



At a glance guide for international students

2016 entry



Liverpool John Moores University (LJMU) offers an exceptional student experience, founded on high quality teaching, ground-breaking research and extensive links with employers, entrepreneurs and business leaders.

The University was founded in 1823 and today has over c.22,000 students recruited from over 100 countries world-wide. Liverpool too is a world-class multi-cultural city, which welcomes and supports a diverse student community from all around the world. The city is integrally connected to and influenced by the University's research, scholarship and civic initiatives and offers students a rich cultural and social experience.

Choosing where and what to study as an international student is a life changing decision. Expert University staff are available to guide you through the next steps in the application process and to help ensure that you choose the degree that is best suited to your requirements and professional ambitions.



Ranked joint 59th in the UK and in the top 600 higher education institutions in the world (THE World University Ranking 2015/16) ■ **Fourth highest ranking university in the North West of England (Complete University Guide)**



Teaching excellence

- All undergraduate and postgraduate taught programmes are delivered by academics involved in innovative research and consultancy.
- This combination of academic expertise and 'real world' experience helps ensure that all degrees are kept up-to-date and secure accreditation by key professional bodies.
- The University has been awarded 9 National Teaching Fellowships from the Higher Education Academy in recognition of its outstanding teaching and learner support.



International Foundation Year courses

- International students have the option of completing degree preparation programmes at the University's International Study Centre.
- These courses are managed and taught by Study Group, a world leader in education and training for international students, and offer direct progression onto a range of undergraduate degrees.
- English for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies courses are also available if you need to improve your English score.



English language requirements

- A very good level of English language competence is required to follow lectures, carry out background reading and research, write essays and dissertations at the University.
- Applicants must hold an internationally recognised English language qualification (such as IELTS, Pearson, etc) certified in the last two years.
- English for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies courses are available for students who need to improve their standard of English in order to meet their entry requirements.
- The minimum scores required by the University are listed below, though specific course requirements may differ.
 - International Foundation Year: 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
 - Undergraduate: 6.0 IELTS or equivalent
 - Postgraduate: 6.0 - 7.0 IELTS or equivalent

Graduate prospects

- 92% of undergraduate students are in work or further study, with 62% securing graduate-entry positions
- 98% of our postgraduate students are in work or further study, with 96% of those in work securing professional roles - that's 4% above the UK national average
- The University's unique World of Work Programme has been developed in partnership with FTSE 100 companies and leading business organisations. The Programme ensures that all undergraduates develop the experience, attributes and skills demanded by today's employers in all sectors of the economy.
- The British Council regards the World of Work Programme as a 'best practice' approach to employability.
- The University's World of Work Careers Centre provides expert careers advice and guidance as well as 'ready for work' training and master classes from industry leaders.
- A dedicated Centre for Entrepreneurship provides a supportive environment to help new businesses founded by students and graduates flourish and grow.
- The University is one of the UK's leading higher education institutions for interaction with business and the community. It is ranked in the top 20 UK universities for staff and graduate start-up companies and in the top 10 for spin-off companies.

HERE ARE JUST SOME OF OUR EMPLOYER PARTNERS:





Research and scholarship

- The range of research opportunities in the University is considerable. From developing cutting edge new technology to detect brain tumours to ground-breaking studies on the impact of the recession in UK and European cities, the University's researchers are helping to inform public policy, shape new laws, transform lives and improve the environment.
- We are now ranked in the Research Quality Ranking, with 96% of research activity rated international quality or better.
 - 97% of research is rated world-leading or internationally important in our School of Sport and Exercise Sciences.
 - 99% of our physics-related research is world-leading or internationally important.
 - LJMU is now ranked 4th in the UK for both law and education-related research (Post-92 UK universities).
 - 95% of research by our School of Engineering, Technology and Maritime Operations is world leading, or recognised internationally.
 - 68% of our health-related research is world leading or internationally excellent.
 - Other research rated as internationally important or recognised internationally at LJMU:
 - Computing and Mathematical Sciences: (94%)
 - Art and Design (History, Practice and Theory): (85%)
 - Built Environment: (83%)

- LJMU is also ranked in the top 25 English universities for PhD completion rates and there are over 500 research students currently enrolled at the University.

Facilities and resources

- The University has invested over £160million over the last 10 years in new capital projects and modernising existing buildings and facilities.
- Each Campus has its own Library and collections (both print and electronic) specific to the academic needs of the Faculties and students it supports.
- The two city-centre based Libraries are open 24/7 during semesters.
- Facilities are designed to replicate 'world of work' environments and include science, technology and engineering laboratories, broadcast quality TV and radio studios, a forensic scene-of-crime lab, ship simulators, theatre and rehearsal facilities, a mock courtroom, clinical practice suites, art galleries and much more.
- All students have free access to sports facilities across Liverpool, including top-of-the-range gym equipment and fitness suites, tennis, squash and badminton courts, an Olympic-sized swimming pool, and two golf courses.



Living in Liverpool

- Liverpool is ranked in the top ten cities to visit in the world by *Rough Guides* (2014).
- **It is one of the most affordable student cities in the UK. It is also a safe, multi-racial and multi-cultural city supporting a diverse range of religions and communities.**
- All new international students are guaranteed a place in high quality University-approved student accommodation, with 24-hour onsite security, and located close to LJMU buildings and libraries.
- **The University has close connections with leading cultural organisations in the city: Tate Liverpool, the Liverpool Philharmonic and its world-famous orchestra, the Everyman and Playhouse and Royal Court Theatres and Liverpool Biennial, one of Europe's largest arts festivals.**
- The city's John Lennon Airport connects to more than 650 destinations worldwide and Liverpool is also only 2 hours away from London by train.

Student support

- All students are assigned a Personal Tutor at the start of their degree.
- **The University's dedicated International Student Advisors are based in the Student Advice and Wellbeing Team.**
- Free English Language Support and Study Skills, and Maths and Statistics workshops are available throughout your studies.
- **Free and confidential counselling service for all students.**

FEES

The following 2016/2017 fees should only be used as a guide. You are advised to contact the University for up-to-date fees information. In addition to tuition fees you must also budget for living costs (accommodation, food, clothing, books, travel, etc). UK Visas and Immigration (UKVI) states that you will require a minimum of £1,015 per month to cover your living expenses. It is worth noting that living costs are estimated to be 40% lower in Liverpool than in London.

English for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies	20 week course: £6,120 12 week course: £3,680 6 week course: £1,840
English for PhD studies	20 week course: £6,120
International Foundation Year programme: ■ Business, Law and Social Studies ■ Engineering and Science	£10,560 £11,070
Internal Year One programme: ■ Business ■ Engineering	£10,820 £11,330
Pre-Masters programme	£5,190
Foundation/HND programmes	£9,270
Class-based undergraduate and postgraduate programmes	£11,330 per year
Laboratory-based undergraduate and postgraduate programmes	£12,360 per year
MBA, MSc Engineering, MSc Maritime and MBA Maritime Management programmes	£12,360 per year
Research degrees (MPhil/PhD)	£11,330-£12,360 per year
Distance learning programmes	£62.00 per credit

DEPOSITS International applicants will need to pay a minimum deposit of £2,000 before a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) can be issued. You will be able to pay your deposit via LJMU's on-line payment system. You will need your LJMU Applicant ID number, and course start date (month and year) in order to complete this transaction. Once you pay your deposit a CAS number will be produced so that you can apply for your visa to study at LJMU. For further details on LJMU's deposit policy, including details on refunds and exceptions, go to: ljmu.ac.uk/international

SCHOLARSHIPS

LJMU offers a range of prestigious international scholarships. The scholarships are available to self-funding applicants who have accepted an offer to study at LJMU. To apply please complete the online scholarship application form available at ljmu.ac.uk/international



Name of scholarship	Level of study	Value of scholarship
LJMU Roscoe International Scholarship	One year taught masters programmes (MA, MSc, MRes, LLM)	Full tuition fee waiver worth up to £12,000
Developing Global Citizens Postgraduate Scholarship	Taught masters programmes (MA, MSc, MRes, LLM) or research programme (MPhil/PhD)	£6,000 fee waiver
John Moores International Undergraduate Scholarship	Full time undergraduate degrees (BA, BSc, BEng, MEng, LLB, MPharm)	£6,000 first year tuition fee waiver
English for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies Bursary	Full time undergraduate, postgraduate and research degrees	£700 fee waiver awarded upon successful progression onto degree programme. The waiver is applied to first year degree tuition fees.

Undergraduate Courses

Course	UCAS code	Typical entry tariff
Accounting and Finance	N420	280
Animal Behaviour	C301	260-300
Applied Chemistry (BSc)	F195	260
Applied Chemistry (MChem)	F1F5	280
Architectural Engineering (BEng)	2B78	270
Architectural Engineering (MEng)	2D36	320
Architectural Technology	K130	260
Architecture	K100	300-320
Astrophysics MPhys	F521	See website
Audio and Music Production	J930	280
Biochemistry	C700	260-300
Biology	C100	260-300
Biomedical Science	B940	260-300
Building Services Engineering (BEng)	K200	270
Building Services Engineering (MEng)	K290	320
Building Services Engineering Project Management	KN2F	260
Building Surveying	K230	270
Business and Public Relations	NP12	280
Business Management	N200	280
Business Studies	N100	280
Civil and Environmental Engineering	T369	320
Civil and Offshore Engineering	T457	320
Civil and Structural Engineering	6A12	320
Civil and Transportation Engineering	T337	320
Civil Engineering (BEng)	H200	270
Civil Engineering (MEng)	H202	320
Civil Engineering (HNC)	H203	200
Civil Engineering and Architecture	H2KC	320
Civil Engineering and Construction Management	H2K2	320
Computer Forensics (BSc)	G550	280
Computer Forensics (MComp)	C378	300
Computer Games Development (BSc)	G450	280
Computer Games Development (MComp)	C468	300
Computer Science (BSc)	C558	280
Computer Science (MComp)	C587	300
Computer Security (BSc)	I990	280
Computer Security (MComp)	C369	300
Computer Studies (BSc)	G401	280
Computer Studies (MComp)	C687	300
Computer Technology (BEng)	H610	280
Computer Technology (MEng)	C478	320
Construction and Property (HNC)	K222	200
Construction Management	K220	260
Control and Automation Engineering (BEng)	D367	280
Control and Automation Engineering (MEng)	D267	320
Creative Writing	W800	260
Creative Writing and Film Studies	WW86	280
Criminal Justice	M291	280
Criminology	M212	280
Criminology and Psychology	MC2W	280
Criminology and Sociology	ML23	260
Dance Practices	W500	280
Drama	W400	260
Drama and Creative Writing	WW48	260
Drama and English	QW34	260
Early Childhood Studies	XL35	260
Education Studies and Early Years	XL30	260
Education Studies and Special and Inclusive Needs	XX31	260
Electrical and Electronic Engineering (BEng)	H600	280
Electrical and Electronic Engineering (MEng)	H602	320
Electrical Power Engineering (BEng)	P148	280
Electrical Power Engineering (MEng)	7Q23	320
Electronic Engineering (BEng)	D385	280
Electronic Engineering (MEng)	D285	320
English	Q300	260
English and Creative Writing	WQ83	260
English and Media and Cultural Studies	PQ33	260
Environmental Health	B911	280
Events Management	N820	280

Facilities Management	N2N2	270
Fashion	W2H0	280
Film Studies	P303	280
Fine Art	W100	280
Food and Nutrition	DB64	260
Food Development and Nutrition	D690	260
Forensic Anthropology	FL4P	260-300
Forensic Psychology and Criminal Justice	CM82	320
Forensic Science	F410	260-300
Geography	F800	260-300
Graphic Design and Illustration	W210	280
Health and Social Care for Individuals, Families and Communities	L512	280
History	V100	280
History and English	QV31	260
History of Art	VP31	280
Human Resource Management	N600	260
International Journalism	P510	260
Journalism	P500	280
Law	M100	300
Law and Criminal Justice	MM12	300
Management, Transport and Logistics	NK24	280
Marine Operations	J615	220
Maritime Business and Management	N910	280
Maritime Studies	J601	280
Marketing	N500	280
Mathematics	GN11	280
Mathematics and Education Studies	XG30	260
Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering (BEng)	D594	280
Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering (MEng)	4S13	320
Mechanical and Marine Engineering (BEng)	H350	280
Mechanical and Marine Engineering (MEng)	H390	320
Mechanical Engineering (BEng)	H300	280
Mechanical Engineering (MEng)	H301	320
Mechanical Engineering with Management (BEng)	P348	280
Mechanical Engineering with Management (MEng)	2L46	320
Media, Culture, Communication	LP63	260
Media Production	P300	260
Midwifery	B720	320
Multimedia Computing (BSc)	GG54	280
Multimedia Computing (MComp)	C268	300
Nautical Science	J600	280
Nursing with Registered Nurse Status (Adult)	B740	280
Nursing with Registered Nurse Status (Child)	B730	300
Nursing with Registered Nurse Status (Mental Health)	B760	280
Outdoor Education	X9F8	260
Paramedic Practice	B781	280
Pharmaceutical Science	F195	260
Pharmacy	B201	300-320
Physical Education	4K59	280
Physics with Astronomy	F3F5	See website
Policing Studies Foundation (FDA)	L231	240
Policing Studies (BA)	L232	260
Primary Education with Qualified Teacher Status (QTS)	X120	300
Product Design Engineering	H772	280
Psychology (Applied)	C870	260-300
Quantity Surveying	K242	270
Real Estate Management and Business	NN21	270
Science and Football	CXQ3	280-320
Sociology	L300	260
Software Engineering (BSc)	G600	280
Software Engineering (MComp)	S269	300
Sport and Exercise Science	C600	300-320
Sport and Nutrition for Health	5H88	280
Sport Business	7R21	280
Sport Coaching	XC16	280
Sport Development	3Q79	280
Sports Psychology (Applied)	C890	280-320
Tourism and Leisure Management	NN28	260
Wildlife Conservation	C930	260-300
Zoology	C300	260-300

Postgraduate taught courses

Please go to www.ljmu.ac.uk/courses/ for the most up-to-date course information.

Advanced Computer Studies

Analytical Forensic Science

Applied Facilities Management

Architectural Engineering

Architecture

Art and Design

Art in Science

Astrophysics (Distance Learning)

Bioarchaeology

Cities, Culture and Creativity

Civil Engineering

Clinical Exercise Physiology

Commercial Building Surveying

Commercial Property Management

Computer Forensics

Computer Network Security

Computer Science

Computing and Information Systems

Computing by Distance Learning

Construction Project Management

Criminal Justice

Critical Social Science

Cyber Security

Dance Practices

Digital Literacies and Learning

Digital Marketing

Drone Technology and Applications

Drug Discovery and Design

Education and Society

Education Globalisation and Social Change

Electrical Power and Control Engineering

English

Entrepreneurship

Executive Development

Exhibition Studies

Fashion Innovation and Realisation

Financial Management

Fine Art

Forensic Anthropology

Forensic Bioscience

Global Crime, Justice and Security

Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL)

Graphic Design and Illustration

Health Psychology

Human Resource Management

Industrial Biotechnology

Initial Teacher Training courses

Integrated Building Information Management (BIM)

International Approaches to Early Childhood Education

International Business and Management

International Business Corporate and Finance Law

International Events

International Human Resource Management

International Journalism

International News Journalism

International Public Health

International Public Relations

International Tourism Management

International Transport, Trade and Logistics

LLM Legal Practice

Legal Practice Course LPC

Logistics and Supply Chain Management

Management

Management and Digital Business

Manufacturing Engineering

Marine and Offshore Engineering

Maritime Operations Management

Mass Communications

Mechanical Engineering

Microelectronic System Design

Modern History

Observational Astrophysics

Pharmaceutical Manufacture and Quality Control

Port Management

Postgraduate Research Opportunities

Primate Behaviour and Conservation

Professional Doctorate in Applied Sport and Exercise Science

Professional Doctorate in Health Psychology

Professional Doctorate in Sport and Exercise Psychology

Project Management

Public Health

Public Health 'Addictions'

Public Health Nutrition

Public Relations

Quantity Surveying and Commercial Management

School Direct Initial Teacher Training with QTS

Smart Technologies for Infrastructure and Buildings

Software Engineering

Special Educational Needs

Sport and Clinical Biomechanics

Sport and Exercise Physiology

Sport Coaching

Sport Nutrition

Sports Psychology

Telecommunications Engineering

Urban Design

Virology

Water, Energy and the Environment

Wildlife Conservation and UAV Technology

Top-up Degree: Nursing (International)

Paramedic Science (International)



LJMU is located in the heart of the city of Liverpool. One of the best connected cities in the UK, Liverpool's excellent transport network provides easy access to all UK, European and international destinations. Liverpool is just two hours away from London by rail. The city's Liverpool John Lennon Airport offers flights from various parts of Europe while Manchester Airport, around 45 minutes from Liverpool, operates flights from around the world. Liverpool is also at the hub of the UK motorway network – linking to the M6 via M62, M57, M58, M56 and M53 – one of the most comprehensive motorway networks in the country.

MAKING YOUR APPLICATION

You are advised to submit your application as early as possible in the academic year before you want to start studying at LJMU. The application process differs depending on whether you apply for an undergraduate or postgraduate course. Please make sure that you follow the correct procedure for your chosen course:

- **Undergraduate** [BA (Hons), BSc (Hons), MEng (Hons), BEng (Hons), MComp (Hons), LLB (Hons)]: Applications to study at LJMU are submitted via the Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS). For further details go to: ucas.com
- **English for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies courses:** Please go to ljmuisc.com for information on how to apply
- **International Foundation Year courses:** Please go to ljmuisc.com for information on how to apply
- **Postgraduate taught degrees** [MA, MSc, MRes, LLM]: You should apply direct to LJMU using our online application form. Please go to ljmu.ac.uk/study/international-students and click on the 'How to Apply' link for more details
- **Postgraduate research degrees** [MPhil, PhD]: Please go to ljmu.ac.uk/research and click on the 'Current research opportunities' for the latest doctoral opportunities and application guidance

If you have any queries relating to the application process, please contact the University for advice and guidance (tel: **+44(0)151 231 5090**, email: international@ljmu.ac.uk). You can also come and speak to LJMU representatives at recruitment events and fairs in your country. For more details, go to: ljmu.ac.uk/study/international-students

Contact us

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