POSTGRADUATE OPEN EVENING 2018

WEDNESDAY 21 MARCH
4pm – 7pm

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WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF LEICESTER’S POSTGRADUATE OPEN EVENING 2018

Our event brings together academics and services from across the University to help you make the right choice when applying for a postgraduate degree. Wherever you are in life’s journey, whether you’re looking to boost your career options or deepen your knowledge, you can be confident that if you choose Leicester you’ll get value for money and a degree that will get you where you want to go.

HOW TO FIND US

The University’s central location in Leicester means that parking around the campus is limited. Where possible we would encourage you to use public transport. Leicester is well served by both trains and buses. The campus is within walking distance of the railway station.

BY CAR
Limited parking for this event will be available on our main campus at the Queen Elizabeth College car park. This can be accessed via Entrance 1 (see map on pages 6-7). Please approach the barriers and inform security that you are here to attend the event. You will then be directed to the car park.

VISITORS WITH DISABILITIES OR MOBILITY DIFFICULTIES
Parking for visitors with mobility difficulties or disabilities will be available on the main campus. Please contact us in advance to arrange this; marketing@le.ac.uk

BY TRAIN
The campus is a 15-20 minute walk from the railway station. Bus numbers 48 or 80 from the station will take you to the bus stop by Entrance 2 of the University. Alternatively, there is also a taxi rank at the station.

BY COACH OR BUS
If you arrive by bus or coach at St Margaret’s Bus Station, bus number 48 will take you to the bus stop by Entrance 2 of the University. The return journey to the bus station is bus number 47.
REASONS TO CHOOSE LEICESTER

1 CHOICE: You can choose a course that suits your circumstances. We deliver a range of postgraduate courses in more than 100 fields of study. You will have access to full-time, part-time, on-campus and off-campus learning options.

2 LEARN FROM SOME OF THE BEST: You will learn from people who change lives and provide new ways to understand the world. Their work informs your curriculum, meaning your course will provide you with the latest insights and learning from the best in the world.

3 GREAT CAREERS: Many of our courses are accredited or approved by external organisations and bodies, and our specialist Career Development Service can offer you advice and guidance tailored to your career aspirations. This means you will be career ready upon graduation.

4 TRULY GLOBAL: We are a university with a truly global outlook. When you graduate from Leicester, you will have received a world-class education from a quality university. You will leave knowing the next generation of global citizens because they were your peers and classmates.

5 HELP WHEN YOU NEED IT: We have a range of outstanding services to meet all of your needs. From our personal tutor system, learning development and library support teams to our welfare support, health and childcare options, if you need support, we will provide it.
ARRIVAL AND ORIENTATION

The hub of the Postgraduate Open Evening is the Charles Wilson Sports Hall. This is where the Information Fair is being held and also where there is a registration point. Our information and subject talks will be held in the Bennett Building, just a short walk away. There will be plenty of staff and student ambassadors on hand to help direct you. If you are unsure about where to go, please just ask. See page 3-4 for a map of our campus.

REGISTRATION

If you booked a place in advance you should have received an email with a fast-track number. Presenting your fast-track number at the registration point in the Charles Wilson Building. If you don’t have a fast-track number, you can register on the day.

DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES

The following academic departments will be attending today’s event:

Archaeology and Ancient History; Business School (Inc. Accounting, Civil Safety and Security, Finance, Economics, Marketing, Management); Chemistry (w/Physics); Computer Science; Criminology; Education; Engineering; English; Geography; Health Sciences; History; History of Art and Film; Law; Mathematics; Media & Communication; Modern Languages; Molecular and Medical Biosciences; Museum Studies; Politics and International Relations; Psychology; Sociology; Languages at Leicester.

There will also be a stand dedicated to providing information about our research degrees, including information on studentships available through our Doctoral Training Partnerships.

In addition, representatives from the following service departments will also be attendance:

Accommodation; Distance Learning; Enterprise Hub; Welfare Services (Inc. student finance).
INFORMATION TALKS

All attendees are encouraged to attend our introductory ‘Postgraduate Study at Leicester’ talk, presented by Prof. Mark Peel, the Director of Educational Innovation. The talk offers an insight into what it’s like to study a Master’s at Leicester; what you can expect from us and what we expect from you, and how a qualification from Leicester prepares you to compete in the global job market.

Additionally we will also be offering a number of subject-based talks, and an important presentation on funding your studies, including the latest information on the Postgraduate Loans.

EVENT TIMETABLE

Below is a timetable of our subject and information sessions.

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To A6
To Salisbury Road;
London Road

Parking for guests at
Queens College/Sports
Hall Car Park

Quickest route to
Charles Wilson
Building from the
Car Park

MAP KEY

- Campus entrance gate with barrier
- Exit only
- Pre-booked parking for visitors – please use entrance 1
- Occasional visitor parking – please check availability in advance
- One-way system
- Entrance to building
- Santander Bank
- Bus Stop
- Crossing
- Parking
- Café

Wheelchair access information

Building access:

- Full access to all floors
- Mostly accessible
- Ground floor only
- Toilets accessible to wheelchair users within building
- Entrance suitable for wheelchair access
- Entrance with ramp
- Slope over 10%
- Car parking space for disabled drivers