

# Addendum to the Programme Specification

MArc Archaeology 7810 Ad 202021

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](#)

[Programme Specification for entry in 2017-18](#)

## University level information

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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

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In light of COVID-19, teaching and learning methods may be adapted. Lectures, seminars, practicals, tutorials, and consultation with academic staff may be delivered online or in person as the prevailing conditions allow. Fieldwork and fieldtrips may require alteration, if delivery is possible, as may access to laboratory facilities. Group sizes for practicals, tutorials and seminars may be adjusted. Assessment methods may also be adapted. For example, exams may be replaced by coursework or take-home assignments, and individual/group presentations and projects may take place online or be adapted to allow for social distancing guidelines.

## Programme Structure

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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.

<b>Programme:</b>	MArc Master of Archaeology - 7810
<b>Term:</b>	2020-2021 Academic Session (202021)
<b>Area title:</b>	7810-1 - MArc Master of Arch Part 1

**Compulsory Modules**

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">ARCH 1001</a>	Human Origins	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 1002</a>	The Emergence of Civilisation	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 1005</a>	Archaeological Method	15	No	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 1030</a>	Ancient and Medieval Worlds	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 1057</a>	Archaeological Thought	15	No	Semester 1

**Optional Modules**

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<b>Optional Modules</b>		
	<b>Semester 2 Modules</b>		
Rule 1 GROUP 2	<b>Please select 15-45 Credits</b>		
<a href="#">ARCH 1028</a>	Landscapes and Seascapes of Britain's Past	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 1047</a>	Debates and Issues in Archaeological Science	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 1062</a>	Wonderful things: World history in 40 objects	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">HUMA 1038</a>	Introduction to Ethnography: Food and Culture	15	Semester 2
Rule 1 GROUP 3	<p><b>Alternative Modules</b></p> <p><b>If you are selecting modules from this group please make sure that you will be taking an even number of modules (compulsory and optional) in each semester.</b></p> <p><b>For advice on selecting alternative modules please speak to your Personal Academic Tutor.</b></p>		
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>

<b>Programme:</b>	MArc Master of Archaeology - 7810
<b>Term:</b>	2020-2021 Academic Session (202021)
<b>Area title:</b>	7810-2 - MArc Master of Arch Part 2

**Compulsory Modules**

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">ARCH 2040</a>	Prof & Acadm Practice in Arch	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 2041</a>	Contemp Issues & Debate in Arc	15	No	Semester 2

### Optional Modules

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<b>Select 6 Modules</b>  <b>Select 6 Optional modules from the following groups.</b>		
Rule 1 GROUP 1	<b>Semester 1 Modules</b>  <b>Please select 30-45 credits</b>		
<a href="#">ARCH 2003</a>	The power of Rome: Europe's first empire	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 2017</a>	Maritime Archaeology	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 2029</a>	Digging Data: quantitative data analysis in Archaeology	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 2036</a>	Critical Chronologies: Archaeological dating	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">HUMA 2008</a>	The Life and Afterlife of the Vikings	15	Semester 1
Rule 1 GROUP 2	<b>Semester 2 Modules</b>  <b>Please select 30-45 credits</b>		
<a href="#">ARCH 2001</a>	Human Dispersal and Evolution	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 2004</a>	Introduction to European Prehistory	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 2027</a>	Bones, bodies and burials: osteology and comparative anatomy	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">HUMA 2016</a>	Arabian Nights and Days: The World of the 1001 Nights	15	Semester 2
Rule 1 GROUP 3	<b>Alternative Modules</b>  <b>If you are selecting modules from this group please make sure that you will be taking an even number of modules (compulsory and optional) in each semester.</b>  <b>For advice on selecting alternative modules please speak to your Personal Academic Tutor.</b>		
<a href="#">HUMA 2013</a>	How the Arts Work: A Practical Introduction to Cultural Econ	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>

UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
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<b>Term:</b>	2020-2021 Academic Session (202021)
<b>Area title:</b>	7810-3 - MArc Master of Arch Part 3

### Compulsory Modules

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">ARCH 3025</a>	Dissertation in Archaeology	30	No	Full Academic Year

### Optional Modules

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<b>Select 6 Modules</b> <b>Select 6 Optional modules from the following groups.</b>		
Rule 1 GROUP 1	<b>Semester 1 Modules</b> <b>Please select 30-45 credits.</b>		
<a href="#">ARCH 3008</a>	Stonehenge to Skara Brae: the Neolithic of Britain	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 3017</a>	Presenting the past: Museums and Heritage	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 3039</a>	More than Pyramids & Pharaohs? Ancient Egypt in Context	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 3044</a>	GIS for Archaeology	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 3048</a>	Photogrammetry and Data Visualisation in Archaeology	15	Semester 1
Rule 1 GROUP 2	<b>Semester 2 Modules</b> <b>Please select 30-45 credits.</b>		
<a href="#">ARCH 3011</a>	Iron Age Societies	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 3028</a>	Living with the Romans: Urbanism in the Roman Empire	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 3034</a>	Archaeology of Seafaring	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 3036</a>	Molecular Archaeology	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 3042</a>	Ecology of human evolution: biological, social and cultural	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 3043</a>	Later Anglo-Saxon England	15	Semester 2
Rule 1 GROUP 3	<b>Alternative Modules</b> <b>If you are selecting modules from this group please make sure that you will be</b>		

	<p><b>taking an even number of modules (compulsory and optional) in each semester.</b></p> <p><b>For advice on selecting alternative modules please speak to your Personal Academic Tutor.</b></p>		
<a href="#">HUMA 2013</a>	How the Arts Work: A Practical Introduction to Cultural Econ	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>

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<b>Area title:</b>	7810-4 - MArc Master of Arch Part 4

#### Compulsory Modules

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">ARCH 6415</a>	Arch Dissertation - Int Master	30	No	Full Academic Year

#### Optional Modules

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<p><b>Please Select 90 Credits</b></p> <p><b>Please select a total of 90 credits from the following list. Students must choose at least one module defined as central to a specific area of expertise (ARCH6121, ARCH6126, ARCH6127, ARCH6412, ARCH6119, ARCH6413).</b></p>		
<a href="#">ARCH 6119</a>	Applied Maritime Archaeology	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6120</a>	Maritime Museums and Heritage Management	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6121</a>	Contexts for Human Origins Research	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6122</a>	Ancient Mediterranean Seafaring	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6126</a>	Bioarchaeology of Human Remains	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6127</a>	Analysis of archaeological faunal remains	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6128</a>	Cultural Heritage within Environmental Impact Assessment	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6412</a>	Professional Practice	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6413</a>	Professional Placement in the Archaeological and Cultural	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6414</a>	Maritime Aspects of Culture	15	Semester 1

<a href="#">ARCH 6417</a>	Materials, Technology and Social Life	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6418</a>	Themes in Osteoarchaeology	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6419</a>	Nautical Archaeology	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">ARCH 6420</a>	Palaeopathology in Context	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">ARCH 6423</a>	Planet Handaxe - the Acheulean and its Makers in the Old	15	Semester 2