

# Oxford Brookes Dissertations/Theses

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All MPhils and PhDs (at appropriate site)

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MSc Environmental Management and Technology  
MSc Health Care  
MSc Historic Conservation  
MSc Housing Studies  
MA Humanities (small selection only)  
MSc International Hotel and Tourism Management  
BA (Double Field) Planning (over 60%)  
MSc Urban Planning/Planning Studies/Spatial Planning  
MA Publishing (small selection only)

#### **At Harcourt Hill:**

BA Post-Compulsory Education/ Professional Studies in Education  
MA/MEd Education  
EdD Education  
MA/MTh Theology

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MBA  
MA Coaching and Mentoring  
MA Human Resource Management  
MSc International Management  
Undergraduate Business dissertations (over 60%)  
Business student projects

MSc Computing  
Undergraduate Computing projects  
Undergraduate Mathematics projects  
Undergraduate Electronics, Engineering and Technology projects

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Please note that there are 2 specialist Library guides to searching for Business (Research Guide 18) and Technology (Research Guide 21) dissertations, available from: <http://www.brookes.ac.uk/library/guideintro.html#research>

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