

# GUIDE TO EAST MIDLANDS FOUNDATION DEGREES 2011-12



# Guide to Foundation Degrees in the East Midlands 2011-2012

## Foreword

This is the fifth edition of the Guide to Foundation Degrees in the East Midlands. It has been produced by EMFEC as part of an on-going commitment to support the development of demand-led and accessible higher level skills courses and to actively promote progression and lifelong learning.

EMFEC is a membership body with charitable status; which provides umbrella services for colleges and providers in the Further Education sector. We exist to support our members and the wider sector to operate effectively, act collaboratively and achieve excellence in all that they do. We do this through providing a wide range of high quality services and impartial support to colleges, providers and partners within the sector. Our services include knowledge sharing, networking, professional development, projects, conferences, facilitating collaborative work and educational support. EMFEC is also the regional office for the Association of Colleges in the East Midlands and we represent the interests and views of colleges both regionally and increasingly nationally. EMFEC encourages partnership working to make a difference for learners and to exert influence on decision and policy-makers.

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## Welcome to your Guide to East Midlands Foundation Degrees

Foundation degrees are a special type of degree designed in partnership with employers to help you develop the skills and knowledge to progress in your career.

This guide lists all the Foundation degrees on offer in the East Midlands and the Frequently Asked Questions section will help you understand what makes a Foundation degree special and how it can help develop your career.

If you are interested in finding out more about a particular Foundation degree, there is contact information for all the organisations offering and validating Foundation degree programmes at the back of the booklet.

In some instances, HND offers have been included, as some colleges have changed the Foundation Degrees offered in previous years to HND programmes.



## Frequently Asked Questions

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### What is a Foundation Degree?

Foundation degrees are Higher Education qualifications designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills needed by employers and to progress your career.

They contain a mixture of academic and work-based learning and they are available at colleges and universities throughout the East Midlands and nationally.

### Why are Foundation Degrees special?

Foundation degrees are designed and developed with the help of employers, making them directly relevant to your chosen career.

They are a qualification in their own right, but can also lead to an Honours degree for those wishing to continue with their studies.

Some Foundation degrees include a professional qualification within the programme.

Foundation degrees do not demand traditional entrance requirements, especially for those people with relevant work experience. You can enrol on a Foundation degree programme at any age, provided you are over 18.

Foundation degrees offer technical and work-specific skills, underpinned by rigorous and broad-based academic learning. The programme will also enhance key skills such as communication, team-working, problem solving, and improving own learning and performance.

Key features of the programme are the work-based modules and personal development plan.

### Who are Foundation Degrees for?

Foundation degrees are for employees with experience, Advanced Apprentices or learners with a level 3 qualification (eg National Diploma, 'A' levels or NVQ 3). They are a stand-alone qualification delivered at your local college or university leading to an FdA or FdSc awarded by the validating university. They are qualifications useful to employees and students who wish to progress through a vocational pathway.

### What can I study?

There are hundreds of Foundation degrees available, covering a wide range of subject areas. This guide lists the Foundation degrees in the East Midlands.

If you live close to the borders of the East Midlands, you may prefer to travel to a college or university in a neighbouring region. For all full-time Foundation degrees available nationally, log on to [www.ucas.com](http://www.ucas.com). For more local information, and full and part-time programmes, check college and university websites.

### What are the entry requirements for a Foundation Degree?

There are no set entry requirements. It is up to the institution offering the course to decide if you are eligible.

As Foundation degrees are vocational programmes, institutions will accept applications from those who do not have traditional qualifications, but do have relevant work experience. An informal

interview will help you and the college or university to decide if a Foundation degree will be of benefit.

Applicants who have no relevant work experience may need a Level 3 qualification such as a BTEC National Diploma, NVQ 3, 'A' levels, or an Advanced Apprenticeship.

### How long does a Foundation Degree take?

A full-time course takes two years and part-time courses generally take three years or more. However, do not be put off by the terms full-time and part-time, as this does not explain mode of attendance. Full-time simply describes a programme that is completed in two years and achieves 240 credits; and part-time describes a programme that takes more than two years to complete. Both full-time and part-time courses may involve part-time attendance at college or university, but a course listed as full-time will naturally require more intensive study. It is important to check the attendance pattern with individual colleges and universities.

You should also check the start dates, as most, but not all Foundation degrees begin in September/October. Some Foundation degrees are offered as distance learning and the programme begins when you enrol.

### How do I apply?

For a programme listed as full-time, you will need to apply through UCAS. If you require more information, log on to [www.ucas.com](http://www.ucas.com). If you have trouble with the on-line application, ask for help from the Student Services' department at your chosen college or university, or your local Connexions, or Guideline Career Services. For part-time courses, colleges and universities have their own systems, so

you will need to check with them directly. Usually, this will include completion of a form and possibly an interview.

### How do I choose the most appropriate Foundation Degree for me?

Consider the following

- each Foundation degree course (even with the same title) is different – check the course content fits with your interests and career aspirations
- ask whether any previous qualifications (Recognised Prior Learning) or experience (Recognised Prior Experiential Learning) can be taken into consideration and mapped into your Foundation degree, creating exemptions
- some courses include additional professional qualifications – ask if this applies
- the Foundation degree programme must clearly state progression routes to Honours degrees and/or professional qualifications. There must be guaranteed articulation arrangements to at least one Honours degree programme
- find out the annual cost of the course and ask if financial help is available
- ask where the Foundation degree will be delivered, as many colleges and universities have more than one site (campus).

### Can I progress to an Honours Degree?

On successful completion of your Foundation degree, you will have achieved 240 credits and should be able to progress to the final year of an Honours degree at the validating

university. If you have studied at a college, ask where the final year will be based, as many colleges now offer 'top-up' years on site.

### **How much does a Foundation Degree cost?**

Foundation degrees are a higher education qualification and therefore colleges and universities can set their own tuition fees.

Individual institutions set their own fees and you will need to check with the college or university you are considering. In most cases, colleges charge less than universities. Courses listed as part-time may cost around 50% of full-time fees. Students accessing a Foundation degree as a progression route from level 3, or who are not in employment but seeking to gain a higher level qualification can apply for an undergraduate student loan. Some students may be able to apply for a grant to help with living costs and additional financial support is available for those with special circumstances. Universities and colleges also offer a range of bursaries to help with the costs of studying – make sure you ask the institution what financial help is available.

For additional information on financial support for Higher Education students go to [www.direct.gov.uk](http://www.direct.gov.uk) (Student Finance).

### **I have a disability, is a Foundation Degree for me?**

Universities and colleges can offer a range of support to students with disabilities to ensure they have every opportunity to achieve their award.

Funding may be available to ensure you access the right support – special equipment, extra travel costs, note-takers or sign language interpreters.

If you have a disability or special needs, contact your chosen college or university and ask what support they can provide.

### **I left school years ago and have very few formal qualifications, will I be able to study at this level?**

As an experienced employee you will have developed a wide range of skills. Colleges and universities will provide support to help you develop the study skills required to complete your Foundation degree. Some offer bridging courses and summer schools to students who wish to progress to a full Honours degree.

### **Where can I get further information and advice?**

For more information about Foundation degrees and courses on offer, log on to [www.ucas.com](http://www.ucas.com); or [www.fdf.ac.uk](http://www.fdf.ac.uk).

If you are under 20 you can use the Connexions service which provides advice and guidance on all career related issues. If you are currently studying at school or college you will be able to access advice from your Careers Adviser or the Connexions Personal Adviser attached to your institution.

If you are over 20, Guideline Career Services offer advice to adults. For contact information, details are at the back of the booklet.



## Core Features of all Foundation Degrees

### Employer Involvement

- In the design and regular review of programmes.
- To achieve recognition from employer and professional bodies.
- With both local organisations and national sectoral bodies, to establish demand for Foundation degree programmes.

### The Development of Skills and Knowledge

- Technical and work specific skills, relevant to the sector and to the region.
- Underpinned by rigorous and broad-based academic learning.
- Key skills such as communication, team working, problem solving, application of number, use of information technology and improving own learning and performance.
- Generic skills, for instance, reasoning and work process management.
- Validated by a Higher Education institution and underpinned by a personal development plan.

### Application of Skills in the Workplace

- Students must demonstrate their skills in work relevant to the area of study.
- Work experience should be sufficient to develop an understanding of the world of work and be validated, assessed and recorded.

### Credit Accumulation and Transfer

- Foundation degrees attract a minimum of 240 credits (an Honours degree carries 360 credits).
- The awarding university should award credits with exemptions for students with relevant work experience (RPEL) or qualifications (RPL).

### Progression – within Work and/or to an Honours Degree

- There must be guaranteed articulation arrangements to at least one honours degree programme.
- Foundation degree programmes must clearly state progression routes to Honours degrees and/or professional qualifications.

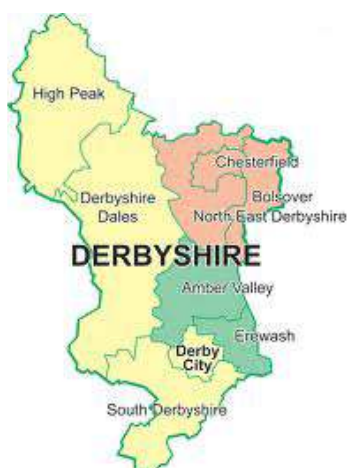


## Foundation Degrees by Sub-Region

In the following lists, Foundation degrees are listed by title, followed by the name of the delivery institution, followed by the validating university. All Foundation degree titles are either FdA or FdSc.

Due to recent changes in funding, some colleges are offering HND/Cs in place of Foundation degrees. In instances where HND or HNC programmes are listed, (HND/C) appears after the programme title and the validating university section is left blank.

### Derbyshire



#### Art & Design

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Creative Practice	Chesterfield College	LMU

#### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Leadership & Management	Chesterfield College	LMU
Business & Management (HND/C)	University of Derby	

#### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Games and Interactive Technologies	Chesterfield College	SHU
Internet and Business Technologies	Chesterfield College	SHU

#### Construction

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Construction Management	Derby College	NTU
Construction	University of Derby	UD
Architectural Studies	University of Derby	UD
Construction and Built Environment (HND/C)	Chesterfield College	

#### Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Early Years	Chesterfield College	SHU
Education and Learning Support	Chesterfield College	SHU
Children's and Young People's Services (Early Years)	University of Derby	UD
Children's and Young People's Services (Teaching Assistants)	University of Derby	UD
Children's and Young People's Services (Guidance)	University of Derby	UD
Children's and Young People's Services (Learning Disabilities)	University of Derby	UD
Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector *	University of Derby	UD

*\*A choice of pathways is offered at the University and partner institutions – check with the provider.*

## Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering	Chesterfield College	LMU
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	University of Derby	UD
Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering	University of Derby	UD
Civil Engineering	University of Derby	UD
Integrated Engineering	Derby College	SHU
Motorsport Technology	University of Derby	UD
Motorcycle Technology	University of Derby	UD
Operations and Maintenance Engineering	University of Derby	UD
Civil Engineering (HNC)	Chesterfield College	
Electrical and Electronic Engineering (HND/C)	Chesterfield College	
Manufacturing Engineering (HND/C)	Derby College	
Electrical/Electronic Engineering (HND/C)	Derby College	
Operations Engineering (HNC)	Derby College	

## Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Children's and Young People's Services (Health and Social Care)	University of Derby	UD

## Leisure & Hospitality

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Spa Management/Therapies (on-line)	University of Derby	UD
Spa Management/Therapies	University of Derby	UD
Hairdressing and Salon Management (on-line)	University of Derby	UD
Hairdressing and Salon Management (Management / Creative Pathways)	University of Derby	UD
Complementary Therapies	Chesterfield College	LMU

## Leisure & Hospitality contd/..

Hotel Management (on-line)	University of Derby	UD
Hotel Operations Mgmt	University of Derby	UD
Professional Culinary Arts	University of Derby	UD
Events Management	University of Derby	UD
Travel and Tourism Management (HND)	Chesterfield College	

## Media

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Applied Photography	University of Derby	UD

## Public Sector

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Public Services (HND)	Chesterfield College	

## Retail

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Retail Management and Leadership	Derby College	NTU

## Science

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Children's & Young People's Services (Science Technician)	University of Derby	UD

## Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Health-related Exercise and Fitness	Chesterfield College	LMU
Sports Coaching (Performance & Participation)	Chesterfield College	LMU
Sports Coaching	University of Derby	UD
Sports Coaching - Cycling	University of Derby	UD
Outdoor Activities	University of Derby	UD

## Transport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Logistics and Supply Chain Management	Chesterfield College	LMU



### Validating Institutions (VI)

UD= University of Derby

LMU = Leeds Metropolitan University

SHU= Sheffield Hallam University

NTU = Nottingham Trent University

## Leicestershire



### Agriculture, Animal and Horticultural Studies

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Equine Management (HND)	Brooksby Melton College	
Animal Management (HND)	Brooksby Melton College	
Garden Design (HND/C)	Brooksby Melton College	

### Art & Design

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Artistic Make-up and Special Effects	Leicester College	CU
Fashion and Costume Craft	Leicester College	CU
Footwear	Leicester College	DMU
Interior Design (Leadership and Management)	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	DMU
Leadership and Enterprise (Interior Design)	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	DMU

### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Leadership and Management	Loughborough College	NTU
Business	Stephenson College	NTU
Security and Risk Management	University of Leicester	UL

### Business and Management contd/....

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Food Manufacturing Management	Loughborough College	NTU
Business (HND)	Brooksby Melton College	
Contract Management (HNC)	Loughborough College	

### Community

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Children, Families and Community Health	Leicester College	DMU
Children, Families and Community Health	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	DMU
Working with Young People and Young People's Services	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	DMU
Managing Voluntary and Community Organisations	University of Leicester	UL
Housing, Communities and Regeneration	De Montfort University	DMU

### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Computer Software Development (HND/C)	Stephenson College	
Computing (HND)	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	
Computing (HND)	Leicester College	

### Construction

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Construction Management	Stephenson College	NTU
Building Studies (HNC)	Stephenson College	

## Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Educational Studies for Teaching Assistants	University of Leicester	UL
Children's and Young People's Services	Stephenson College	UD
Children's and Young People's Services	Loughborough College	UD
Working with Young People and Young People's services	De Montfort University	DMU

## Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Electrical Power Engineering	Loughborough College	AU
Electrical (Power) Electronic Engineering (HNC)	Loughborough College	
Power Systems Management	Loughborough College	AU
Mechanical/Electrical Engineering (HND/C)	Stephenson College	
Mechanical Engineering (HNC)	Loughborough College	

## Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Hearing Aid Audiology	De Montfort University	DMU
Healthcare Sciences	De Montfort University	DMU
Dementia Care	Stephenson College	UBR
Drug and Alcohol Counselling	University of Leicester	UL

## Leisure and Hospitality

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Leisure Management	Loughborough College	NTU
Events Management	Loughborough College	NTU
Hospitality Management	Loughborough College	NTU
Travel and Tourism Management	Loughborough College	NTU

## Leisure and Hospitality contd/..

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Hospitality Management (HND/C)	Loughborough College	
Travel and Tourism Management (HND)	Loughborough College	

## Media

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Photography and Video (Video Route)	Leicester College	DMU
Photography and Video (Photography Route)	Leicester College	DMU
Graphic Design and e-Media	Leicester College	DMU
Interactive Media (HND/C)	Stephenson College	

## Performing Arts

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Performance (Dance)	Leicester College	DMU
Performance (Acting)	Leicester College	DMU
Creative Sound Technology	Leicester College	DMU
Performance and Practice (HNC)	Brooksby Melton College	
Community and Applied Theatre (HND)	Brooksby Melton College	
Contemporary Performance (HND)	Brooksby Melton College	

## Public Sector

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Public Services (HND)	Loughborough College	

## Science

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Science Technicians	University of Leicester	UL
Science Technicians	Wiggeston & Queen Elizabeth	UL

## Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sports Coaching	Loughborough College	LU
Sports Science	Loughborough College	LU
Sports Science with Sports Management	Loughborough College	LU
Sports Coaching	Leicester College	UB
Sport & Exercise Science (HND)	Loughborough College	
Sports Development & Coaching (HND)	Stephenson College	
Sport & Leisure Management (HND)	Loughborough College	

## Transport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Motor Operations Management (HNC)	Stephenson College	

### Validating Institutions (VI)

CU = Coventry University DMU = De Montfort University  
 NTU = Nottingham Trent University UL = University of Leicester  
 UD = University of Derby LU = Loughborough University  
 AU = Aston University UBR = University of Bradford  
 UB = University of Bedfordshire



## Lincolnshire



### Agriculture, Animal and Horticultural Studies

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Animal Equine Welfare Management	University of Lincoln	ULI
Equine Management and Training	University of Lincoln	ULI
Agriculture and Environment	University of Lincoln	ULI
Commercial Horticulture	University of Lincoln	ULI

### Art and Design

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Illustration	New College Stamford	UN
Graphic Design (HND)	New College Stamford	

### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Business Studies (HNC)	New College Stamford	
Leadership and Management	North Lindsey College	ULI
Human Resource Management & Business	North Lindsey College	ULI
Food Manufacture	University of Lincoln	ULI

### Community

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Community Journalism	University of Lincoln	ULI

### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Computer Information Systems	Lincoln College	ULI
Web Technology	Lincoln College	ULI
Computer Science	Lincoln College	ULI
Computer Information Systems Internet Computing	North Lindsey College	ULI

### Construction

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Construction Mgmt	Lincoln College	NTU

### Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Applied Studies (Children and Youth Work)	Bishop Grosseteste University College	BGUCL
Applied Studies (Early Childhood)	Bishop Grosseteste University College	BGUCL
Applied Studies (Education)	Bishop Grosseteste University College	BGUCL
Children's Services	New College Stamford	BGUCL
Learning Practitioners	New College Stamford	BGUCL

### Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Electrical and Mechanical Engineering (HND/C)	Grantham College	

## Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Health and Social Care	New College Stamford	UN
Health and Active Lifestyles	Lincoln College	SHU
Children, Families and Community Health	Grantham College	UB

## Media

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Photography (HND)	New College Stamford	

## Performing Arts

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Performing Arts (HND)	New College Stamford	

## Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sport, Performance & Exercise Development	Lincoln College	ULI
Sport, Performance & Exercise Development	North Lindsey College	ULI
Sports Development	New College Stamford	UN
Sports Coaching	Grantham College	UB

## Transport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Motor Operations Management (HNC)	Stephenson College	

### Validating Institutions (VI)

UN = University of Northampton    ULI = University of Lincoln  
 BGUCL = Bishop Grosseteste University College Lincoln  
 SHU = Sheffield Hallam University    UB = University of Bedfordshire



## Nottinghamshire



### Agriculture, Animal and Horticultural Studies

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Environmental Conservation and Countryside Management	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Wildlife Conservation	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Animal Studies	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Veterinary Nursing	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Sports Horse Management and Training	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Horticulture	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Horticulture: Garden Design	Nottingham Trent University	NTU

### Art & Design

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Design	New College Nottingham	NTU
Fashion	New College Nottingham	NTU
Fashion Interpretation and Practice	New College Nottingham	NTU
Interior Design	National Design Academy	SU

### Art & Design contd/...

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Visual Arts Practice	South Nottingham College	NTU
Textiles	South Nottingham College	NTU
Fashion and Textiles (HND)	West Nottinghamshire College	
Textiles (HND)	South Nottingham College	

### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Business Management	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Business Management (Information Systems)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Business Management (Sales and Marketing)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Business Management (Small Business Enterprise)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Business Improvement Techniques	West Nottinghamshire College	UD
Corporate Administration	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Business (HND/C)	North Nottinghamshire College	

### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Communication and Networking Technologies	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Software Development with Multimedia	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Computer Games and Interactive Media	South Nottingham College	NTU
Computer Games and Interactive Media	South Nottingham College	NTU
Games Technology	Confetti Institute of Creative Technologies	DMU
Computing (HND/C)	South Nottingham College	

## Construction

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Construction Management	New College Nottingham	NTU
Construction	West Nottinghamshire College	UD
Building Services Engineering (Management)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Building Services Engineering (Technology)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Construction and the Built Environment (HNC)	New College Nottingham	
Building Services Engineering (HNC)	New College Nottingham	

## Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Educational Support	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Educational Support (ICT)	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Early Years Studies	New College Nottingham	NTU
Children's and Young People's Services	West Nottinghamshire College	UD
Teaching and Learning (Educational Management)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Teaching and Learning (Special Education Needs)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Teaching and Learning (Working with 14-19 Age Range)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Supporting Teaching and Learning in School	New College Nottingham	NTU
Advanced Practice in Work with Children and Families (HND/C)	North Nottinghamshire College	

## Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Production Engineering	South Nottingham College	UD
Electrical Engineering (HNC)	New College Nottingham	
Electrical and Electronic Engineering (HND/C)	West Nottinghamshire College	
Mechanical Engineering (HND/C)	West Nottinghamshire College	
Construction and the Built Environment Civil Engineering (HNC)	New College Nottingham	
Automotive Engineering (HNC)	South Nottingham College	
Electrical/Electronic Engineering (HND/C)	South Nottingham College	
Manufacturing Engineering (HND/C)	South Nottingham College	
Operations Engineering (HND/C)	South Nottingham College	

## Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Dental Technology	South Nottingham College	DMU
Healthcare Science	Nottingham Trent University	NTU

## Law

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Law	New College Nottingham	NTU

## Leisure & Hospitality

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Hairdressing & Salon Management	West Nottinghamshire College	UD
Spa (Therapies)	West Nottinghamshire College	UD
Hospitality Management (Culinary Arts)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Hospitality Management (Events)	New College Nottingham	NTU

## Leisure & Hospitality contd/..

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Hospitality Management (Hotels, Resorts & Restaurants)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Hospitality Management (Pubs, Clubs & Nightclubs)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Tourism Management (Aviation Management and Operations)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Tourism Management (International Tourism)	New College Nottingham	NTU

## Media

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Broadcast Media	New College Nottingham	NTU
Multimedia (Multimedia Design)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Multimedia (Photography/Moving Image)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Multimedia (Web Design)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Multimedia (Animation and Motion Graphics)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Digital Video and Broadcast Production	Confetti Institute of Creative Technologies	DMU
Photography	South Nottingham College	NTU
Interactive Media (HND)	West Nottinghamshire College	
Media Creatives	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Media Creatives	Confetti Institute of Creative Technologies	NTU

## Performing Arts

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Music Technology	Confetti Institute of Creative Technologies	
Music and Sonic Arts (Music Performance)	New College Nottingham	NTU

## Performing Arts contd/...

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Music and Sonic Arts (Music Technology)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Theatre Arts (Acting)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Theatre Arts (Dance)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Theatre Arts (Technical Theatre)	New College Nottingham	NTU
Music Performance (HND)	West Nottinghamshire College	
Performing Arts (HND)	West Nottinghamshire College	

## Public Sector

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Public Sector Administration	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Public Services and Law	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Criminal Justice	South Nottingham College	UD
Youth Justice	Nottingham Trent University	NTU

## Science

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Forensic Science	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Biological Sciences	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Chemical Sciences	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Chemistry with Professional Practice	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Physics	Nottingham Trent University	NTU
Applied Science (HND/C)	South Nottingham College	

## Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sport and Coaching/Science/Fitness	West Nottinghamshire College	LMU
Sport Coaching	South Nottingham College	NTU

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## Northamptonshire



### Agriculture, Animal and Horticultural Studies

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Applied Animal Studies	Moulton College	UN
Agriculture	Moulton College	UN
Equine Management	Moulton College	UN
Countryside and Wildlife Management	Moulton College	UN
Arboriculture	Moulton College	UN
Horticulture and Garden Design	Moulton College	UN

### Art and Design

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Graphic Design	Tresham College	UN
Fine Art	Tresham College	UN

### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Accounting	University of Northampton	UN
Business Management	Tresham College	UB
Business	University of Northampton	UN
Business Entrepreneurship	University of Northampton	UN

### Community

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sustainable Communities	Milton Keynes College	UN

### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Computing	Tresham College	UN
Business Computing Systems	University of Northampton	UN
Electronics for Computing	University of Northampton	UN

### Construction

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Construction Management	Moulton College	UN

### Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Early Years	University of Northampton	UN
Learning and Teaching (Schools)	University of Northampton	UN
Educational Practice	Tresham College	UB

### Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Lift Engineering	University of Northampton	UN
Civil Engineering	Moulton College	UN
Engineering	Tresham College	UN
Engineering (HNC)	Tresham College	

### Environmental

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Environmental Cleaning Management	University of Northampton	UN
Non-destructive Testing	University of Northampton	UN
Wastes Management	University of Northampton	UN

## Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Health and Social Care	University of Northampton	UN
Health and Social Care (Dementia)	University of Northampton	UN
Health and Social Care (Children)	University of Northampton	UN
Health and Social Care (Maternal and Neonatal Health)	University of Northampton	UN
Health & Social Care (Acute & Community Care)	University of Northampton	UN
Health and Social Care (Mental Health and Learning Disability)	University of Northampton	UN
Paramedic Science	University of Northampton	UN
Dental Nursing	University of Northampton	UN

## Leisure & Hospitality

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Travel and Tourism Management	University of Northampton	UN

## Public Sector

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Police and Criminal Justice Services	University of Northampton	UN
Custodial Care	University of Northampton	UN
Offender Management	University of Northampton	UN

## Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sports Performance and Coaching	Moulton College	UN
Sports Therapy	Moulton College	UN
Sports Coaching	Tresham College	UB

<b>Validating Institutions (VI)</b> UN = University of Northamptonshire UB = University of Bedfordshire
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### Business and Management

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Business	Open University	OU
Leadership and Management	Open University	OU
Financial Services	Open University	OU
Combined Professional Studies	Open University	OU

### Computing

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Business Information Technology	Open University	OU
Computing and its Practice	Open University	OU
Computing and IT Practice	Open University	OU
Information & Communication Technologies	Open University	OU

### Education

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Early Years	Open University	OU
Working with Young People	Open University	OU
Primary Teaching and Learning	Open University	OU

### Engineering

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Materials Fabrication & Engineering	Open University	OU

### Health

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Health Sciences	Open University	OU
Health and Social Care	Open University	OU
Healthcare Practice	Open University	OU
Operating Department Practice	Open University	OU
Paramedic Sciences	Open University	OU
Counselling	Open University	OU

### Public Sector

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Youth Justice (England and Wales)	Open University	OU

### Retail

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Retail Management	Open University	OU

### Science

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Analytical Sciences	Open University	OU

### Sport

Subject	Delivering Institution	VI
Sport and Fitness	Open University	OU

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University of Derby www.derby.ac.uk	01332 590500 askadmissions@derby.ac.uk

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Leicester College www.leicestercollege.ac.uk	0116 224 2240 info@leicestercollege.ac.uk
Loughborough College www.loucoll.ac.uk	0845 166 2950 info@loucoll.ac.uk
Loughborough University www.lboro.ac.uk	01509 263171 admissions@lboro.ac.uk
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New College Stamford www.stamford.ac.uk	01780 484300 enquiries@stamford.ac.uk
Stephenson College www.stephensoncoll.ac.uk	01530 836136 services@stephensoncoll.ac.uk
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## Changes to Information

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