

Addendum to the Programme Specification

4681 BSc Population Geography

This Addendum has been produced to highlight the key changes made to the existing Programme Specification as a result of the University's response to the Covid-19 Pandemic. You should read it in conjunction with the relevant Programme Specification from the year you started your programme.

[Programme Specification for entry in 2020-21](#)

[Programme Specification for entry in 2019-20](#)

[Programme Specification for entry in 2018-19](#)

University level information

In view of COVID-19, the University has had to make changes to some elements of programme delivery for 2020-21. These changes have included the method of delivery, such as face-to-face and online, and the number of modules available.

The University aims to provide as much of a face-to-face component to your education as prevailing conditions at the time allow, combined with its new blended approach that will develop active independent and group online learning.

As the COVID-19 pandemic develops, the University's response to this and other issues may likewise need to evolve. The University will consult with student representatives as necessary and appropriate and will communicate changes to you as soon as practicable so that you have the information you need to understand how a change may impact you and what steps you need to take next. The University remains committed to supporting you as you learn.

Programme Information

The organisation of the degree is broadly as noted in the relevant Programme Specifications. Changes include:

- In Year 1 there will be seven compulsory modules from Demography and Social Statistics and from Geography, with only one option module available in Semester 2.
- In the final year of the programme, the requirement to take a module from Demography in the second semester has been dropped.
- In light of Covid-19, there will be a change to how some group work tasks will be organised.
- There are limited examinations throughout the programme compulsory and core modules; most will be assessed through coursework or online tests
- The second year fieldtrip may not be overseas. The module that includes this fieldtrip is a core and compulsory module, but an alternative to the overseas trip will be offered in line with current social distancing and local and international guidelines

Programme Structure

Where optional modules have been specified, the following is an indicative list of available optional modules, which are subject to change each academic year. Please note that, in some instances, modules have limited spaces available.

Year 1 – Part 1

Option modules: You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS from the S2 option modules listed.

You may also select a LANGXX15 module.

Semester 1				Semester 2			
Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module type	Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module Type
GEOG1007 Skills for Population and Geography	7.5	15	Core	STAT1003 Introduction to Quantitative Methods	7.5	15	Core
GEOG1011 Dangerous World	7.5	15	Comp	DEMO1003 Population and Society	7.5	15	Comp
GEOG1004 A Global World	7.5	15	Comp	GEOG1003 Society, Culture and Space	7.5	15	Comp
DEMO1001 Introduction to Demographic Methods	7.5	15	Comp	SOCI1002 Transformations of the Modern World	7.5	15	Optional
				PAIR1001 Introduction to International Relations	7.5	15	Optional
				ANTH1001 Exploring other Cultures	7.5	15	Optional
				GEOG1001 The Earth System	7.5	15	Optional
				UOSM2017 Intercultural Communication in a Global World	7.5	15	Optional
				LANGXX15	7.5	15	Optional

Part 2

Optional Modules – Semester 1

You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS from the modules listed

Optional Modules – Semester 2

You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS from the modules listed

You may also select a LANGXX15 module.

Do not select modules you have taken and passed previously.

Semester 1				Semester 2			
Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module type	Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module Type
DEMO2010 Population Change in Low- and Middle-Income Countries	7.5	15	Comp	DEMO2015 Applied Population Research Methods	7.5	15	Core
GEOG2010 Introductory Geographic Information Systems	7.5	15	Comp	DEMO2005 Population Processes in High Income Countries	7.5	15	Comp
STAT2009 Research Methods in The Social Sciences	7.5	15	Comp	DEMO2014 Population Analysis	7.5	15	Comp
GEOG2027 Geographies of Wellbeing	7.5	15	Optional	DEMO2008 Population and Reproductive Health	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG2034 Economic Geography	7.5	15	Optional	DEMO2004 Migration	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG2037 Global Water Resources	7.5	15	Optional	SOCI2003 Gender and Society	7.5	15	Optional
PAIR2001 Theorising International Politics	7.5	15	Optional	SOCI2036 Globalisation, Inequalities and Power	7.5	15	Optional
LANGXX15	7.5	15	Optional	PAIR2005 Development and International Relations	7.5	15	Optional
UOSM2022 Social Enterprise	7.5	15	Optional	LANGXX15	7.5	15	Optional
				UOSM2017 Intercultural Communication in a Global World	7.5	15	Optional

Part 3

Geog Option modules G1 Semester 1

You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS. Do not select modules you have taken and passed previously.

Geog Option modules G2 Semester 2

You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS. Do not select modules you have taken and passed previously.

Additional Option modules Semester 1

You must select 7.5ECTS/15CATS. Do not select modules you have taken and passed previously.

You may select modules from:

ANTH3002, SOCI3002, SOCI3083, LANGXX15, or any GEOG module listed in the table below if not taken and passed previously

Additional Option modules Semester 2

You must select 15ECTS/30CATS. Do not select modules you have taken and passed previously.

LANGXX15, UOSM2033, or any GEOG and/or DEMO module if not taken and passed previously

Semester 1				Semester 2			
Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module type	Modules	ECTS	CATS	Module Type
DEMO3011 Project/Dissertation					15	30	Core
STAT3004 Applied Regression Analysis	7.5	15	Comp	DEMO3003 Migration	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG3010 Environment and Health	7.5	15	Optional	DEMO3007 Population and Reproductive Health	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG3053 Geographies of Social Justice, Welfare and Rights	7.5	15	Optional	GEOG3006 Advanced Geographical Information Systems	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG3049 Evolutionary Economic Geography	7.5	15	Optional	GEOG3058 Geographies of Housing and Home	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG3057 Adapting to Climate Change and Weather Hazards	7.5	15	Optional	GEOG3062 Migration and Development	7.5	15	Optional
GEOG3063 The Creative Economy	7.5	15	Optional	GEOG3070 Gender, Sexuality and Space	7.5	15	Optional
ANTH3002 Sexuality and Intimacy	7.5	15	Optional	UOSM2017 Intercultural Communication in a Global World	7.5	15	Optional
SOCI3002 Comparing Welfare States, Evolution, Politics & Impact	7.5	15	Optional	LANGXX15	7.5	15	Optional
SOCI3083 Class Structure and Social Inequality	7.5	15	Optional				
LANGXX15	7.5	15	Optional				
UOSM2022 Social Enterprise	7.5	15	Optional				