



University of Dundee

Forensic Anthropology

Study details

Course type: Bachelor's degree

Degree: BSc (Hons) Forensic Anthropology

Study mode: Full time

Duration: 36 Month

Cost of study

Cost : 25 000 GBP

Reg. fee : 200 GBP

Scholarship :

Insurance : N/A GBP

Intake/s

Jan/Sep

Requirements

English language requirements

IELTS Academic

- Overall 6.0
- Writing 6.0
- Listening 5.5
- Reading 5.5
- Speaking 5.5

We also accept other English language qualifications. (TOEFEL iBT, Trinity ISE, LANGUAGECERT Academic..)

Don't meet the English language requirements?

Pre-sessional English for international students. If you hold a conditional offer and have not yet met the English entry requirements for a degree course at the University, we can help you with our pre-sessional English courses.

Study for 4 years (start at Level 1)

The essential subjects are Mathematics + another science (Information Technology, Chemistry, Biology, Human Biology, Physics, or Computing Science) - A-level, GCE CCC

Study for 3 years (start at Level 2)

The essential subjects are Mathematics + another Science (Information Technology, Chemistry, Biology, Human Biology, Physics, Psychology or Computing Science) - A-level, GCE ABB

IB (International Baccalaureate) diploma

Study for 4 years (start at Level 1) - 28 points, including 5, 5, 4 at higher level

Essential subject: Mathematics at Higher Level

Study for 3 years (start at Level 2) - 32 points, including 6, 5, 5 at higher level

Essential subject: Mathematics at Higher Level

Accommodation

Key Features & Amenities

- Self-catered
- Single occupancy
- Access to laundry facilities
- En-suite (with shower and toilet)
- Inclusive of Utility bills
- In easy reach of bicycle storage
- Fully connected to superfast wired and wifi internet
- Connection to Freeview or Freesat

All rooms are single occupancy with private bathrooms (en suite), equipped with superfast WiFi. Rooms cost approximately £140-£170 per week.

Also available are laundry facilities, bike storage, a shared kitchen and weekend parking.

Halls are 10-minutes away from big supermarkets and the train station. Even less is the walk to get to the city centre, full of restaurants, cafes and bars.

Speciality

International College Dundee

If you do not meet our academic grade requirements for your chosen course, we can offer you an alternative route to begin your studies. Our international incorporated degrees will develop your subject knowledge, academic English and university level study skills.

Pathways Available - International Stage One

Tuition fees for International students will increase by no more than 5% per year for the length of your course.

Additional information

Degree Overview

Forensic anthropology is the analysis of human remains for medicolegal (medical and legal) purposes. This includes establishing identity, investigating suspicious deaths and identifying victims of mass disasters.

It is a specialised area of forensic science that requires detailed anatomical and osteological training. Identifying the deceased is critical to the successful outcome of all legal investigations.

During your first two years, you'll study modules within the School of Life Sciences. This gives you a solid understanding of physiology, biochemistry and related biomedical sciences.

As the degree progresses, you'll develop a sound knowledge of the human body from the early stages of development to adult form. You'll learn full body dissection on our Thiel embalmed cadavers and understand the practical methods central to anatomy. You'll focus on skeletal anatomy and begin to learn how the analysis of the skeleton fits within medicolegal investigation.

We were the first UK university to use this embalming system in our teaching. This maintains the fascial layers between structures, is highly flexible and retains lifelike colour and consistency.

It also benefits your learning in becoming a forensic practitioner, as the identification of the deceased relies heavily on not only hard tissue like the skeleton, but also soft tissue information.