Welcome to our International Student Guide. We hope it will provide you with an overview of student life at Oxford Brookes University, and of the courses we offer.

Oxford Brookes is one of the leading modern universities in the UK. We have a global reputation for outstanding teaching across our departments: the QS 2017 World University Rankings by subject found us to be ‘ranked amongst the world’s top universities in 16 of 46 subjects’. Our teaching is backed up by strong links with industries and professions regionally, nationally and internationally.

We strive to ensure that your experience at Oxford Brookes is of the highest possible standard. The latest National Student Survey continues to place us among the top institutions for overall satisfaction, and we offer a wide range of specialist support to our students, both academic and personal. We have invested in our campuses to provide many high quality new learning spaces, including the multi award-winning John Henry Brookes Building, and we will continue to invest.

An international outlook has always been important to us, and the Times Higher Education 2016 praises Oxford Brookes as ‘one of the world’s top universities for its international outlook’. 94% of our research was judged to be internationally recognised in the latest assessment of research excellence. Read on to find out why more than 3,500 students from over 150 countries chose to make Oxford Brookes their home. We hope you decide to join them.

Professor Alistair Fitt
Vice-Chancellor
OXFORD: A GREAT PLACE TO BE A STUDENT

“I just love everything in Oxford – the culture, the scenery and sightseeing, because Oxford defines British culture to me. From a small heritage pub to a massive cathedral, you just never get bored in Oxford. You can go punting with your friends and everything is so accessible.”
Bernard Chu, Hong Kong

“Oxford is a beautiful city with exquisite buildings. There are many places to go sightseeing and the museum is packed with interesting artefacts and information about them.”
Sasha Coutinho, Zimbabwe

“It’s beautiful. There are so many historic buildings and I’m a history nerd so I love walking down by the city centre area and going to see Christ Church and the Bodleian, of course.”
Taylor Okeson, USA

“During summer, I like to read my book on the lawn of the Oxford University Botanic Garden and in the meadows. This summer, I would love to go outside Oxford, to the Cotswolds, cycling or hiking in the hills.”
Song Pei Fei, Malaysia
WHY OXFORD BROOKES?

One of the UK’s top modern universities

In the top 150 best young universities in the world
Times Higher Education 2017

21% of our students come from 151 countries worldwide

Oxford is the 6th safest university city in the UK
The Complete University Guide 2017

Top 20 university in 7 subject areas:

Guardian University Guide 2018

- Architecture (13th)
- Anthropology (18th)
- Journals, Publishing and Public Relations (4th)
- Fine Art (4th)
- Philosophy (4th)
- Hospitality, Event Management and Tourism (5th)

Awarded Silver in the UK Government’s Teaching Excellence Framework 2017

£220m over the next 10 years is being invested to redevelop our campuses
HESA Destination of Leavers 2016

94% of research at Brookes is internationally recognised
Research Excellence Framework 2014

Top 20 university in 7 subject areas:

Guardian University Guide 2018

- Paramedic, Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy (3rd)
- Philosophy (13th)
- Health Professions (4th)
- Architecture (3rd)
- Fine Art (3rd)
- Journals, Publishing and Public Relations (4th)
- Hospitality, Event Management and Tourism (5th)

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WHAT CAN I STUDY?

Pre-sessional English language see page 27
• Helping you meet our English language requirements to progress onto your degree course as quickly as possible

Foundation courses see page 28
• Giving you the best preparation for your undergraduate degree

Undergraduate bachelor’s degrees see pages 29 – 31
• First degrees, called bachelor’s degrees including BA (Hons), BEng (Hons), BSc (Hons), LLB (Hons), MEng and MMMath
• Usually three years (or four years if including a year-long work placement, or if MEng or MMMath)

Pre-master’s courses see page 32
• Giving you the best preparation for your postgraduate degree

Postgraduate study and master’s degrees see pages 33 – 37
• Study at a higher level than an undergraduate degree, including MA, MSc, MArch, PGDip, PGCert, and LLM
• Master’s degrees are usually one year (or two years if including year-long work placement) and include taught modules followed by a research dissertation

Research including PhDs see page 38

Study Abroad and Exchange see page 21
Study in your own country – distance learning see pages 34 – 37

“I chose to come to Oxford Brookes because I wanted to study International Hospitality Management and Oxford Brookes is one of the top ten universities for this course. The best thing about my course is the second year’s placement. It’s really helped me to combine the knowledge and practice. I did it at Oxford Holiday Inn for one year. Also the professors are professionals in their field. They give us a relaxed teaching style, to let us explore our own study styles and help us to finish our undergraduate course.”

Kunyi Jiang, China, BSc (Hons) International Hospitality Management
The International Student Advice Team
Our specialist team for international students (ISAT) can advise you on visas and immigration before you arrive here and throughout your time at Oxford Brookes. The team organises social events for international students including a welcome programme and day trips to UK cities.

Our Global Buddies programme provides a friendly welcome for international students, putting you in touch with a current UK student to help you settle into Oxford life.

www.brookes.ac.uk/students/isat
www.brookes.ac.uk/global-buddies

A personal academic advisor
A member of teaching staff providing academic support for your current studies and advice on your future studies for the duration of your course.

Student support co-ordinators
A dedicated team helping you solve personal or academic problems.

Academic English development and support
A range of options at undergraduate and postgraduate level helping you develop the specific academic language skills you need for your degree, as quickly as possible.

Upgrade
Our confidential advice service for guidance on study skills or maths and statistics.

Careers Service including specialist Careers Consultant (International Students)
Helping you find the information and advice you need to make decisions about your career, whether working in the UK or in your own country, whilst you are here and for three years after you graduate.

www.brookes.ac.uk/students/careers

Professionally trained counsellors
You can talk to a counsellor about any personal or academic concerns you have. The service is free and confidential.

Disability support officers
Our specialist Disability and Dyslexia/SpLD Services offer help whenever you need it, from before you apply through to graduation. We offer specialist study support for dyslexia, physical disabilities or mental health needs and physical access, as well as funding, alternative assessment arrangements and liaison with teaching staff.

www.brookes.ac.uk/students/wellbeing

Student union advice
Brookes Union offers advice on finance, academic and housing issues. From helping secure additional funding to resolving tenancy disputes Brookes Union will offer help.

www.brookesunion.org.uk

Medical facilities
Our University Medical Centre on Headington Campus offers a full, friendly, confidential medical service. Studentential, the on-campus dental clinic has fully qualified dentists providing high quality modern treatment.

www.brookes.ac.uk/studying-at-brookes/living/support

Spiritual and Pastoral Care
The Multi-faith Chaplaincy team offers spiritual and pastoral care, as well as events, worship, and discussion groups for people of all faiths and none. Whichever you are, and whatever you believe, you are welcome.

www.brookes.ac.uk/chaplaincy

Academic English development
Providing high quality teaching and learning facilities, an excellent library, social learning spaces, Brookes Union and student services.

Headington Campus is also home to a sports centre, medical centre and has our nursery for children nearby.

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Headington Campus
Just over a mile east of the city centre (a 20 minute walk), Headington Campus is our busiest. Here you will find our award-winning John Henry Brookes Building, which offers high quality teaching and learning facilities, an excellent library, social learning spaces, Brookes Union and student services.

Headington Campus is also home to a sports centre, medical centre and has our nursery for children nearby.

Students of architecture, the arts, built environment, health and life sciences, most humanities courses, law, publishing, social sciences and international pathways courses are based on our Headington Campus – on one of our three sites: Headington Road, Headington Hill and Marston Road.

We are transforming Headington Campus with the next phase of improvements, set to complete in Summer 2017. It includes a new home for Oxford Brookes Business School, further teaching and learning spaces and professional-standard science labs.

In summer 2017 Oxford Brookes Business School will be moving to the Headington Campus. Two adjoining buildings are undergoing a £30m redevelopment to provide our Business School, including the Oxford School of Hospitality Management, with a new home at the heart of the university. Those of you starting in September 2018 will be among the first to benefit from these first-class learning spaces close to university facilities and the city centre.
Harcourt Hill Campus
Just two miles west of the city centre, this campus is home to students on courses in education, philosophy and communication, forming a friendly, close-knit student community. Renowned for its inspiring views across the city, it provides a high standard of learning facilities as well as recently upgraded student accommodation, social areas, cafes, and a sports centre including swimming pool, sports fields and outdoor pitches.

As part of our major ongoing investment in our campuses, exciting and significant development work is planned for Harcourt Hill Campus. The redevelopment will provide brand new teaching and learning facilities and an extensive refurbishment programme of existing buildings, including the sports centre.

Once these facilities are available, which is anticipated to be by 2020/2021, the whole Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences will be located at Harcourt Hill, enhancing opportunities for collaboration across the faculty. Courses in Sports and Exercise Sciences will also move to Harcourt Hill to make use of the best specialist sports facilities available.

Please visit www.brookes.ac.uk/space-to-think for further details.

Wheatley Campus
Located six miles east of the city centre, Wheatley Campus’s leafy site is home to computing, engineering and mathematics. Our purpose-built £9 million facilities include industry-standard engineering workshops and state-of-the-art computing and digital media facilities. There are also cafes, student accommodation and a library on site.
STUDENT LIFE:
MUCH MORE THAN STUDYING

Brookes Sport – Get Active!
Whether you are aiming to be an Olympic-standard rover, county-level cricketer, or just to enjoy social sports and keep fit and active, Oxford Brookes has so much to offer you. Our top three competitive university level sport teams are: Rowing, Hockey, and Cricket. We are also in the top quarter of UK universities for performance level sport. We have a great history of elite sporting achievement – our rowers have won a long list of gold, silver and bronze Olympic medals.

Our Brookes Active programme offers social opportunities to be active including fencing, capoena and badminton, alongside a range of over 50 fitness classes per week across Headington and Harcourt campuses, in-house personal training and other specialist services.

Our Headington Campus sports facilities include a recently refurbished climbing wall extension and performance gym for our sports scholars and high performance squads.

Oxford itself has great opportunities for keeping active. In fact, it was recently named the UK’s fittest city and is ideal for running, cycling and more.

www.brookes.ac.uk/brookes-sport

Explore the UK and meet new friends
Oxford is an ideal hopping-off spot to discover all that the UK has to offer. We arrange a host of different social events including day trips to tourist destinations such as London, Bath, Cambridge, Stratford-Upon-Avon and Cardiff. Back here in Oxford we have quiz evenings, parties, sports events and guided tours of the city.

www.brookes.ac.uk/why-oxford-brookes/life-in-oxford

Make your kind of music
We have a lively music scene at Brookes and whether you’re seeking to join a classical ensemble, a chamber choir, a jazz band or a rock or pop band – don’t forget to pack your instrument or prepare your voice! Our Music Department runs the University Choir and Orchestra which perform classical works in two concerts every year, and an auditioning chamber choir dedicated to a capella repertoire. Music societies include the Jazz Band, the music theatre society The Fortune Players, Folk Music Society, the Opera Society and the Early Music Society. Student bands regularly perform on campus and at venues across Oxford. Our societies and ensembles are open to all Brookes students. Please email for details: musicperformance@brookes.ac.uk

Religion and belief
Oxford Brookes is home to students from many different cultures. The Multifaith Chaplaincy provides facilities and events for a wide range of faiths and belief systems, including prayer and reflection rooms on all campuses. Oxford itself is home to a number of faith communities who offer a warm welcome to international students.

www.brookes.ac.uk/chaplaincy

Mature students
We welcome mature students at Oxford Brookes and can offer personalised advice and support. This includes help with visa applications. If you are coming to Oxford Brookes with your children you can apply for places at our nursery for children aged between four months and five years.

www.brookes.ac.uk/why-oxford-brookes/life-in-oxford

BROOKES STUDENTS’ UNION

Brookes Union is our students’ union. Membership is free and you are automatically enrolled in the union as soon as you get here. There are many ways you can benefit from Brookes Union throughout your time here.

Brookes Union hosts a range of events through the year...

MUCH MORE THAN STUDYING

www.brookesunion.org.uk/societies
WORK PLACEMENTS AND GRADUATE EMPLOYABILITY

We know that to succeed in today’s highly competitive international job market you need to develop key skills. We will help you to build these skills during your time with us at Oxford Brookes.

“T’m involved with Oxford Brookes Racing, the Formula Student team: I work for them, for lap-time simulation, we have our own software which I have developed while a former student developed. He’s working in Formula 1 right now, he deserves that place. So I work on what he’s created and change it, modify it to the current year’s requirements, to the current car’s requirements, get results out of it. And so it’s a good feeling because it’s highly helpful in the design phase, in that if someone is designing a new part and they’re not sure if that really helps the car go faster, it can tell you. Ultimately, you want the car to go faster.”

Shirish Potu, India, MSc in Motorsport Engineering.

POSTGRADUATE DEGREES OFFERING THE OPTION OF A LONG PAID WORK PLACEMENT

Marketing
All courses: www.business.brookes.ac.uk/postgraduate
Hospitality
All courses: www.brookes.ac.uk/hospitality/courses/postgraduate-study
Computing
All courses: www.cct.brookes.ac.uk/postgraduate
International Business Culture and Languages
www.brookes.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate/international-business-culture-and-languages

Many of our postgraduate courses have optional unpaid work-based or professional practice placements. See pages 34 – 37 and individual course listings: www.brookes.ac.uk/international/courses/postgraduate-courses

INDUSTRY MENTORS AND ADVISORS

Many of our departments including the School of the Built Environment and the Oxford School of Hospitality Management offer mentoring schemes where students are matched with expert mentors in their fields. One example is the Accountants in Mentoring Scheme (AIM), which enhances final-year accounting students’ employment prospects, helping them make a transition from university to full-time employment. Students on the scheme are matched with an industry professional who will be their mentor for the year and support them in various ways such as CV writing, work place visits, and providing career advice.

Other departments such as the Oxford International Centre for Publishing Studies have frequent talks by, and networking opportunities with, industry experts.

Work placement and exchange
The European work placement programme (part of Erasmus+) funds the opportunity to work elsewhere in Europe as part of your studies or work abroad for one semester or a full academic year as a part of your degree. We have study agreements with around 150 universities worldwide (see page 29).

Global Network
With alumni in over 150 countries, you will be joining an international network of people who can offer a wealth of knowledge, experience and contacts. We have alumni groups in many places including: Beijing, Belgium, Canada, Dubai, Mumbai, Malaysia, Nigeria, Spain and USA. www.brookesalumni.co.uk/alumni-network

MBA programmes
www.cct.brookes.ac.uk/postgraduate

“T chose Brookes because they had the publishing programme with 100% employability and all these different things you could do within the programme, like Working in Publishing Day and a bunch of internships and going to fairs”

Taylor Olsun, USA, MA in Publishing
WHY LIVE IN OUR HALLS OF RESIDENCE?
Living in halls is a great way to be part of university life. At Oxford Brookes you can:
- meet people and make new friends
- select your accommodation to suit your lifestyle, budget and course
- live alongside other students in a comfortable place
- live conveniently, usually near your place of study

We currently have 12 hall options for new students, including 3 in partnership with external providers, and all our halls of residence are either on campus or a walk/bus journey away. All students living in halls can apply for a bus pass for free travel, as can undergraduate students living elsewhere.

As an international student a broad choice of accommodation will be available to you throughout your studies at Oxford Brookes.

First year international students are guaranteed a place in our halls of residence if you apply by the deadline.

If you are an EU student and make Oxford Brookes your firm choice you will be guaranteed a place as long as you apply by the deadline.

To guarantee your place you must submit your accommodation application by the deadline – see our applying for halls webpage:
www.brookes.ac.uk/studying-at-brookes/accommodation/prospective-students/how-to-apply

University halls are also available to students after their first year. You can book accommodation with a group of friends and choose one of the options specifically designed for your needs.

The way the choice of halls is split between first year and returning students can change each year. Prices and options are normally announced in January each year before bookings open in February.

HALL OPTIONS
The majority of our halls are self-catered. In self-catered halls you share a kitchen with a small number of fellow students and cook food for yourself.

Lady Spencer Churchill Hall is catered during term time.

For couples and families
Please email the Accommodation Bureau (accom@brookes.ac.uk) as soon as possible if you are planning to come to Oxford with your family or are interested in a studio flat (for couples) or a family flat (for students with a child).

For students with disabilities or medical conditions
Students with disabilities or medical conditions that require specific accommodation types should declare their needs on their accommodation application along with supporting evidence (which must be supplied in English).

There is a high demand for adapted rooms (for wheelchair users or those with mobility issues). See page 18-19 for suitable halls. Allocations to these rooms are made based on need. Other adjustments (such as alerting equipment or ensuite bathrooms) can be dealt with more easily.

If you have any questions please email medicalhallapplications@brookes.ac.uk

FOR HOW MANY WEEKS ARE HALLS AVAILABLE?
Hall contracts are for a set number of weeks: 38, 42, 46 or 50 weeks.

See the table on page 18-19 for the length of contracts available at each hall.

If your course is longer than 38 weeks per year then you should apply for halls with appropriate contract lengths.

OTHER ACCOMMODATION
University-managed houses
University-managed houses in surrounding neighbourhoods are available for students who wish to live in a group. The houses are furnished and each student rents a single room and shares the rest of the house, including the kitchen and bathroom, with other students. Contracts are available for 44, 45, 46 or 50 weeks.

Lodgings
You can also arrange privately to rent a room in a house that is shared with the owner of the house.

FOR SINGLE-SEX ACCOMMODATION
If you ask for accommodation in a single-sex flat, we will do our best to arrange it.
To locate a hall find the number of the hall on the map on page 17.

The costs shown are for 2017/18 and are approximate. Costs for 2018/19 will be confirmed in 2018 and will be listed on the website: [www.brookes.ac.uk/accommodation](http://www.brookes.ac.uk/accommodation)

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<td>2. Clive Booth Student Village (ensuite)</td>
<td>£155.26</td>
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<td>(½ mile / 800m)</td>
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<td>3. Clive Booth Student Village (non ensuite)</td>
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<td>4. Clive Booth Student Village – dedicated postgraduate centre</td>
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<td>6. Lady Spencer Churchill Hall, Wheatley</td>
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<td>7. Paul Kent Hall</td>
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**Notes:**
- Adapted contract: Yes
- Travel to campus:
  - (½ mile / 800m)
  - (2 miles / 3km)
  - (5 miles / 8km)
  - (1½ miles / 2.4km)
  - (¼ mile / 365m)
FEES AND LIVING COSTS

Studying at Oxford Brookes is a great investment in your future.

How much will my course cost?

Our fees for international students are set annually and individual course costs vary. You can find costs for each course on our website.

www.brookes.ac.uk/international/finance

Before your course starts you will receive information on how and when to pay your fees. You can pay in two instalments. For some courses you will need to pay a deposit.

For more information contact our Student Finance Team, see page 39.

What are the visa financial requirements?

To apply for your visa you must be able to show that you have enough money to pay your tuition fees and for living costs for the first year of your course. The specific amounts set by the UK government’s Home Office can be found at:

www.brookes.ac.uk/students/isat/visas

Field Trips

Many of our courses include field trips. These may be in the UK or overseas, optional or compulsory. The cost may be included as part of your course fee, or you may need to make an additional payment. Please check individual course listings for details.

How much will it cost to live in Oxford?

The amount of money you will need for living costs will depend on your course and individual level of spending.

This table gives an example of the cost of living for a student living in halls at Oxford Brookes for 2017/18. Rent for halls of residence at Oxford Brookes is £13,150 - £14,000, and may include the following:

- Accommodation costs
- Food
- Social activities
- Personal items

Studying abroad with Oxford Brookes can be an excellent opportunity to gain additional skills for your future career. If you are interested in studying abroad or in an exchange programme, please contact the International Office for further information.

www.brookes.ac.uk/study-abroad-and-exchanges

For more on fees and living costs, including study abroad and exchange fees:

www.brookes.ac.uk/international/finance

SCHOLARSHIPS AND OTHER FUNDING

There is a range of financial support available to help you pay tuition fees and living costs. This varies from year to year and may include the following:

- £4,000 Richard Haill International Scholarships for foundation students
- £2,000 Academic Excellence Scholarships for pre-master’s students
- John Henry Brookes scholarships for postgraduate students
- Santander Sports Scholarships
- Faculty or department taught master’s scholarships
- Country-specific scholarships
- University research studentships
- Alumnus Discount Scheme for students who have completed a degree at Oxford Brookes and wish to progress on to a higher degree level.

www.brookes.ac.uk/studying-at-brookes/courses/

Undergraduate students from the EU may be entitled to financial support in the form of a student tuition fee loan from Student Finance England. More details on availability of these loans for study from 2018 onwards will be outlined on www.gov.uk/apply-for-student-finance

OTHER FUNDING

Information about other sources of funding such as Chevening, UK government or Commonwealth funding is available through Education UK at your local British Council Office or www.educationuk.org

Region or country specific scholarships are also available such as Said Foundation Scholarships. www.saidfoundation.org

www.brookes.ac.uk/study-abroad-and-exchanges/fees

Please refer to our fees page:

www.brookes.ac.uk/study-abroad-and-exchanges/fees

“I decided to study abroad in the UK because I wanted to experience something new and broaden my music education. Oxford Brookes is a progressive school with a great reputation. The music courses at Brookes seemed more hands-on, with practical applications. I love how the courses are more engaging in practical aspects of music rather than theoretical concepts. I find the teaching style at Brookes differs greatly from my U.S. college Manhattanville. The teaching at Brookes is more ‘graduate school’ style, where teachers encourage more independent exploration of a topic.

Studying at Oxford Brookes has been a great overall learning and growth experience.”

Katrina Swift, incoming study abroad student at Brookes, Spring 2018

Studying at Manhattanville College, USA
HOW TO APPLY

We welcome applicants from all countries with a wide range of international qualifications. We are happy to look into all applications on an individual basis because if you are interested in coming to Oxford Brookes then we are interested in finding out about you. We are here to make sure your studies get off to the right start.

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

September 2018 entry
Applications should be made through the Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS), the UK’s online undergraduate admissions system.
www.ucas.com/apply

You can choose to apply to five different universities and/or courses, or you can apply just to Oxford Brookes if you wish. The institution code for Oxford Brookes is OWD 066.

Each university will decide whether to make you an offer. Some offers come with conditions, such as completing your current school course or taking an English language test before you can start your studies.

When you have decisions from each of the universities you will be asked to accept an offer (see page 24).

Deadlines
International applications will be accepted until 30 June 2018. If you are from the European Union (EU) you must apply before 30 June 2018. If you are not from the EU you will be asked to submit your application as early as possible as some courses fill up quickly.

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT COURSES

You should apply through UCAS Postgraduate, the online application system, if you are applying for a:
- taught master’s degree
- postgraduate diploma or certificate
- professional course

You will need to:
- apply at www.ucas.com/postgraduate
- send any supporting documents to the relevant department using the email address(es) indicated on the application form.

For a few courses you will need to apply directly to Oxford Brookes. Please check the relevant course entry:
www.brookes.ac.uk/postgraduate

Deadlines
Most courses are open to applications throughout the year. You should submit your application as early as possible as some courses fill up quickly.

POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH COURSES

You should apply through UCAS Postgraduate for postgraduate research courses.

You will need to:
- contact the relevant postgraduate research tutor to discuss your proposal informally before you apply. This will ensure that the necessary facilities and supervisors are available for your research degree
- visit the relevant department pages on our website or contact the Research Degrees Team on: rd-enquiries@brookes.ac.uk

www.brookes.ac.uk/research

Deadlines
Applications for research degrees may be submitted at any time during the academic year. Key intake dates for PhD students are September, January and April with further details available here www.brookes.ac.uk/students/research/when-to-apply/pathway

GUIDE TO WRITING YOUR PERSONAL STATEMENT

When applying to a UK university you will need to provide a personal statement as part of your application. This statement is your chance to convince the admissions tutor of your suitability for the course you have chosen to study.

For undergraduate applications your statement will be sent via UCAS to up to five different tutors, so you need to focus on the subject area and the skills that you have, as well as your plans for the future.

For postgraduate courses you will generally apply separately to each university and so you will need to be much more focused on your reasons for choosing that particular course at that particular university. If you are switching to a different area of study you need to clearly explain your reasons for doing so.

Remember that many courses are competitive and having the published academic grades will not guarantee you admission. The personal statement is your chance to show that you will be more suitable than other candidates.

HELP WITH YOUR APPLICATION

SUPPORTING YOU IN YOUR OWN COUNTRY

Want to know who can help you with your application in your country? Or when we are next visiting? Or do you want to check your qualifications against our entry requirements?

Oxford Brookes in China, Hong Kong, India and South East Asia

We have offices in China, Hong Kong, India and South East Asia who can help and support you with your application.

For more details including how to contact our in-country international officers please refer to your country webpage and page 39.

Our representatives
We work with representatives and organisations all over the world who can advise you on study options at Oxford Brookes and help you apply. Take a look at your country page on our website to find your nearest representative.

Our visits
We also travel to many countries around the world attending exhibitions, giving presentations and talking to students about opportunities to study at Oxford Brookes University. If you have a question and would like to meet us, find out when we are coming to your country on our website.

www.brookes.ac.uk/international/country

INTERNATIONAL PATHWAYS COURSES

For pre-sessional University English, International Foundation Diploma and pre-master’s courses you should apply directly to Oxford Brookes.

Full details as well as an application form are available on our website: www.brookes.ac.uk/international/apply/pathway

For further advice see details of our admissions teams on page 39

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES AND STUDY ABROAD

www.brookes.ac.uk/exchange

For architecture students: www.brookes.ac.uk/architecture-portfolio

For arts students: arts.brookes.ac.uk/undergraduate/portfolios.html
If you receive an offer to study at Oxford Brookes you need to follow our 6-step guide.

1. READ OUR CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE

It is important that you read these before accepting a place at Oxford Brookes University. You can find them on our website: www.brookes.ac.uk/acceptance

2. ACCEPT YOUR OFFER

FOR UNDERGRADUATE AND FOUNDATION OFFERS THROUGH UCAS
Once every university that you have applied to has made their decision, UCAS will ask you to choose your ‘firm acceptance’ (your first choice) and your ‘insurance acceptance’ (your second or back-up choice). See the UCAS website for more information. www.ucas.com

You must make your decision by the deadline UCAS gives you, otherwise your offers will be declined automatically.

FOR UNDERGRADUATE OFFERS NOT THROUGH UCAS
If you applied to start your undergraduate programme in January you will have applied directly to Oxford Brookes. All information about your offer will be sent to you by the University’s admissions team. To reply to your offer and accept your place at Oxford Brookes University, you will need to reply directly to the University by the deadline given. Please note, unlike applications through UCAS, direct offers from Oxford Brookes for January do not give the option of firm or insurance choices.

FOR POSTGRADUATE OFFERS
If you have applied for a postgraduate programme via UCAS Postgraduate, all information relating to your offer will be sent to you through UCAS Postgraduate. You can access this by logging onto the UCAS Postgraduate website. www.ucas.com/postgraduate

As an international student you can only accept one offer.

FOR PATHWAYS OFFERS (ENGLISH LANGUAGE, FOUNDATION AND PRE-MASTER’S PROGRAMMES)
If you have applied for one of our university pathway courses, your application will be processed by the International Admissions Team. You can accept the offer online. The link to this will be sent with your offer letter. Please contact pathways@brookes.ac.uk if you have any questions about this.

3. PAY YOUR DEPOSIT – POSTGRADUATE AND PATHWAYS OFFERS

Your offer letter will state whether you need to pay a deposit to secure your place at Oxford Brookes. To pay you can use the Oxford Brookes online payment system.

http://shop.brookes.ac.uk

Your offer letter will also confirm the tuition fees for your course. For further information on fees, funding and payment methods please see our website.

www.brookes.ac.uk/international/finance

4. APPLY FOR ACCOMMODATION

As a first year international student, you are guaranteed a place in our halls of residence if you apply and meet your offer conditions by the deadline.

If you are an EU student and you apply and meet your offer conditions by the deadline, you should be guaranteed a place in our halls of residence if you apply by the deadline.

If you have accepted an offer for September entry you should receive an email with information about how to apply online for accommodation.

For other start dates and advice on applying please visit our website or contact accommodation@brookes.ac.uk

www.brookes.ac.uk/accommodation

5. APPLY FOR YOUR VISA

If you are from a country which is not in the European Economic Area (EEA) or Switzerland you will need to have a student visa to come to the UK.

If you need a Tier 4 student visa, Oxford Brookes must first provide you with a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS). This is required to comply with UK Visas and Immigration regulations.

To receive a CAS please follow these steps:

1. accept your offer
2. complete and submit the online CAS Information Form using the link in the email you will receive after you accept your offer
3. submit a copy of your passport including any previous UK visas.

You should apply for your CAS and visa as early as possible to make sure you can arrive before your course begins. However, you cannot apply for your visa more than three months before your course starts.

If you are coming to Brookes for a short course and you are not continuing on to another course you can apply for a Short-term study visa.

Check the website for the most up-to-date information for EU students www.brookes.ac.uk/ueu

Please see our ISAT webpages for further information about visas and immigration. www.brookes.ac.uk/students/isat/visas

6. ENROL AND ATTEND INDUCTION

As an Oxford Brookes student you will start receiving support and advice even before you arrive in Oxford. We will email you a link to our New Student website around one month before the start of your course. Please let us know if you change your email address.

Activities during induction week include:

- meeting staff in your department and other students on your course
- in-person enrolment and advising on study time table
- workshops on living and studying, arranging your finances and extending your visa
- advice on registering with a doctor
- campus and library tours
- advice on using the computer network
- joining the Brookes Students’ Union and sports centre.

“...They sent me loads of information and they really helped me a lot with the whole process, they told me exactly what to do and did the rest for me…”

Ingunn Lunde Heggebo, Norway, BSc (Hons) Psychology

For further information about what to do next: www.brookes.ac.uk/international/applicant
**International Pathways Courses**

**Prepare for Success in Your Degree**

Develop your study skills, subject knowledge and academic English as you build confidence for your degree.

**6 Reasons to Study a Pathways Course at Oxford Brookes**

1. You are an integral student of the university with access to all leisure, study and support services and guaranteed university accommodation for your first year.
2. You are taught by highly qualified lecturers with the passion for getting you on to your degree.
3. You will be part of an incredibly diverse student population – students from more than 50 countries enrolled on a pathways course last year.
4. Our courses are owned, designed and delivered by the university – their quality is paramount.
5. Our core class sizes are limited to just 18 students so you get the attention you need.
6. We support you closely with applying for your degree at Oxford Brookes or another university.

**Which Pathways Course Do You Need?**

- **Pre-sessional English**
  - English and study skills for bachelor’s and master’s degrees (see opposite)
- **Foundation courses**
  - Academic skills and subject knowledge for bachelor’s degrees (page 32)
- **Pre-master’s courses**
  - Academic skills and subject knowledge for master’s degrees (page 32)

**Meet the Language Requirements for Your Bachelor’s or Master’s Degree.**

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<th>CURRENT IELTS</th>
<th>COMBINED COURSE TIME REQUIRED*</th>
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<td>12 weeks</td>
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<td>5.5 (5.0 in all skills)</td>
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*This may vary by your pass rate and what’s required for your degree – we will tailor your course length as required.

**Richard Side**
Director, Oxford Brookes International

**Lisa Hale**
Course Leader, University English

“**We have been welcoming students from all over the world for more than 25 years. We make sure our students have the best possible preparation for studying on their degree programmes. Our support is an important part of your success.”**

**Ruqaya Mohammed**
Kuwait University English followed by MSc Rehabilitation

“**My University English course prepared me well for my postgraduate degree as it helped me write papers requiring in-depth research. Meeting lots of students from different countries also helped me to make new friendships and learn how to talk and interact with people from other cultures.”**

**Lisa Hale**
Course Leader, University English

“**Not only will this course give you a head start in your academic studies but you will also develop friendships that last beyond your time at Oxford Brookes. You will gain experience of university life from day one and build your language, knowledge and study skills that you’ll use with confidence in your degree.”**

**FIND OUT MORE AND APPLY ONLINE:**
www.brookes.ac.uk/international/pre-sessional
Contact us: pathways@brookes.ac.uk
INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION COURSES

Achieve the academic and language skills for your bachelor’s degree.

DO YOU NEED A FOUNDATION COURSE?
If you have less than 13 years of school with a high school diploma you will usually need to take a foundation course to qualify for an undergraduate degree in the UK. Contact us with any queries you have about your suitability.

WHY CHOOSE A FOUNDATION COURSE AT OXFORD BROOKES?
- Guaranteed progression onto our bachelor’s degrees (subject to achieving the required grades)
- A qualification that is accepted by other top UK universities
- Separate courses for students with a range of language levels and even native speakers
- £4,000 scholarships available
- Benefit from everything offered to all our pathways students (see page 26)

Course outline
During your foundation you will develop your:
- Overall academic and language skills
- Extended essay writing skills
- Intercultural communication skills

You will take subject modules of your choice at foundation and undergraduate level (see the subject pathways available in the table below).

Course title Minimum IELTS entry requirement Required pass rate for degree Extra info Subject pathways available Dates* (including induction and exams) Tuition fees
International Foundation Business and Technology 5.5 (5.5 in each skill) – Law: 6.0 overall or equivalent 4.5 (4.0 in each skill) with at least 40% Foundation year is integral part of a degree – just one application and one visa needed for four years of study Business, Marketing, Accounting and Hospitality / Computing 25 January – 17 August 2018 £12,210 (January 2018)
OR 17 September 2018 – 18 May 2019 £12,700 (September 2018 and January 2019)
EU students: £3,250

International Foundation Arts, Humanities and Law 5.5 (5.5 in each skill) or equivalent Must be an IELTS for UKM language test Automatic progression to your degree – just one application and one visa needed for four years of study Law, Politics and Psychology / Social Sciences, Humanities, Media and Communication 24 January – 16 August 2019 £16,535

International Foundation Diploma 5.0 (5.0 in each skill) Must be an IELTS for UKM language test Typically 55% (80-85% for law and psychology) Leads to most undergraduate degrees. Students with a higher language level of 6.0 will be placed together on the IFD Plus (see more online) Business, Marketing, Accounting and Hospitality / Computing / Law, Politics and Psychology / Life Sciences / Social Sciences, Humanities, Media and Communication 17 September 2018 – 16 August 2019 £13,085

International Foundation Diploma (Extended pathway) 4.5 (4.0 in each skill) Must be an IELTS for UKM language test Typically 55% (80-85% for law and psychology) Includes an extra semester of University English language tuition (see p27) Business, Marketing, Accounting and Hospitality / Computing / Law, Politics and Psychology / Social Sciences, Humanities, Media and Communication 17 September 2018 – 16 August 2019 £16,535
EU students: £13,085

Other foundation courses at Oxford Brookes include:
- Art and Design Foundation
- Built Environment Foundation
- Computing Foundation
- Engineering Foundation
- International Foundation in Business
- International Foundation in Law
- International Foundation in Science
- International Foundation in Social Sciences
- International Foundation in Arts
- International Foundation in Psychology
- International Foundation in Accounting and Finance
- International Foundation in Hospitality
- International Foundation in Computing
- International Foundation in Healthcare
- International Foundation in Education
- International Foundation in English Language
- International Foundation in Business Studies
- International Foundation in Management
- International Foundation in Economics
- International Foundation in Finance
- International Foundation in Marketing
- International Foundation in Tourism

* Dates soon to be confirmed.

For the latest information and to apply online: www.brookes.ac.uk/international/foundation
Contact us: pathways@brookes.ac.uk

“The foundation course at Brookes was very helpful for me. It gave me the opportunity to get onto my law degree.”

Christopher Mponga, Uganda, international foundation followed by LLB (Hons) Law

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Oxford Brookes is home to some of the best undergraduate teaching in the UK.

It’s the perfect place to study for a first degree. With our teaching and support we’ll help you reach your full potential.

UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Academic
You will need to have one of the following:
- A-levels, AS-levels or vocational A-levels
- BTech National Diploma
- A recognised foundation programme – see opposite, page 28.

The equivalent qualification from your own country. See website for details: www.brookes.ac.uk/international/
country

ACADEMIC ENGLISH SUPPORT
If your first language is not English we offer a range of options while you study your undergraduate degree to help you perform effectively in your undergraduate studies. There is no extra charge for these and they include:
- Modules – available as part of your programme or as an extra language module.
- Workshops – chosen according to your academic needs.
- Writing consultations – face to face or online.

ABROAD AND EXCHANGE
If you are studying an undergraduate degree course at Oxford Brookes you may have the opportunity to study or work in another country for one or two semesters. Check the individual course listings to see if this option is available.
www.brookes.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate

You can choose from around 150 universities and partner institutions in Australia, Canada, Europe, Hong Kong, Japan, Kazakhstan, Mexico, New Zealand, Thailand, Vietnam, Uruguay or the USA.
www.brookes.ac.uk/exchange

Would you recommend Oxford Brookes to other students?

“I love my course, it’s very well-structured. You learn everything from theory to practical aspects. So I think, as a nutrition student, I would definitely recommend studying at Brookes. We’ve got decent facilities for students to use. We’ve got new labs coming in and the staff are really professional as well. So yeah, I would definitely recommend this to friends.”

Bernard Chi, Hong Kong, BSc Human Nutrition

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO APPLY AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS VISIT:
www.brookes.ac.uk/international/apply/undergraduate
# UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE COURSES

All courses start in September. Courses with a January start are indicated.

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<th>COURSE TITLE</th>
<th>QUALIFICATION (single/combined)</th>
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<th>LONG (9-12 month)</th>
<th>PAID PLACEMENT</th>
<th>UNPAID SHORT WORK</th>
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<td>BA (Hons)</td>
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<td>Interior Architecture</td>
<td>BA (Hons)</td>
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<td>ARTS AND DIGITAL MEDIA</td>
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<td>Creative Music Production</td>
<td>BA (Hons)</td>
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<td>Digital Media Production</td>
<td>BA (Hons)</td>
<td>3 yrs/4 w/ placement</td>
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<td>Film Studies</td>
<td>BA (Hons)</td>
<td>3 years</td>
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<td>Music</td>
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<td>4 years</td>
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**Work placements** are based within a company; and are often for a long period - often from 9 - 12 months. Most are paid.

**Work experience may be for a short period of time - often a few weeks - and might either be situated in a workplace or be a consultancy for a real client. Some of these subjects are available as combined degrees.**

C Only available as part of a combined/honours degree including 2 subject areas.

J January start available in addition to September.

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**Course outline**
So you’re ready for your master’s you will take classes to improve your:
- Reading and research skills – for use in reports, essays and presentations. You will learn to find and use appropriate sources from libraries, databases and online; you will develop note-taking, summarising, citation and critical thinking skills.
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- Seminar skills – for developing your classroom-based speaking and listening skills in group discussions, debates and presentations.
- Subject knowledge – you will choose from a wide range of final-year undergraduate modules (or an Independent Study Module during the Summer).

“...the pre-master’s course enabled me to become used to the UK education system. All the teachers brought a wealth of experience and encouraged students who had difficulty expressing themselves to voice their opinions. At the end of the pre-master’s all the students had plenty of self-confidence.”

Taewoo (Alan) Kim, South Korea
Pre-Master’s Diploma followed by MSc Project Management in the Built Environment

**Course title** | **IELTS entry requirement** | **Course length** | **Tuition fees** | **Dates** |
---|---|---|---|---|
Pre-Master’s Certificate: Study Skills | 7.0 or native/near-native speaker | 1 semester 25 January – 19 May 2018 | £5,510 | 24 January – 18 May 2019 |
Pre-Master’s Certificate: English Language and Study Skills | 6.0 (5.5 in Reading/Listening; 6.0 in Writing) | 1 semester 25 January – 19 May 2018 | £5,510 | 24 January – 10 August 2018 |
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Two-Year Master’s Degree | 5.5 (5.5 in each skill) | Includes the Pre-Master’s Diploma in your first year (with dates, fees and language requirements as above) with automatic progression on to a range of master’s degrees. Just one application and one visa are required for your entire two years of study.

* Dates soon to be confirmed.
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**POSTGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Academic
For taught courses you will normally need an honours degree, a postgraduate diploma or an equivalent professional qualification. For some courses this may be in the same subject as your intended postgraduate degree, or a related subject. For specific entry requirements see the course listings: www.brookes.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate

If you do not meet our academic requirements you may need to take a pre-master’s course (see opposite, page 36).

**English Language**
You will usually need IELTS 6.0 – 7.0 (with 6.0 in reading and writing, 5.5 in listening and speaking). For the details of other English language qualifications that we accept please see our website, www.brookes.ac.uk/international/apply/english

If you do not meet our language requirements we offer a pre-sessional University English course (see page 27). This will help you reach the required level.

**ACADEMIC ENGLISH SUPPORT**
If your first language is not English we offer a range of options while you study for your postgraduate qualifications. These will help you develop the specific Academic English knowledge and skills needed for academic study as quickly and effectively as possible, building on the academic English qualifications you already have. There is no extra charge for these and they include:
- Non credit-bearing modules
- Short courses
- Tutorials
- Research writing consultations
- Independent study resources
- Personal guidance.

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So why did you decide to study in the UK?

“I decided to study in the UK as there are not a lot of countries where I can finish a master’s course in one year. And I’m studying Public Health and my undergraduate university professors said, ‘Well, the UK is a pioneer in this field so it must be good to study in Public Health there.’ Then I found out the Oxford Brookes programme was the most suitable for me because my background is nursing. The professors are really helpful and they really understand the cultural differences. We all have different backgrounds, but I feel it is OK because in a discussion we can use what we experienced together, so I can see a lot of different perspectives. So that is really nice.”

Moeko Hirashima, Japan, MSc Public Health
## POSTGRADUATE COURSES

All courses start in September unless marked JO. Courses with a start available in another month are indicated.

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- Composition and Improvisational Processes
- Contemporary Practice in Arts and Museums
- The Culture and History of Publishing
- Digital Media Theory and Practice
- Documentary Film
- Digital Anthropology
- Film History, Film Theory, and Film Criticism
- Film Music
- Kinetic Sculpture and Installation
- Music in 10th-century Culture
- Music, Gender and Religion
- Popular Music and Popular Song
- Public Art and Site Specific Installation
- Social Sculpture
- Sound Art and Sonic Art
- Opera

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- Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology
- Evolution, Ecology, Environment and Conservation

BUSINESS SCHOOL

Key research areas:
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- The International Centre for Coaching and Mentoring Studies
- Management and Entrepreneurship Education
- Work and Organisations
- Marketing, Social Media and Technology
- Applied Economics, Finance and Development
- Critical Perspectives on Accounting, Social Responsibility and Governance

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Key research areas:
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- Communications Media and Electronic Technologies
- Cognitive Robotics
- Applied Formal Methods
- Applied Software Engineering
- Advanced Reliable Computer Systems
- Sustainable Engineering and Innovation
- Low Carbon Vehicles
- Simulation, Modelling and Systems Integration

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Key research areas:
- Inclusion, Wellbeing and SEN
- Policy, Partnership and Leadership
- STEAM pedagogy and learning
- Early Years
- Humanistic Perspectives on Education
- Applied Linguistics

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND PHILOSOPHY

Key research areas:
- Performance and Culture
- Film History, Film Theory, and Film Criticism
- Film Music
- Thesis
- Subject
- Literature

SCHOOL OF HEALTH

Key research areas:
- Oxford Brookes Centre for Nutrition and Health
- Sport, Exercise, Physical Activity and Rehabilitation
- Oxford Institute of Nursing, Midwifery and Allied Health Research (OINMAR)
- The Centre for Movement, Occupational and Rehabilitation Sciences (MORS)
- Health Workforce Planning and Patient Safety
- Public Health (Children and Families, Maternal and Women’s Public Health)
- Supportive Care (Cancer Care, Diabetes Care, Care for Chronic Conditions)

SCHOOL OF THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Key research areas:
- Urban Design
- Environmental Impact Assessment
- Spatial Planning
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