



## University of Roehampton (London)

### Ecology, Evolution and Behaviour

#### Study details

**Course type:** Master's degree

**Degree:** MbyRes Ecology, Evolution and Behaviour

**Study mode:** Full time

**Duration:** 12 Month

#### Cost of study

**Cost :** 17 000 - 18 000 GBP

**Reg. fee :** N/A GBP

**Scholarship :**

**Insurance :** N/A GBP

#### Intake/s

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#### Requirements

### Entry requirements

#### Roehampton English Language Test

- Postgraduate degrees - mapped to IELTS scores

#### TOEFL IBT

- Postgraduate degrees - 89 overall with a minimum of 17 in listening and writing, 18 in reading and 20 in speaking

#### IELTS Academic

- Postgraduate degrees – 6.5 overall with a minimum 5.5 in each component

#### Cambridge Advanced Certificate

- Postgraduate degrees - 176 overall with a minimum 162 in each component (some schools require a minimum of 169 in each)

#### Cambridge Proficiency Certificate

- Postgraduate degrees - 176 overall with a minimum 162 in each component (some schools require a minimum of 169 in each)

All applicants that require a Tier 4 visa must also meet the minimum English Language requirements before we can issue a Certificate of Acceptance for Study (CAS) that is needed to apply for a Tier 4 visa.

## Academic requirements

Along with a complete application, EU and international applicants are required to submit various supporting documents. These include:

- Academic qualifications (certificate and transcript)
- Valid English language qualification
- Personal statement
- Two references

## Accommodation

## Facilities

- 24-hour computer room. Whitelands is able to boast an on-site 24-hour computer room for all Whitelands students to use.
- Quiet Study Area and Manresa Hall.
- College Kitchen & Student Lockers.
- Sports Field and Grounds.
- Catering On-Site.

## Accommodation Fees

£163.00 to 210.00 pw

## Speciality

**There aren't any pathways available**

**Additional information**

## Degree Overview

The ecology, evolution and behaviour of organisms are key elements of the natural world we see around us. Improving our knowledge of these topics is important in mitigating the impacts of environmental change, improving food and water security, increasing animal welfare and explaining the diversity of life we see across the globe. This research master's gives you the opportunity to develop your understanding of the natural world by undertaking an independent research project in a topic within ecology, evolution or behaviour. You will undertake this research project with the support of a dedicated research active supervisor who is an expert in the field. They will guide and support

you as you develop and conduct your project, giving you the opportunity to take ownership of a piece of research that you are passionate about. Supervisors will be members of staff from the dynamic and vibrant research community within the School of Life and Health Sciences. This includes world-leading researchers from the Centre for Research in Ecology, Evolution and Behaviour and the Centre for Research in Evolutionary, Social and Interdisciplinary Anthropology. Details of potential supervisors and research projects can be found here. When you're developing your application, you should in touch with a potential supervisor to discuss potential research project topics. With the support and guidance of this supervisor, you'll spend the full duration of the programme conducting your research project. This includes developing hypotheses and predictions, collecting data, analysing these data and presenting these data in a final written report. This final report includes a paper suitable for submission to a peer-reviewed scientific journal and a press release to promote your project's findings. The programme will provide you with an in-depth knowledge of your chosen topic. In addition, it also places an emphasis on providing you with transferrable skills in areas such as project management, data analysis and communication that will help you develop a future career in further research, non-academic or commercial sectors. You can find out more on the course's Twitter and Instagram pages. You'll also receive dedicated training in research methods. This includes learning skills in scientific project design, data analysis and scientific reporting. Dedicated sessions are also provided in transferrable skills such as scientific communication, grant writing, CV writing and interview preparation.

## Study Reasons

- This course provides students with preparation for a wide range of future careers. These include careers in further research (e.g. PhDs), conservation projects and organisations, animal welfare groups and environmental charities. It also provides students with research skills that will be valuable in a range of careers in the public and private sectors.