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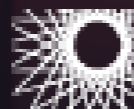
MSc Quantity Surveying



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Construction Managers

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Chartered
ICS

Help shape the future of the built environment

A career in quantity surveying is both diverse and exciting. One where you could work all over the world, taking on new challenges right at the forefront of the built environment.

With a worldwide shortage of quantity surveyors, this could be the perfect time for you to begin your career with an industry leading and accredited degree at UCEM.





BUILT FOR LIFE

Flexible and accessible learning that fits your life and career goals at every stage, creating a better built environment that is shaped with people in mind. We champion the role of the built environment as the setting in which life and lives take place, today and for generations to come.

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Welcome

UCEM is the leading provider of supported online learning for the built environment

Thank you for considering studying with UCEM. We are dedicated to ensuring your success and providing the best possible learning experience for all our students.

Since 1919, when we were founded as the College of Estate Management, we have supported around 150,000 students worldwide.

With over 100 years' experience of providing specialist and innovative training globally, we are here to support you through your studies and ensure you join the path to a rewarding career.

We are steadfast in our aspiration to be The Centre of Excellence for Built Environment Education.



Ashley Wheaton
UCEM Principal



UCEM Patron
His Royal Highness, The Prince of Wales

5 reasons to choose UCEM

01 Built for flexibility

Choose the pace you wish to study, our programmes are designed for busy working professionals and offer the flexibility to fit around work and other commitments

02

Our programmes are recognised and accredited by professional bodies including:



03



You'll be joining our vibrant international community spanning

100+ countries



04

Study from anywhere, our programmes are delivered online allowing you study whenever you want and wherever you are

05

Enhance your employability

Thousands of real estate and construction professionals have accelerated their careers by gaining qualifications through UCEM



Say hello, sannu, *السلام عليك* 哈囉

Joining CEM means being part of a vibrant to your new community

international community with students from all
over the world.



Distance learning is a great way to **build network connections** in your major and to **build your communication and interpersonal skills** with other classmates.

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MBA Real Estate and Construction

Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belgium, Bermuda, Botswana, British Virgin Islands, Cambodia, Canada, Cayman Islands, China, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, England, Eswatini,

Ethiopia, France, The Gambia, Germany, Ghana, Gibraltar, Greece, Grenada, Guernsey, Guyana, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Isle of Man, Israel, Jamaica, Jersey, Kenya, Republic of Korea, Kuwait, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macao,

Join our ever-growing

Countries as of



The VLE provided me with the flexibility to strike a balance between work and study. It also provided an excellent platform for me to **communicate and discuss coursework on international case studies with my classmates** all over the world.

Chan Sui Kai
MSc Real Estate

Hong Kong

Nigeria

Living community >

Autumn 2020

Malawi, Malaysia, Maldives, Mauritius, Mongolia, Monserrat, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Northern Ireland, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Réunion, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Scotland,

Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, St Lucia, St Kitts and Nevis, St Vincent and the Grenadines, Sudan, Tanzania, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United States, Vietnam, Wales, Zambia, Zimbabwe

MSc Quantity Surveying

Step into the world of quantity surveying with this online postgraduate programme. Our industry-recognised programme provides academic preparation for a career as a chartered surveyor and is a fast route towards membership of RICS.

The programme gives you an informed view of the key areas of knowledge required to develop your quantity surveying (QS) skills including quantification and measurement of construction works, cost management, contract practice and procedures, procurement and building economics. There is also a research project which will provide an in-depth assessment of a topic of your choice.



Programme Leader

Amanda Milambo

BSc MSc PGCAP FHEA

For more information:

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Podcast



Blog

Award

MSc Quantity Surveying

Duration

2 years

Dates

	Apply by	Start date
Autumn	8 Aug 2022	26 Sept 2022
Spring	20 Feb 2023	27 Mar 2023

Fees

£1,200 per module for students commencing in the 2022/23 academic year x 8 modules.

Total programme fee: £9,600

Time commitment

Each 20-credit module equates to a total of 200 study hours broken down between directed online learning, self-directed learning and assessment. The breakdown between these three types of activity may vary between modules but on average is as follows:

Directed study time: 60hrs	(30%)
Self-directed study time: 70hrs	(35%)
Assessment study time: 70hrs	(35%)



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Yr	Smtr	Autumn entry	Spring entry
1	smtr 1	Sustainable and Innovative Construction Contract Administration and Practice	Sustainable and Innovative Construction Building Economics
	smtr 2	Law for Surveyors Building Economics	Law for Surveyors Contract Administration and Practice
2	smtr 1	Professional Cost Management Management of Construction	Procurement and Tendering Management of Construction
		Postgraduate Project	Postgraduate Project
	smtr 2	Procurement and Tendering	Professional Cost Management
		Postgraduate Project (continued)	Postgraduate Project (continued)

■ Core modules smtr: semester



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“ I chose to study at UCEM because of its esteemed reputation in the industry. UCEM’s degrees are recognised by HKIS and RICS which means I am qualified to become chartered.

All the module leaders and tutors were very willing to help and I never felt alone during my studies. The VLE platform is very user-friendly so it makes studying more efficient which is very important for those who have little time to study each day after work.

Billy Diec

Assistant Quantity Surveyor,
Arcadis Hong Kong Limited

Study online



State-of-the-art learning

- ➔ Induction and comprehensive study resources to prepare you for your online learning experience
- ➔ Online assignment submission, feedback and results
- ➔ A network of discussion forums shared by fellow students and tutors

Flexible learning

- ➔ Earn while you learn. Our programmes will fit around your work and personal commitments
- ➔ Conveniently catch up on scheduled learning materials you may have missed
- ➔ Access to your learning materials to study wherever you are with an internet connection

Virtual Learning Environment

(VLE)

- ➔ Rich resources and tools to support your education and build your knowledge and skills
- ➔ Learn through online seminars, briefings, tutorials and drop-in sessions
- ➔ You'll also have access to our fantastic e-Library which hosts a vast collection of e-books, journals, articles and other online resources, enabling you to access a wealth of subject-specific and credible information to support you throughout your studies

Support

Apply now >



Academic support tutors

This team will help you navigate the world of online learning. Whether you need help using the VLE, the e-Library, understanding how to submit assignments, or managing your workload, these tutors are here to help you in a variety of ways throughout your studies.



Module tutors

Your module leader is assisted by a team of module tutors who provide additional support via the weekly discussion forums and through webinars.



Academic support

Our academic staff are experts in their fields and are here to make your studies with UCEM both stimulating and inspiring, whilst offering vital support and guidance along the way.



Disability and Welfare

UCEM has a dedicated Disability and Welfare Team who work to provide all students with the support and tools they need to succeed. Tailored support is available to students with a large range of disabilities, mental and physical health conditions, learning difficulties and other welfare related issues.



Student engagement team

Your first point of contact as a student. They will support you your studies and with queries, ensuring you're put in touch with all of the right teams and services within UCEM.



disabilitysupport@ucem.ac.uk



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Programme information



[Visit programme page >](#)

Entry requirements

Students are required to be 18 years or over at the start of their programme.

Academic requirements

You need either:

- ➔ A Bachelor's Degree with honours at lower second standard (2.2) or equivalent

For a full outline of all equivalent qualifications we accept, [visit the programme page entry requirements](#)

English language requirements

You need either:

- ➔ GCSE Grade 4 (or C) or above in English Language or English Literature, or an equivalent qualification

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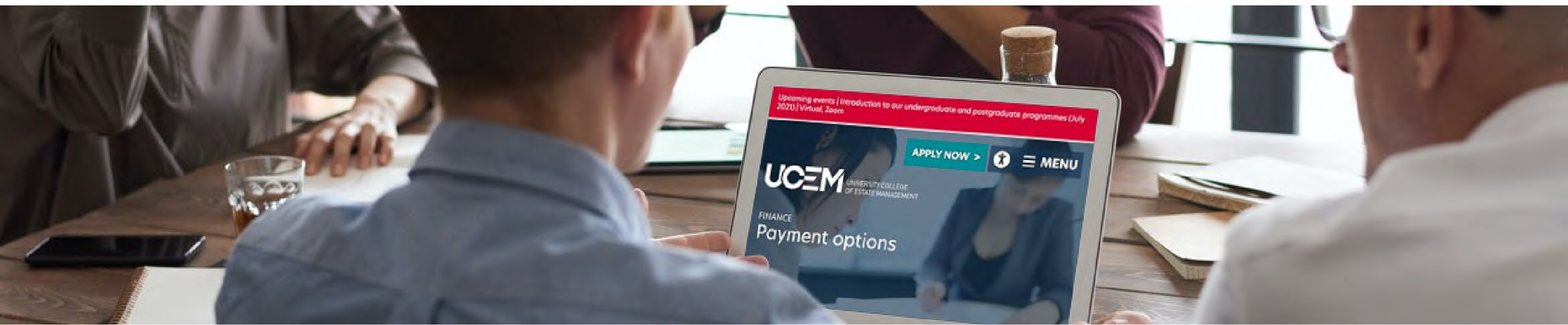
Assessment

Your module performance will be evaluated through a variety of assessments. Combinations of module assessment vary across programmes and from module to module. In line with the supported online education offering at UCEM, online resources will be made available in preparation of, and in conjunction with, assessments. Assessment no longer features exams, which means no travel to exam centres.

Access and participation plan

UCEM is committed to widening access and participation by providing education that is accessible to all, to enable students to achieve and develop in their careers. For more information, please visit [our policies page](#).

Fees and funding



Flexible payment options

As with our online mode of learning, your payment options with us are flexible. You can choose to make a one-off payment at the beginning of each semester or pay for each semester in five, monthly instalments to spread the cost.

Additional fees

If you do not pass a module at the first attempt, you will normally be offered a resubmission free of charge. If you do not pass a module at the first attempt, you will normally be offered a resubmission free of charge. If you fail the resubmission, you will normally be required to pay the full module fee when you retake the module. If you interrupt your studies on a module, you will be able to return to study that module at the next available opportunity for 50% of the module fee.

Please visit our [financial support page](#) for more information.

Scholarships

Our Postgraduate Scholarship Scheme is designed to assist those new students who are able to merit financial support and demonstrate a strong academic record in their previous studies.

It is open to new postgraduate students from all countries and will provide a discount of up to 50% off fees for the duration of the programme. To apply for a postgraduate scholarship from UCEM, you must first be offered a place on a degree.

[Apply for Scholarship](#)



Always a part of UCEM

Graduation is just the beginning of your journey with UCEM. Upon graduating, you'll be an UCEM alumnus/alumna, which means gaining access to fantastic benefits.

15% discount on all online CPD with UCEM Online Academy

15% discount on courses designed to provide a route to chartered membership of CIOB

10% discount on any one of our Postgraduate programmes

A dedicated Alumni LinkedIn Group where you can network and keep up to date on UCEM news and events

Invitations to all Alumni Association CPD and networking events

Careers advice for three years following your graduation

Access to our mentoring programme



With over **150,000**

UCEM alumni and counting, you'll join a vast and growing community

[Join the alumni association >](#)

Sustainability



Our sustainability commitment

“UCEM fully accepts its responsibilities to the natural environment and the global society. We are committed to driving forward the sustainability agenda and will play a positive and transformative role that will contribute to securing an economically, politically, environmentally and socially sustainable future.”

[View our sustainability pledges >](#)

Teaching sustainability

Realising UCEM's sustainability potential goes beyond addressing day-to-day operations, to recognising our position to influence and educate industry professionals who design, develop and manage the built environment. Delivering academic excellence is one of UCEM's primary goals.

Recognition

UCEM is proud to have been the first alternative provider to be awarded the Responsible Futures accreditation by the NUS (National Union of Students). This highlights UCEM's commitment to promoting sustainability and social responsibility. UCEM was also recognised with a 'Highly Commended' accolade at the Green Gown Awards.

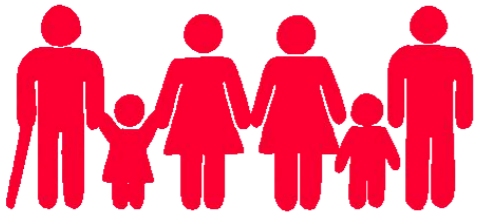
UN sustainability goals

The United Nations's' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) outline 17 interconnected objectives in order to achieve a better and more sustainable future for all. These goals address the challenges we face as a planet, including poverty, inequality, climate change, environmental degradation, peace and justice.

The UN sets out to achieve these wide-reaching goals by 2030, and UCEM is working institutionally to achieve these goals where possible, as well as striving to incorporate them into our curriculum. We are currently in the process of mapping our curriculum to these goals, so check our website in the future for more information.

The UN's sustainability goals

1 NO
POVERTY



2 ZERO
HUNGER



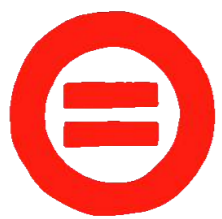
3 GOOD HEALTH
AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY
EDUCATION



5 GENDER
EQUALITY



6 CLEAN WATER
AND SANITATION



7 AFFORDABLE AND
CLEAN ENERGY



8 DECENT WORK AND
ECONOMIC GROWTH



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION
AND INFRASTRUCTURE



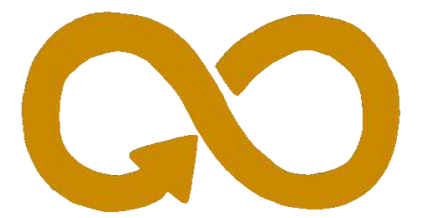
10 REDUCED
INEQUALITIES



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES
AND COMMUNITIES



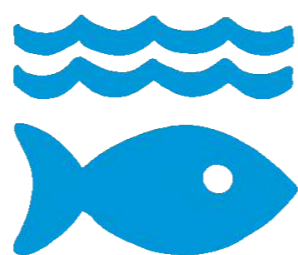
12 RESPONSIBLE
CONSUMPTION
AND PRODUCTION



13 CLIMATE
ACTION



14 LIFE
BELOW WATER



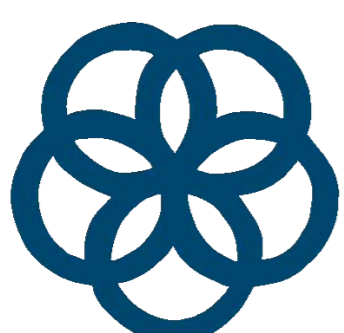
15 LIFE
ON LAND



16 PEACE, JUSTICE
AND STRONG
INSTITUTIONS



17 PARTNERSHIPS
FOR THE GOALS



**SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT GOALS**

Our BSc (Hons) programmes

- ➔ Undergraduate Single Module Study >
- ➔ Certificate of Higher Education
Built Environment Studies >
- ➔ BSc (Hons) Building Control >
- ➔ BSc (Hons) Building Surveying >
- ➔ BSc (Hons) Construction
Management >
- ➔ BSc (Hons) Quantity Surveying >
- ➔ BSc (Hons) Real Estate Management
>

Access to our BSc (Hons)

- ➔ BSc Access Module >

Our MSc programmes

- ➔ Postgraduate Single Module Study
Programme >
- ➔ MSc Building Surveying >
- ➔ MSc Construction Management >
- ➔ MSc Quantity Surveying >
- ➔ MSc Real Estate >

Our specialist programme

- ➔ MBA Construction and Real Estate >

Access to our MSc

- ➔ Postgraduate Access Programme >

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