven units:

Learning skills and context

Unit 1: Art and design research methods

Unit 2: Art and design ideas development

Unit 3: Art and design materials and methods

Unit 4: Art and design evaluation and reflection

Development and progression

Unit 5: Integrated art and design research ideas and methods

Unit 6: Preparation for progression in art and design

Proposal and realisation

Unit 7: Project proposal and realisation in art and design



students
work
alongside
practicing
artists who
are able to
support,
comment
and critique
their work

Sarah Jordan
Programme Leader

Entry requirements

BTEC/OCR/UAL
Level 3 merit or better

A level

One A level in Art or related creative subject

Successful Interview and pre-entry task

Applicants must be 18 or over

A suitable portfolio of art and design work

Satisfactory references

Mature students or those with alternative qualifications or experience will be considered on an individual basis.

Where can I go from here?

Students from this course have an excellent track record of progressing on to degree courses at prestigious UK art schools and universities. This includes architecture at Plymouth University, graphic design at Brighton University, fine art at St Martin's and fashion & textiles at Bournemouth University of the Arts.

Business & Management

University of Plymouth Foundation Degree (FdA)

2 years | Full time

Leading to: Business & Management | University of Plymouth
BA (Hons) Degree | 1 year | Full time

Why choose this course?

- Prepares you for a fulfilling career at management level in a wide range of industries
- Exciting work placement opportunities in a range of industries including financial services, retail, hospitality and public sector
- Develop your professional network through dedicated work experience
- Higher potential for job opportunities and offers on completion

What will I learn?

From the fundamentals of business accounting to strategic decision-making, students on this programme experience the full diet of business skills. Modules align with the professional work placements and are fully supported by a dedicated mentor and personal tutor, encouraging students to apply and reflect on knowledge acquired in the classroom whilst in the work context.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year. [subject to review]

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1 (FdA)

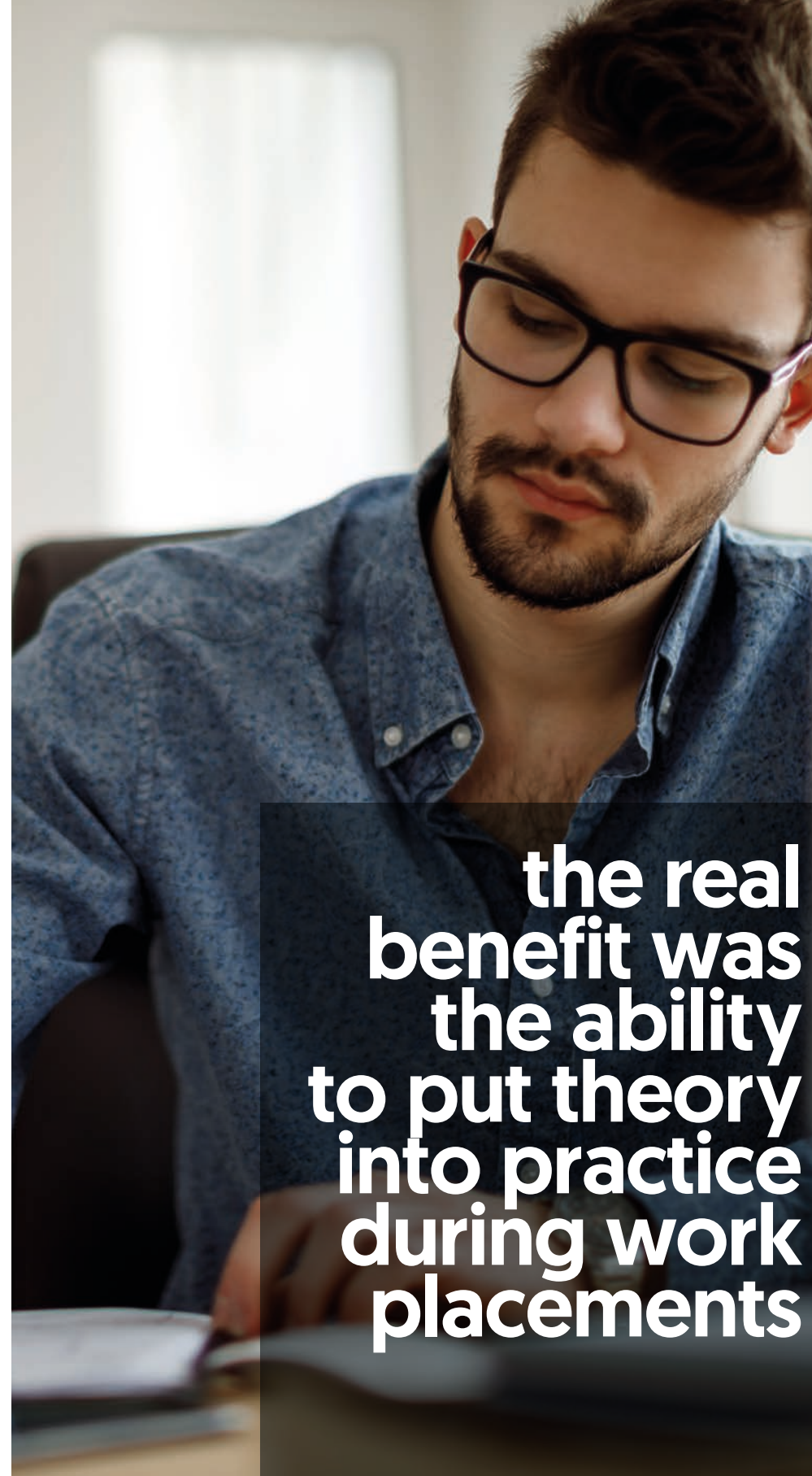
- Business law and financial services regulation
- Business relationship and customer service management
- Financial Markets and Investment 1
- Business accounting

Year 2 (FdA)

- Macro and Micro economics
- People and organisations
- Research, analysis and decision-making
- Operations and process management
- Marketing
- Financial Markets and Investment 2

Year 3 (BA Hons)

- Honours project or Consultancy project
- Innovation and Enterprise
- Business ethics and corporate governance
- Leading people and managing change
- Corporate Strategy



Entry requirements

UCAS
Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC
Level 3 - Minimum of 2 Merits

A level
Two at grade C or above

Access to HE
Comparable grade profile

GCSE
Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Jersey Progression Diploma
Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher

Complete a written task
Pass interview

Where can I go from here?

Students have been recruited into a range of trainee positions in Trust, Banking, Investment Management, Retail and HR. Starting salaries average around £25-35K, and most students have a firm job offer in hand before graduation.

Progression route from Highlands 6th Form College

BTEC National Diploma in Business (Level 3)

64 UCAS points with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher.

Success Stories



I decided to study the degree structure as learning in class is very different from learning in a practical environment. UCJ combines class study with work placements which was extremely beneficial to my development and career.

Work placements give you the opportunity to sell yourself to your chosen organisations. I found a natural enjoyment and passion for HR and decided to pursue this as a career. I wouldn't have had this opportunity without the work placements. Studying with UCJ improved my confidence and skills, gave me opportunities to network in Jersey and ultimately resulted in me finding my current job and a career I love.

Emma Pannenburg

UCJ Graduate & HR Executive, Sanne Group

Employer Partners

Affinity Private Wealth
Alter Domus
Appleby Global Group Services Limited
Ashburton Investments
BDO Greenlight
Citi International Bank
Deutsche Bank International Limited
HSBC Bank International Limited
Intertrust
Investec Trust (Jersey) Limited
IPES Jersey
JFSC

Langham Hall
MasonBreese
Mourant Ozannes
Ogier
RBC
Sanne Group
Santander Private Banking
State Street Bank and Trust Company
States of Jersey
UBS
Waitrose



The work placement during my studies provided me with invaluable work experience and allowed me to put the theory learned throughout the course into practice

Sam Stirling

Management Consultant, MasonBreese



The decision and opportunity to study for my degree at UCJ was a no-brainer, both from a personal and a financial perspective

Additionally, the work placement during my studies provided me with invaluable work experience and allowed me to put the theory learned throughout the course into practice.

UCJ operates on a smaller scale than the UK-based universities that I considered, the class sizes were far smaller and as a result there were increased opportunities for students to interact with the lecturers during and outside of classes.

The Business & Management modules are varied, enabling students to gain a broad understanding of different aspects of the industry. In addition, there is a nice balance when comparing international and local business environments.

Studying at UCJ enabled me to develop a network of contacts - despite being a small jurisdiction, Jersey possesses a large and broad business sector which is full of easily approachable skilled professionals. Most notably, for my dissertation I interviewed professionals from nine different businesses which arguably would have been a significant challenge if I were studying at a university in the UK.

Sam graduated from UCJ in 2019 with a First-Class BA (Hons) Business and Management degree and successfully applied to join the MasonBreese Change Academy. While studying in the Academy programme, Sam has been working inside a global client as a MasonBreese Management Consultant. He supports the client with many aspects of their change management needs, including using the latest data analytic software and supporting the client's blockchain development.

Childhood Studies

University of Plymouth Foundation Degree (FdA)

2 Years | Full time • 4 Years | Part Time

Leading to: Childhood studies | University of Plymouth BA (Hons) Degree (Top up) | 1 year Full time | 2 years Part time

Why choose this course?

- Receive an in-depth understanding of childhood studies from birth to 16 years
- Increase your knowledge, creativity and advocacy for young children and their families
- Option to study a third year BA (Hons) top-up year at UCJ or Plymouth University, or another relevant Higher Education Institution
- Exciting work placements provide key experience to increase your skills and employability

What will I learn?

Modules are designed to equip you to support children of all ages, with emphasis on the critical early years. Explore all areas of child development, build your skills in planning, carry out observations and research methodologies. You will also attend Professional Development sessions and create a portfolio to evidence your learning.

Weekly work-placements are fully supported by a dedicated coach and personal tutor, encouraging you to apply and reflect on knowledge acquired in the classroom. You can achieve a 'Licence to Practice', allowing you to work with children in Jersey on completion of your work placement.



Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year full time and £4,045 per year part time [subject to review].

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1 (FdA)

- Professional development
- Include me – Perspectives on disability
- Children's rights and welfare
- Today's child
- Understanding children's learning and development
- Provision for children

Year 2 (FdA)

- Children in society
- Physical movement in the lives of children
- Children's workforce – Management and leadership
- Child development is for the future adult
- Who am I?
- Multi-agency working and the impact on children

Third year top-up BA (Hons)

- Honours project
- Consultancy in childcare
- Curriculum, planning and assessment
- Key issues in childhood and youth studies
- Strategic, operational and multi-agency management

studying
at UCJ has
been an
inspiring
and
stimulating
experience

Morgan Gilson
Year 1, Childhood Studies student

Entry requirements

UCAS
Minimum of 96 UCAS points

BTEC
Level 3 - Minimum
3 Merits

A level
3 at grade C or above

CACHE
Level 3 - Minimum Merit

Baccalaureate
24 International points

Access to HE
Comparable grade
profile

GCSE
Min. 5 GCSEs grade C
or 4, including Maths
& English

**Jersey Progression
Diploma**
Min. 2 x Merit Grades
with GCSE English
& Maths at grade C
or 4 or higher

Successful interview
All candidates must
undergo an enhanced
DBS check for their
work placement.

Mature applicants will
be considered on an
individual basis.

Civil Engineering

LSBU Higher National Certificate
[licenced from Pearson/BTEC]

2 Years | Part Time

Leading to: BEng (Hons) Civil Engineering | 2 years | Part time

Why choose this course?

- Designed with the Civil Engineering sector in Jersey
- The first step on your career journey to becoming a civil engineer. Civil and structural engineers work on buildings of all kinds, transport and communications infrastructure, including bridges, roads, tunnels, canals and other large structures
- Progress to a civil engineering degree
- Learn from industry specialists

What will I learn?

Civil engineering is a combination of many scientific specialisms, including mechanics, hydraulics, geotechnics [using knowledge of the earth's crust to solve construction problems], materials science and statistical analysis.

You'll learn to apply mathematics and scientific knowledge (particularly physics) to real-life situations and problems that arise from creating and maintaining structures, taking into account environmental, financial, legal and ethical considerations.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £4,625 per year (subject to review). There is an additional cost of £1,550, which covers all expenses for a residential at LSBU in London.

You can apply to Student Finance to have your fees paid.

Year 1 (HNC)

- Construction Practice
- Materials and Geology
- Engineering Mechanics B

Year 2 (HNC)

- Engineering Surveying
- Mathematics B
- Structures and Construction Technology B

Higher Apprenticeship

This course was developed in partnership with Skills Jersey as a Higher Apprenticeship through Trackers. The Apprenticeship route provides mentoring in the workplace and the employer and employee apply through Trackers for this route. Students who are in employment can apply directly to UCJ to study this course part-time and apply to student finance to have their fees paid.



Entry requirements

BTEC
National Diploma MPP

A level
Minimum EEE

Access to HE
with 45 passes

Equivalent level 3 qualifications worth 64 UCAS points supported by substantial relevant work experience

Level 3 qualifications must include Maths &/or Physical Science

GCSE
Jersey Progression Diploma: Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher

Progression route from Highlands 6th Form College
Level 3 Apprenticeship in Building Services or BTEC National in Construction

For international students:
IELTS score of 6.0 or Cambridge Proficiency or Advanced Grade C

Where can I go from here?

Successful students will be able to progress onto the BEng (Hons) Civil Engineering degree.

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Civil Engineering

B Eng (Hons) Civil Engineering

3 Years | Part Time

Why choose this course?

- Study part-time whilst continuing to earn, and learn your trade
- Full Trackers apprenticeship support
- Partnership with a leading provider of Engineering education – ranked 3rd for teaching quality (Sunday Times Good University Guide 2020)
- Experienced lecturing staff, working currently in industry
- The careers opportunities available to graduates of civil engineering are very diverse, from working as an engineering technician, surveyor or inspector of construction, to employment as a drafter creating visual guidelines for construction teams
- Diversification into management, engineering research or professions that value a numerical degree such as accountancy or banking has also historically been a possibility. Wherever an economy is strong there is an increase in demand for professionally qualified civil engineers, so overseas travel is also a possibility

What will I learn?

You'll study theory and practice relating to the many diverse areas of civil engineering.

The course covers (please note these are indicative):

Year 1

- Hydraulics
- Design of Elements
- EBIM and Design
- Structures and Constructions Management

Year 2

- Advanced Mathematics
- Soil Mechanics
- Structures and Design
- Group Design Project

Year 3

- Highway Engineering
- Geotechnical Engineering
- Environmental Engineering and PD
- Indiv Research Project

Higher Apprenticeship

This course was developed in partnership with Skills Jersey as a Higher Apprenticeship through Trackers. The Apprenticeship route provides mentoring in the workplace and the employer and employee apply through Trackers for this route. Students who are in employment can apply directly to UCJ to study this course part-time and apply to student finance to have their fees paid.

Studying individual modules as CPD is also possible, subject to having the prerequisite qualifications or experience.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £5,930 per year (subject to review). You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.je for more information.

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Entry requirements

This course is a progression route from the HNC Civil Engineering at UCJ.

Successful HNC students can progress straight onto the B Eng (Hons)

Applications from candidates with significant relevant professional experience or other related qualifications will be considered on their own merits.

Computing

Pearson/BTEC Higher National Diploma (HND)

2 Years | Full time

Why choose this course?

The course aims to widen access to higher education and enhance career prospects.

On successful completion of the Level 5 Higher National Diploma, students can develop their careers in the computing sector through:

- Entering employment;
- Continuing existing employment;
- Gaining vendor certification (eg CopTIA, CISCO, Microsoft, Oracle);
- Committing to Continuing Professional Development (CPD); or
- Progressing to university.
- Well trained and well paid technology technicians at level 4 or 5 are in high demand right across Jersey and the course will give you the qualifications you need to succeed at this level.

A qualification that will also fast-track you to an Honours degree at a range of UK universities.

What will I learn?

You will become equipped with computing skills, knowledge and the understanding necessary to achieve high performance in the global computing environment.

You will acquire a thorough grounding in computing principles at Level 4 that leads you to a range of specialist progression pathways at Level 5.



Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year (subject to review).

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.je for more information.

Year 1 (HNC)

Eight units covering

- Programming
- Networking
- Professional Practice
- Database Design & Development
- Security
- Managing a Successful Computing Project
- Software Development Lifecycles
- Website Design & Development

Year 2 (HND)

There are two pathways in the HND year:

- Computing and Games Development

Two Core Mandatory units covering:

- Computing Research Project
- Business Intelligence

Five units from the following:

- Network Management
- Information Security Management
- Cloud Computing
- Artificial Intelligence
- App Development
- Games Development
- Games Engine Scripting
- Game Design Theory

New for 2020-2022, we will be offering a Games Development pathway in the second year of the HND course.

Success Stories

By 25, I'd completed the Level 3 BTEC Extended Diploma in IT and loved every minute of it, so when I was told about the programme at UCJ and that it was available here on-island, I was extremely interested. What really swayed it for me was the Work Placement element as it would be a great way to see exactly what was on offer and hopefully build a career from it. I'm very proud to have found my specialism and career all at the same time. I joined C5 Alliance in 2014 on a Work Placement and have never looked back. Currently, I am a Consultant in the Technical Solutions Team. I really can't thank the UCJ staff and my employer enough for their patience and guidance which helped me forge the path to where I am today!

Richie Shuster, IT for Business Graduate Consultant for C5 Alliance, Jersey

Entry requirements

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC

National Extended Diploma MPP

A level

Minimum DDE

GCSE

5 GCSEs A-C (grade 4 or above including English & Maths)

Jersey Progression Diploma in IT

Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher

Where can I go from here?

Students enter roles in IT strategy and support in business across a range of sectors, from financial services to consulting. Students can progress to a top-up year see page 38 for a full BSc (Hons) degree.

Highlands College 6th Form Progression Routes

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT (Minimum MPP).

Computing

BSc [Hons] Computing – September 2021 start

University of Plymouth [subject to validation]

1 Years | Full time / 2 Years | Part time

Why choose this course?

- Achieve a Level 6 qualification on-island in the digital industries
- Develop effective industry knowledge and workplace skills
- Gain a critical understanding of the key concepts of data, web, security and the Internet of Things
- Develop expertise in applying your learning in a real-world context

What will I learn?

The course provides you with the opportunity to further develop the digital skills you will have acquired through your studies of a related HND or foundation degree, or developed during time in the workplace. The programme aims to develop a greater depth and breadth of core subject areas, as well as a more critical and evaluative approach, through project work and extended, self-directed assignments.

This knowledge will underpin your workplace skills, preparing you to be an effective technician or manager in the digital sector.

The course has strong links with providers from across the range of the industry, including Digital Jersey, and is resourced comprehensively, providing graduates with the hand-on experience they require. The skills sought by employers are developed through a strong focus on vocational learning and industry application.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 full-time and £4,045 part-time [subject to review].

You can apply to Student Finance to have your fees paid.

Indicative Content

- 1 Year Full-time
- Web and Cloud Security
- Advanced Networks
- The Internet of Things
- Big Data and Data Mining
- Full Stack Development
- Computing Project



Construction

LSBU Higher National Certificate
[licenced from Pearson/BTEC]

2 years | Part time

Leading to: BSc (Hons) Construction Management | 2 years | Part time

Why choose this course?

- If you work in the construction industry and are seeking to further your career
- Gain an industry-recognised qualification
- Prepares you to progress to Construction Management, Surveying & Architectural Technology degree disciplines
- Develops your knowledge and skills to fulfil a range of technical and managerial work in the sector
- Prepares you for promotion and new career opportunities
- Increase your employability through the vocational approach to teaching

What will I learn?

You will learn about construction technology and materials, the legal and economic context, building services and environmental science, construction technology and structures, surveying and setting out, architectural design and technology and building pathology. You will also complete a project and be supported in classes that will help develop your academic skills for this level of study. With emphasis on managerial training, you will develop your ability to tackle and take responsibility for projects throughout the construction industry.

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Progression

This course leads onto the BSc (Hons) Construction Management. For details see page 36.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £4,045 per year (subject to review).

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1

- Supporting Studies
- Construction Technology & Materials (A-level & Craft entrants)
- Building Pathology
- Project (BTEC Diploma entrants)
- Legal & Economic Context in the Built Environment

Year 2

- Construction Technology 2 & Structures
- Building Services & Environmental Science
- Surveying & Setting Out



the
support
I receive
at the
college is
excellent

Year 1 Construction Diploma student

Entry requirements

UCAS
Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC
National Diploma MPP

A level
Minimum DDE

Baccalaureate
24 International points

Access to HE
15 Merits and 30 Passes
or Level 3 qualification
equivalent including Science

GCSE
5 GCSEs A-C (grade 4
or above) including English &
Maths

Jersey Progression Diploma
Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE
English & Maths at grade C
or 4 or higher

We welcome applications with
significant relevant industrial
experience.

Progression route from Highlands 6th Form College

National Diploma in Construction
or Level 3 Apprenticeship in
Building Services or Trades.

Where can I go from here?

The programme covers a
range of construction industry
pathways, including Project
Management, Quantity
Surveying, Structural Engineering
and Construction Work. Many
graduates progress onto the
BSc (Hons) in Construction
Management, either directly
or after a study break. Studying
Construction Management
would be a useful route for
various Surveying disciplines
and provide strong career
enhancement for more senior
positions within the industry.

Construction

LSBU BSc (Hons) Construction Management

2 years | Fast-track degree

Why choose this degree?

- Qualify in an industry that's in high-demand for professionals
- Professionally accredited by the Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)
- Develop skills to lead multi-disciplinary project teams
- Gain up-to-date knowledge of legislation and regulations
- Develop the ability to deliver in complex project environments

What will I learn?

The course provides you with a breadth of technical and managerial expertise in construction, preparing you to face exciting and demanding challenges within the industry. It offers the opportunity to use modern equipment within a well-resourced environment.

The knowledge gained enables you to have the confidence to work with other professionals in this exciting, fast-paced and competitive industry. Construction Management can be a fantastic career for those who love buildings, working with people and want to work in a professional capacity. This course will prepare you for a career in a range of fields within the building environment, including Project Management, Contracting, Consultancy

and Residential building. The course will enable you to develop a wide range of employability skills through the emphasis on a vocational approach to teaching.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year (subject to review). This is a "fast-track" full time equivalent 2 year degree programme.

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1 – level 5

- Production Management
- Construction Contract Law
- Measurement 1 & Documentation
- Construction Planning
- Estimating & Tendering Process
- Management of Organisation

Year 2 – level 6

- Research Project Module
- Contract Administration (Non QS)
- Sustainable Construction & the Environment
- Construction Management Project
- Project Management
- Corporate Management & Finance

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Entry requirements

HNC in Construction
Merit grade

Progression route from UCJ

HNC in Construction

Successful Interview

You should preferably be working in an appropriate area of the construction industry. You will need the approval and support of your employer to release you from work for the block weeks and evening classes.

Where can I go from here?

The course leads on to careers at a higher level within the construction industry. Graduates enter fulfilling careers in the local and international construction industry. You can further your studies with a MSc Construction Project Management off-island, or seek to gain professional membership of the Chartered Institute of Building.

Diploma in Digital Leadership

Level 6 qualification

2 years | Full time • 2 years | Part time

Why choose this programme?

The Digital Leadership Programme is a brand new 2-year course that teaches the skills to create the leaders and entrepreneurs of the future.

Developed in partnership with industry, it delivers the skills and experience needed for today's fast changing workplace and prepares you for the jobs of the future. The course is taught in a brand new custom-built facility by leading academics, industry practitioners and world-class experts.

What will I learn?

The course covers a wide range of business, creative and technology topics that combine to provide the right skills to allow students to become the business leaders and entrepreneurs of the future.

Bolt-on qualifications

When studying full time, students will also achieve the following regulated qualifications:

- Chartered Institute of Marketing Diploma in Professional Digital Marketing
- Chartered Management Institute Diploma in Management and Leadership

When studying part time, students will also achieve the Chartered Institute of Marketing Diploma in Professional Digital Marketing.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £9,250 per year when studied full time and £3,500 when studied part time.

2 year full time or 2 years part time

- Communications including public relations (PR)
- Technology including web and app development
- Digital marketing
- Digital design
- Media production (video, animation, podcasts, graphics and written formats)
- Business management and leadership
- Entrepreneurship including start-ups, raising finance, growth hacking and financial management
- Design thinking and innovation as well as project management skills and techniques



Delivered at the Digital Jersey Academy, a brand new custom built facility opposite the Digital Jersey Hub

Entry requirements

UCAS
Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC
Level 3 - Minimum of 2 Merits

A level
Two at grade C or above

Access to HE
Comparable grade profile

Complete a written task

Pass interview



Psychology with Criminology

University of Plymouth Foundation Degree [FdSc]

2 years | Full time • 4 years | Part time

Leading to: Social Science | University of Plymouth BSc (Hons) Degree
1 year Full time | 2 years Part time

Why choose this course?

- If you wish to pursue a career as a practicing Psychologist, Psychotherapist, Criminologist, researcher or in a range of related professional disciplines
- Developed in partnership with the School of Psychology and the School of Law, Criminology and Government at Plymouth University
- Gain a strong suite of transferable skills and experience to increase employability in chosen area
- Progress to a final year of relevant BSc (Hons) subject with Plymouth University upon successful completion

What will I learn?

Designed with the professional support of police and probation services to provide strong local and vocational relevance, this course offers a rigorous discipline of core skills development, particularly in research methods with 60% focus on Psychology and 40% on Criminology. The course offers a full understanding of theoretical and applied issues that form contemporary debate. Modules cover all key areas of Psychology, with Criminology focusing on the causes of criminal behaviour and the treatment of offenders within England & Wales and local criminal.

justice systems. You will learn what is known and not known, and come to appreciate how our present understanding of people and their behaviour is based on an empirical tradition that emphasises the dispassionate search for truth and its application.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year full time and £4,045 per year part time [subject to review].

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1

- The Psychology of Individual Differences
- Developmental Psychology
- Applied Criminology 1
- Research Methods in the Social Sciences
- Social Psychology Theory and Practice
- Criminology and the Problem of Crime

Year 2

- The Psychology of Abnormal Behaviour
- Applied Criminology 2
- Cognitive and Biological Psychology
- Research Methods
- Criminology and Penology
- Work-based Learning



Entry requirements

UCAS

Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC

Level 3 - Minimum of 2 Merits

A level

Two at grade C or above

Access to HE

Comparable grade profile

GCSE

Min. 5 GCSEs grade C or 4, including Maths & English

Jersey Progression Diploma

Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher

Complete a written task

Pass interview.

Where can I go from here?

Students can progress to BSc (Hons) Social Sciences [see page 40 for details] at UCJ, or BSc (Hons) Psychological Studies at Plymouth University.

Studying psychology gives you a broad range of skills that span both science and the arts and opens up opportunities with a wide variety of employers. Professions include clinical or counselling psychologist; educational psychologist, health or occupational psychologist, sport and exercise psychologist.

A criminology graduate with critical thinking, analytical and communications skills, is attractive to employers inside and outside the criminal justice sector. Careers in criminology include Community Development worker, Police officer, Prison officer, Probation officer, Social worker and Youth worker.



Social Sciences

University of Plymouth BSc (Hons) Degree (Top-Up)

1 Year | Full time • 2 Year | Part Time

Why choose this degree?

- You're interested in the study of people in society and how they relate to each other
- Offers a work-based research opportunity which develops key skills and increases employability in key sectors
- Prepares you for further study in specialist areas such as social work, teaching etc.

What will I learn?

This course includes Sociology, Social Psychology, Globalisation, Criminology and Research methods which give you skills to undertake your own research in the final year of the course. It teaches a broad overview of how society is built, theories and perspectives that show how individuals relate to each other and institutions. The degree has been written to reflect the special features of Jersey's society and students have the opportunity to undertake research for a local organisation.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year full time and £4,045 per year part time [subject to review].

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.je for more information.

1 Year Full time or 2 Years Part time

- Social Sciences Dissertation
- Work Based Action Research
- Psychology & Society
- Applied Psychology
- Contemporary Social Issues: Policing the Private Sphere



Entry requirements

Foundation degree or HND in a relevant subject

Merit or Distinction grade

Progression route from UCJ

FdSc in Psychology with Criminology.

Success stories

This degree allowed me to continue my part time job whilst I explored what direction I wanted to take as a career. Studying a degree on such a smaller scale allowed for a greater relationship with the tutors where a degree abroad would not be possible. I achieved a first class in my dissertation. I'm thrilled that I graduated with a 2:1 (Hons) and would highly recommend it to anyone interested in this area.

Luke Aubin,
UCJ Graduate

Social Work

University of Sussex BA (Hons) Social Work (Jersey) Degree

3 years | Full time

Why choose this course?

- This course is a recognised route to becoming a social worker
- You will be co-taught by leading academics from a world-class research university
- The course is part of the Government of Jersey's commitment to improve the support for children, young people and vulnerable adults in our community
- The course combines research, theory and practice, giving you the knowledge, skills and experience to change people's lives
- The programme is co-produced with people that have used social work services or have cared for someone that has [Equals by Experience] ensuring that their voices help shape your learning

What will I learn?

You will learn about contemporary social work practice including its history and development as a profession. You will consider the political and challenging aspects of the social work role. Social work practitioners and Equals by Experience will contribute to all aspects of the course sharing their knowledge and expertise. You will look at the key theories of human growth and development whilst exploring structural issues that impact upon people's wellbeing as a result of inequality and disadvantage. You will study both English and Jersey social work law so that you understand the

legal frameworks that mandate practice. Social work values and how they inform ethical decision-making will be examined throughout the programme.

Successful completion of the honours degree will make you eligible to apply to Social Work England to become a registered social worker.

Year 1

- Introduction to Professional Learning and Development - Part 1
- Values, Ethics and Theories
- English Law for Social Work
- Contexts of Social Work
- Human Growth & Development
- Introduction to Professional Learning and Development - Part 2

Year 2

- Social Work with Adults, their Families and Carers
- Social Work with Children, Young People and Families
- Research Methods
- Practice Learning 1 (70 days)

Year 3

- Understanding Organisations, Management and Interprofessional Practice
- Research Minded Project
- Practice Learning 2 (100 days)

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Entry requirements

UCAS Tariff Points

Typical Offer: 120+ points

International Baccalaureate

Typical offer: 30-32 points from the full IB Diploma

BTEC

Typical Offer: DDM

A level

Typical Offer: ABB - BBB

Access to HE Diploma

Typical Offer: Pass with 45 Level 3 credits at M or above of which 21-24 credits must be at D.

GCSE

5 GCSEs A-C (Grade 4 or above) and *English Language Grade C/4 or above

**Mandatory qualification – all applicants must provide evidence of this qualifications (or an equivalent award) prior to enrolment. Please note that Level 2 Literacy is not regarded as an equivalent award but Level 2 Functional skills in English is acceptable.*

Jersey Progression Diploma in Health and Social Care / Childcare

Typical Offer: MM

For International applicants

An IELTS qualification with a score of 7.0 overall must be achieved, including at least 6.5 in each component. IELTS scores are valid for two years from the test date. The score must be valid at the start of the course. Scores cannot be combined from more than one sitting of the test. We can consider an IELTS test from any test centre.

Additional Requirements

All applicants must successfully complete a selection day where their suitability to enter the social work profession will be assessed. Enrolment is dependent on the provision of satisfactory Enhanced DBS clearance, Health Declaration, proof of identity, provision or original qualification certification, funding and evidence of right to study in Jersey.

Social Work (cont.)

University of Sussex BA (Hons) Social Work (Jersey) Degree

3 years | Full time

Course Fees

The fees for this course are £9,250 per academic year (subject to review).

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.je for more information.

Contact for Course Queries

Please contact Rose Parkes, Course Leader, if you have any questions about your eligibility to apply to the programme.

Email: rose.parkes@highlands.ac.uk

Supplementary Certificates for Social Work Practice

Year 1

- *Certificate in Jersey Social Work Law [30 credits]

Year 2

- *Certificate in Social Work in the Jersey Criminal Justice System [30 credits] (subject to validation)

Year 3

- **Certificate in Managing Conflict [30 credits] (subject to validation)

*These certificates are offered in partnership with the Jersey Institute of Law.

**This certificate is currently in development.

All students on the BA (Hons) Social Work (Jersey) course will be offered the opportunity to study three additional certificates to supplement their University of Sussex BA (Hons) Social Work (Jersey) degree to ensure that they are sufficiently knowledgeable and skilled for practice in Jersey.

Successful completion of the University of Sussex BA (Hons) Social Work (Jersey) course is not dependent on achieving these additional supplementary awards.



Highlands College 6th Form Progression Routes

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Health & Social Care
Typical Offer: DDM.

Access to HE Diploma in Science / Social Sciences

Typical Offer: Pass with 45 Level 3 credits at M or above of which 21-24 credits must be at D.

Mature Applicants

Applicants over the age of 21 years are welcome to apply without the required UCAS Tariff Points if they are able to demonstrate comparable knowledge, skills and experience from employment, voluntary work or lived experience.

However, mature applicants may be encouraged to complete an Access to HE Diploma (or equivalent qualification) prior to commencement of the social work degree to provide evidence of ability to study at degree level. Mature applicants must hold the English Language mandatory qualification (or its equivalent) prior to commencement of the programme.

Sport

Pearson Higher National Certificate [HNC] and Diploma [HND]

2 years | Full time / 4 years | Part time

Why choose this course?

- To achieve high performance in the global Sport & Exercise sector
- It will provide you with an education in Sport & Exercise, including Exercise Referral Instructor, Advanced Coaching, Sports Performance and Adventure and Leisure Management
- To better understand the diversity of roles within Sport & Exercise, recognising the importance of collaboration at all levels
- To have the opportunities to enter or progress in employment in Sport & Exercise, or progress to higher education qualifications such as an Honours degree in Sport & Exercise or a related area
- You will be able to address contemporary issues facing the industry, with particular emphasis on sustainability and the environment
- It will provide you with the context in which to consider professional ethics and their relation to personal, professional and statutory responsibilities within the industry

What will I learn?

The course will provide you with a thorough grounding in Sport & Exercise principles relating to individual professions within the Sport & Exercise Science sector. It will equip you with commercial acumen, understanding and Sport & Exercise skills for success in a range of roles in the sector. It will

provide you with sufficient knowledge, skills and understanding at levels 4 and 5 to enable you to progress to a top-up degree.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 per year full time and £4,045 per year part time (subject to review).

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for "student finance" at www.gov.uk for more information.

Year 1 (HNC)

Three Core Mandatory units covering:

- Physical activity, lifestyle and health
- The Sport Landscape
- Project management

Five Option units which are likely to cover:

- Adventure Programming
- Nutrition
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Activity leadership
- Training, Fitness, Testing

Year 2 (HND)

Two Core Mandatory units covering:

- Research Project
- Entrepreneurism in Sport

Five Option Units which are likely to cover:

- Advanced Coaching
- Physical literacy
- Work experience
- Sports Nutrition
- Coaching Special Populations



Entry requirements

UCAS
Minimum of 64 UCAS points

BTEC
National Extended Diploma MM

A level
Minimum DD

GCSE
5 GCSEs A-C (grade 4 or above including English & Maths)

Jersey Progression Diploma in Sport
Min. 2 x Merit Grades with GCSE English & Maths at grade C or 4 or higher

Highlands College 6th Form Progression Route
BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport (Minimum MM).

Where can I go from here?

Students can progress to a top-up year for a full BA (Hons) degree (see page 56)

Sport

BA Coaching and Development

University of Plymouth [subject to validation]

1 years | Full time / 2 years | Part time

Why choose this course?

- Achieve a Level 6 qualification in one of the fastest growing industries
- Develop effective industry knowledge and workplace skills
- Gain a critical understanding of the key concepts underpinning sport, coaching and education
- Develop expertise in understanding physical activity within the global setting

What will I learn?

The course provides you with the opportunity to develop expertise in the most current concepts involved in coaching, physical education and physical activity. This knowledge will underpin your workplace skills, preparing you to be an effective member of the sport, coaching and exercise health industry.

The course has strong links with providers from across the range of the industry, including professional sports clubs, governing bodies, schools and exercise health organisations. Access to these key partners, coupled with our sports facilities provides students access to the best sport science and exercise resources on the Island.

The course will develop workplace skills through a strong focus on vocational learning and industry application.

Students focused on becoming teachers will have the opportunity to progress on to a PGCE after completion of this course.

Course Fees

The fee for this course is £8,090 full-time and £4,045 part-time (subject to review).

You may be eligible for financial support towards your course costs, please search for “student finance” at www.gov.uk for more information.

Units

1 Year Full-time

- Applied Exercise Programming
- Applied Physical Education
- Applied Sports Coaching
- Global Physical Activity and Health
- Dissertation

