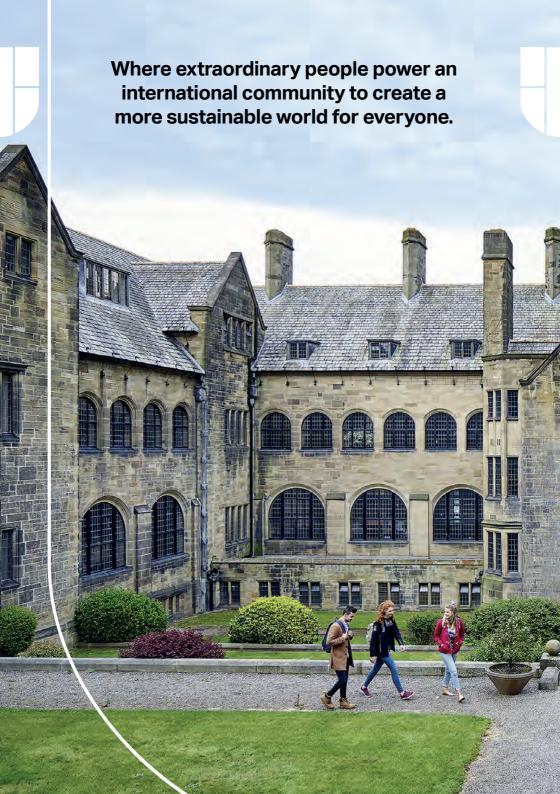
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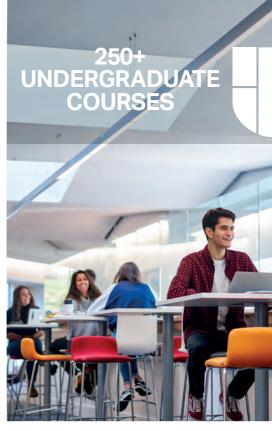
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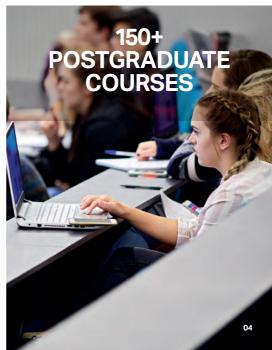


International Student Handbook











STANDING FOR EXCELLENCE IN EVERYTHING WE DO, FROM OUR INSPIRING TEACHING TO OUR WORLD CLASS RESEARCH.

WHY STUDY AT BANGOR

World leading research

Bangor University provides an environment where great research ideas are born and can flourish. 85% of Bangor University's research is world-leading or internationally excellent (REF 2021).



WORLD CLASS RANKING

Top 10 in the UK for University of the Year (WhatUni 2023)

Top 10 in the UK for our Students' Union (WhatUni 2023)

No.3 in the UK for Student Accommodation (WhatUni 2023)

Top 10 UK University for Campus & Facilities (StudentCrowd University Awards 2022) Top 20 UK University for Teaching Quality (The Times and The SundayTimes Good University Guide, 2023)

> Top 30 UK University for Student Satisfaction (The Complete University Guide 2022)

15th in the World for Sustainability (UI GreenMetric, World University Rankings 2021).







UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

(September 2023 Entry)

BANGOR BUSINESS SCHOOL

Accounting and Finance BSc (Hons)
Accounting and Management BSc (Hons)
Banking and Finance BSc (Hons)
Banking with Financial Technology BSc (Hons)
Business Data Analytics BSc (Hons)
Business Management BSc (Hons)
Economics BSc (Hons)
Economics and Finance BSc (Hons)

Management with Human Resource Management BSc (Hons)
Marketing BSc (Hons)

Tourism Management BSc (Hons)

COMPUTER SCIENCES, ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING AND PRODUCT DESIGN

Computer Information Systems BSc (Hons)
Computer Information Systems for Business BSc (Hons)
Computer Science BSc/MComp
Computer Systems Engineering BSc/BEng/MEng
Control and Instrumentation Engineering MEng
Creative Technologies BSc (Hons)
Data Science and Visualisation BSc (Hons)
Data Science and Artificial Intelligence BSc (Hons)
Electronic Engineering BSc/BEng/MEng (Hons)
Product Design BSc (Hons)



All undergraduate courses have the option of adding an 'International Experience Year' or a 'Work Placement Year' onto their degree, making it a 4 year degree.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND LINGUISTICS

English Language BA (Hons)
English Language and English Literature
[with Foundation Year] BA/ELLITF
English Language and English Literature BA (Hons)
English Language for Speech and Language

Therapy BA (Hons)

English Language for TEFL BA (Hons)

English Literature BA (Hons)

English Literature and Creative Writing BA (Hons)

Creative and Professional Writing BA (Hons)

English Literature and Music BA (Hons)

English Literature with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)

Linguistics BA (Hons)

Linguistics and Psychology BA (Hons)

Linguistics and the English Language BA (Hons)

FILM, JOURNALISM AND MEDIA

Creative Studies BA (Hons)
Film Studies and English Literature BA (Hons)
Film Studies and Production BA (Hons)

Film Studies with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)

Journalism and Media Studies BA (Hons)

Media Studies and Creative Writing BA (Hons)

Media Studies and English Literature BA (Hons)

Media Studies and Music BA (Hons)

Media Studies and Production BA (Hons)
Media Studies with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)

HISTORY, PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Criminology and Criminal Justice BA (Hons)

Criminology and Criminal Justice and Social Policy BA (Hons)

Heritage, Archaeology and History BA (Hons)

History BA (Hons)

History [with Foundation Year] BA/HF

History and Archaeology BA (Hons)

History and English Literature BA (Hons)

History and Music BA (Hons)

Medieval and Early Modern History BA (Hons)

Modern and Contemporary History BA (Hons)

Philosophy, Ethics and Religion BA (Hons)

Politics BA (Hons)

Politics [with Foundation Year] BA/POLF

Professional Policing BSc (Hons)

Sociology BA (Hons)

Sociology and Criminology and Criminal Justice BA (Hons)

Sociology and Social Policy BA (Hons)

LAW

Criminal Law LLB Law LLB

Law LLB (2-Year Degree Scheme for graduates)

Law with Criminology LLB Law with History LLB Law with Politics LLB Law with Psychology LLB

Law with Sociology LLB

Law with Modern Languages LLB

MEDICAL AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Biomedical Science BSc (Hons)
Biomedical Science (with Foundation Year) BSc/BScF
Health and Social Care BA (Hons)
Medical Sciences BMedSci (Hons)
Medical Sciences (with Foundation Year) BMedSci/MF
Pharmacology BSc (Hons)
Pharmacology (with Foundation Year) BSc/PHF

MODERN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

* Modern Languages BA (Hons) (4 years)

Modern Languages [with Foundation Year] BA/MLF
Modern Languages and Criminology and
Criminal Justice BA (Hons) (4 years)
Modern Languages and English Literature BA (Hons) (4 years)
Modern Languages and Film Studies BA (Hons) (4 years)
Modern Languages and History BA (Hons) (4 years)
Modern Languages and Media Studies BA (Hons) (4 years)
Modern Languages and Philosophy, Ethics and
Religion BA (Hons) (4 years)
Creative Writing and Modern Languages BA (Hons) (4 years)

Linguistics and Modern Languages BA (Hons) (4 years)
4 years, 1 year spent overseas studying or working

* Languages offered: French, German, Italian, Spanish, Chinese.

MUSIC

Music BA (Hons)

Music [with Foundation Year] BA/BUSF

Music BMus (Hons)

Music [with Foundation Year] BMUS/MUSF

Music and Creative Writing BA (Hons)

Music and Film Studies BA (Hons)

Music and Modern Languages BA (Hons)

Music (Performance) BA (Hons)

Music with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)

NATURAL SCIENCES

Applied Terrestrial and Marine Ecology BSc (Hons) ♦ Biology BSc/MBiol

Biology (with Foundation Year) BSc/BF

Biology with Biotechnology BSc/MBiol

Conservation with Forestry BSc (Hons) ◊

Environmental Conservation BSc (Hons) ◊

Environmental Science BSc/MEnvSci

Environmental Sciences (with Foundation Year) BSc/ESF

Forestry BSc (Hons) ◊

Geography BA/BSc/MGeog ◊

Wildlife Conservation BSc (Hons)

Woodland Management and Conservation BSc (Hons)

Zoology BSc/MZool

Zoology (with Foundation Year) BSc/ZF

Zoology with Marine Zoology BSc/MZool

Zoology with Animal Behaviour BSc/MZool

Zoology with Animal Management BSc/MZool

Zoology with Conservation BSc/MZool

Zoology with Herpetology BSc/MZool

Zoology with Ornithology BSc/MZool

Zoology with Primatology BSc/MZool







OCEAN SCIENCES

Geological Oceanography BSc/MSci

Geological Oceanography (with Foundation Year) BSc/GEOF

Marine Biology BSc/MSci ◊

Marine Biology (with Foundation Year) BSc/MBF

Marine Biology and Oceanography BSc/MSci

Marine Biology and Zoology BSc (Joint Hons)/MMBiol

Marine Science and Conservation BSc (Hons)

Marine Vertebrate Zoology BSc/MSci

Ocean Science BSc (Hons)

Ocean and Geophysics BSc (Hons)

Physical Oceanography MSci

PSYCHOLOGY

Psychology BSc (Hons)

Psychology with Clinical and Health Psychology BSc (Hons)

Psychology with Neuropsychology BSc (Hons)

Psychology with Forensic Psychology BSc (Hons)

SPORT, HEALTH AND EXERCISE SCIENCES

Adventure Sport Science BSc (Hons)
Sport and Exercise Psychology BSc (Hons)
Sport and Exercise Science BSc/MSCi
Sport and Exercise Science (with Foundation Year) BSc/SESF
Sport Science, Physical Education and Coaching BSc (Hons)
Sport Science, Strength and Conditioning BSc (Hons)

TEACHING, CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH STUDIES

Childhood and Youth Studies BA (Hons)

Primary Education BA (Hons) Leading to Qualified

Teacher Status

Childhood and Youth Studies and Sociology BA (Hons)
Childhood and Youth Studies and Psychology BA (Hons)

WELSH & CELTIC STUDIES

Cymraeg/Welsh (for beginners) BA (Hons) (4 years)

♦ Industrial Placement Year Available





POSTGRADUATE COURSES

BUSINESS SCHOOL

Accounting MSc • A

Accounting and Banking MSc . A

Accounting and Finance MSc • A

Banking and Finance MSc/MBA • A

Banking (Chartered Banker) MSc A

Business and Marketing MA \triangle

Business Data Analytics MSc * Δ

Chartered Banker MBA (Distance Learning) ~

Consumer and Digital Marketing Analytics MSc A

Environmental Management MBA

Finance MSc/MBA • △

Financial Crime and Compliance MBA (Distance Learning)

Information Management MBA

International Business MBA Δ

International Marketing MBA A

International Media and Management MSc

Islamic Banking and Finance MSc/MBA \circ \triangle

Investment Management MSc Δ

Law and Management MBA

Management MBA Δ

Management and Finance MSc • A

Research Methodology MSc

- CFA Pathway available, visit the link for more information: www.bangor.ac.uk/business/CFA-pathway
- △ Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information: www.bangor.ac.uk/januaryintakecourses
- This course starts in April or October. The course is taken over 12-60 months depending on route. For more information: charteredbankermba.bangor.ac.uk

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

Advanced Computer Science MSc

Advanced Data Science MSc

Applied Innovation Design MSc

Broadband and Optical Communications MSc

Computing MSc (Conversion course)

Computing for Data Science MSc (Conversion course)

Electronic Engineering MSc

Nanotechnology and Microfabrication MSc

Rise of the Machines MSc (Conversion course)

EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Applied Behaviour Analysis MSc

Childhood and Youth MA

Education Studies (with placement) MA

PGCE Primary

PGCE Secondary

Music Education MA

FILM, JOURNALISM AND MEDIA

Creative Practice MRes

International Media and Management MSc

Journalism MRes

Publishing and Book Culture MA





HEALTH SCIENCES

Ageing and Dementia MRes
Health Economics MRes
Masters by Research - Health Economics
Leading Quality Improvements MSc
Public Health and Health Promotion MSc
Prevention, Populations, Health and Leadership
(Blended Learning/Distance Learning) MSc
Professional Doctorate in Healthcare (DHealthCare)
Doctorate in Public Health (DHealthCare)

HISTORY, PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Celtic Archaeology MA A

Comparative Criminology and Criminal Justice MA Δ Criminology and Law MA Δ Criminology and Sociology MA Δ Global Heritage MA History MA Δ Medieval Studies MA Philosophy and Religion (MARes Distance Learning) Δ Social Policy MA Δ Sociology MA Δ Welsh History MA Δ

LANGUAGES, LINGUISTICS AND ENGLISH LITERATURE

Applied Linguistics for TEFL MA
Arthurian Studies MA
Bilingualism MA
Creative Writing MA
English Literature MA
Language Acquisition and Development MSc
Language Technologies MSc
Linguistics MA
Publishing and Book Culture MA
Translation Studies MA

LAW

Criminology and Law MA International Criminal Law and International Human Rights Law LLM Δ Law LLM Δ Law LLMRes Law and Criminology LLM

Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information: www.bangor.ac.uk/januaryintakecourses

MEDICAL SCIENCES

Biomedical Science MSc Medical Molecular Biology with Genetics MSc Molecular Medicine MRes

- △ Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information: www.bangor.ac.uk/januaryintakecourses
- * Subject to validation



COURSE LIST

MUSIC

Composition and Sonic Art MMus Music MA Music Education MA * Performance MMus

NATURAL SCIENCES

Agroforestry and Food Security MSc (also available as Distance Learning)
Conservation and Land Management MSc
Environmental Forestry MSc
Environmental and Business Management MSc
Environmental Management MBA
Forestry (Distance Learning) MSc
Tropical Forestry (Distance Learning with
Commonwealth Scholarship) MSc
Tropical Forestry MSc (Distance Learning)



OCEAN SCIENCES

Applied Marine Geoscience MSc Marine Biology MSc Marine Environmental Protection MSc Marine Renewable Energy MSc Marine Top Predator Ecology MSc Physical Oceanography MSc

PSYCHOLOGY

Applied Behavioural Science MSc Clinical and Health Psychology MSc Neuroimaging MSc Principles of Clinical Neuropsychology MSc Psychology MSc Psychological Research MSc Counselling MSc (2 year programme) Dialectical Behaviour Therapy (DBT) PGDip

SPORT, HEALTH AND EXERCISE SCIENCES

Sport and Exercise Psychology MSc Exercise Rehabilitation MSc Sport and Exercise Physiology MSc Sport and Exercise Science MSc/MRes Performance Psychology (DL Degree) MSc

WELSH & CELTIC STUDIES

The Celts MA Welsh (Language and Literature) MA

* Subject to validation





ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A school leaving qualification which is equivalent to the British school leaving qualification e.g A-levels / International Baccalaureate.

If you do not have the above qualification, then we can consider you for entry onto one of our 4-year International Incorporated Bachelor degree (IIB) programmes. Refer to pages 21-22 for more details.

POSTGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

An undergraduate / Bachelor degree of equivalent standard to the British undergraduate/ Bachelor degree with a minimum grade equivalent to a British second-class honours.

If you do not qualify for entry onto the masters degrees in our School of Business or Psychology then you could consider applying for our International Incorporated Masters degrees (IIM). Refer to pages 21-22 for more details.

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A Postgraduate / Master's Degree of equivalent standard to the British Postgraduate / Master's Degree.

To find out more about which qualification is acceptable from the country you studied in, visit our country pages at:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countries



TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR OUR UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES, INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS MUST SATISFY ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Evidence of Language proficiency

The required evidence can be from any of the following:

- BUELT Bangor University English Language Test
- · IELTS (SELT or Non-SELT)
- International English Language Competency Assessment
- Pearson PTE Academic & PTE Academic Online
- Cambridge English Language Assessment
- Trinity College London ISE II & III
- TOEFL iBT
- · LanguageCert International ESOL
- . China CET6, TEM4, and TEM8
- · Trinity ISE I. II. III
- · KITE Online English Test

Exemptions:

Your English language requirement may be waived if you;

- Are a citizen of a majority English-speaking country.
- Have graduated from university in a majority English-speaking country, within the last 2 years.
- Have achieved good grades in your high school English, or a letter from your university confirming your bachelor degree was taught in English.

REQUIRED SCORE:

The level of English required depends on the course you wish to apply for.

Most of our courses require an IELTS score of 6.0 (5.5), however, some courses require a higher score.

For further details visit: www.bangor.ac.uk/international/future/englishlanguage

TUITION FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Annual Tuition Fees

(for September 2023 and January 2024 intakes)

Subject Area	Undergraduate	Postgraduate	PhD
Arts & Humanities	£16,000	£17,000	£16,500
Accounting/Banking/Finance	£16,000	£17,000	N/A
Business/Economics/Management/Marketing	£16,000	£17,000	N/A
Creative Writing/Linguistics/Music	£16,000	£17,000	N/A
Education	£16,000	£17,000	£16,500
Law	£16,000	£17,000	£16,500
Health Sciences/Medical Sciences	£16,500	£17,000	£18,750
Sports, Health & Exercise Science	£16,500	£17,000	£18,750
Biological Sciences/Zoology/Geography	£17,500	£18,300	£18,750
Computer Science	£17,500	£17,000	£18,750
Electronic Engineering	£17,500	£18,300	£18,750
Environmental Science & Forestry	£17,500	£18,300	£18,750
Ocean Sciences	£17,500	£18,300	£18,750
Psychology	£17,500	£18,300	£18,750
Chartered Banker MSc/MA Banking & Finance	N/A	£18,300	N/A

For further and full information on tuition fees please visit this link:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/tuition

For estimated costs of living for international students, visit this link:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/future/living

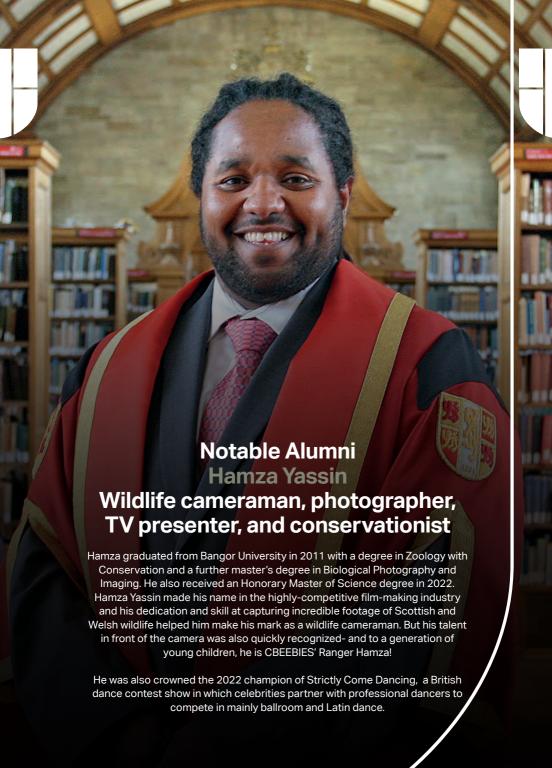
International Scholarships

Bursaries and scholarships worth over £1M are available for new and returning students.

Scholarship	Value	Eligible Countries
Undergraduate Scholarship		
Vice-Chancellor Scholarship	£10,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Deans Scholarship	Up to £6,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
International Scholarship	Up to £4,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Alumni/Family discount	£1,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Postgraduate Scholarship		
Vice-Chancellor Scholarship	£10,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Deans Scholarship	Up to £5,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
International Scholarship	Up to £3,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Global Wales Postgraduate Scholarship	£10,000	India, Vietnam, Canada, the USA and countries
		of the European Union (except Ireland)
Alumni/Family discount	£1,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Research/PhD Scholarship		
Vice-Chancellor Scholarship	50% discount on fees*	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Deans Scholarship	Valued at 20% of the tuition fee	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)
Alumni/Family discount	£1,000	All Countries (excluding UK & Ireland)

For further and full information on scholarships please visit this link: www.bangor.ac.uk/international/scholarship

^{* 50%} discount on the published international tuition fee for each year of study.





To apply go to our application portal and create a login:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/applying

HOW TO APPLY

01

SELECT COURSE

Select the course you want to apply for.

OCUMENTS DESCUIDED

02

CHECK ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Check the relevant country page for eligibility criteria at www.bangor.ac.uk/ international/countries 03

COLLECT

Scan a copy of each required document as listed below.

04

APPLY ONLINE

Submit your application via our online portal at www.bangor.ac.uk/ international/applying/ home

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	UG/BACHELORS	PG/MASTERS	PhD/RESEARCH
School transcripts and certificates	✓	✓	✓
Bachelor (or equivalent) degree transcripts		✓	✓
Masters (or equivalent) degree transcript		1	✓
Evidence of English language ability (IELTS/High School Transcript)	*	/	*
Passport	✓	✓	
Personal statement	✓	*	
Research proposal			/

Mature students applying on the basis of relevant industry experience must submit a detailed CV and employer reference letter.

International (undergraduate) students can apply either via UCAS or using our Direct Application System.



05

GET THE OFFER LETTER

Once ready your offer letter will be available to download from the online portal. You need to meet any conditions listed in your offer letter.

06

PAY THE DEPOSIT

Pay the deposit as specified in your letter of admission or send your sponsorship letter to confirm your place.

www.bangor.ac.uk/ international/future/ payment **07**

GET THE CAS LETTER

Your CAS letter will be issued by the university after your deposit payment clears and any pre-CAS checks have been completed so that you can apply for your visa. Log into CAS-Shield to help you manage your visa journey.

08

APPLY FOR A VISA

Please keep us informed of your visa status through CAS-Shield. Refer to our visa guide for helo:

www.bangor.ac.uk/ international/visas

Need help on how to apply?

Refer to our guidance notes at: www.bangor.ac.uk/international/applying

Agents - We have trusted agents in most countries that can help manage your application to study at Bangor University, they are listed on the 'Your Country' pages at:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countries



WHAT IF I DON'T MEET THE ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS?

Situated at the heart of our campus, Bangor University International College (BUIC) is an embedded college offering integrated programmes. It is run in partnership with education provider, Oxford International Education Group. All programmes taken at the college are validated by Bangor University and delivered by Oxford International Education Group.

BANGOR UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

International Incorporated Bachelor's degree (IIB)

A four-year degree option at Bangor university for students whose high school qualification isn't equivalent to those in the UK. International Year Zero (IYZ) is the first stage of a four-year IIB degree and is delivered at Bangor University International College, students then progress onto their academic degree at Bangor university.

You can choose to study one of the following routes:

- Business, Management & Economics
- Engineering & Computer Science
- · Law. Media & Social Sciences
- Psychology

Students can start the IYZ in September or January.

International Year 1 (IY1)

The International Year 1 (IY1), delivered at Bangor University International College (BUIC) provides an intensive combination of first year university subject areas with entry routes to:

- *Business & Management
- *Finance
- *Psychology

and includes extra study and English language skills.

Upon successful completion of the IY1, you will continue to the second year of your chosen degree at Bangor university.

Students can start the IY1 course in September or January.



International Incorporated Masters

Our IIM programmes focus on psychology and business subjects including accounting, banking, business, finance, investment, management, and marketing and will equip you with the advanced skills you need to complete your postgraduate study at Bangor university.

This intergrated pre-masters is for students that have not met our entry requirements for the masters programmes.

For non-business or psychology subjects you will need to complete a relevant pre-masters with another provider.

Pre-sessional English Programmes

6 and 12 week pre-sessional programmes for entry to Bangor University International College courses are available for students whose English does not meet our entry requirements. For further details on Bangor University International College pre-sessional English programmes please go to:

www.bangor.ac.uk/buic/englishlanguage-requirements

How to apply

For further details or to apply please go to:

Website: www.bangor.ac.uk/buic Email: buic@bangor.ac.uk

Please note we also recognise international foundation and pre-masters from a range of pathway providers.



PRE-SESSIONAL ENGLISH COURSES

IELTS 4.0 – 6.0 within 8 months For students with an IELTS score of at least 4.0

ENTRY LEVEL	START MONTH	END MONTH	COST
IELTS 4.0	February 2023 September 2023	September 2023 March 2024	£6,100
IELTS 4.5	April 2023 November 2023	September 2023 March 2024	£4,950
IELTS 5.0	January 2023 June 2023 September 2023	March 2023 September 2023 December 2023	£3,200
IELTS 5.5	February 2023 July 2023 November 2023	March 2023 September 2023 December 2023	£2,200
IELTS 6.0 (1x below 5.5)	August 2023 November 2023	September 2023 December 2023	£1,200

Online Pre-Sessional Courses

Our summer pre-sessional courses (June - September, July - September, August - September) are also available online.

How to Apply:

You can apply for a pre-sessional course through the online application portal once you have been given a conditional offer to study at Bangor University.

For more information:

T: +44 (0) 1248 382 252 E: elcos@bangor.ac.uk

W: www.bangor.ac.uk/elcos



The Campus Life Events Programme has been developed to help you get the most out of your time at halls

The Bangor University Campus Life events programme is a community run by the Head of Residential Life, Residential Life Coordinator, Campus Life Crew and supported by the Mentor Team, for all residents of Bangor University Halls. Whether you are a UK student or an international student, this programme has been thoughtfully created to make sure you get the most from your time in Halls.

As Campus Life Coordinators, we organise a variety of amazing get-togethers, such as food events, film nights, quizzes, bingo, cooking sessions and weekly yoga classes, as well as exciting trips to explore the beautiful north Wales area. Our aim is to help you enjoy our close residential community and build a family away from home, all through our varied programme of events. Joining Campus Life events is a good way to take a break from your studies, bond with your flatmates and meet new friends. We're passionate about creating accessible and inclusive activities for all our students, and the great news is – it's all included in your university halls fees!



ACCOMMODATION

No. 3 in the UK for Student Accommodation

(WhatUni 2023)

We have two modern student villages, 'Ffriddoedd' and 'St Marys', both located within easy walking distance of the university. All international undergraduate and postgraduate students starting in Bangor University for the first time will be guaranteed on-campus accommodation provided that you apply and submit your accommodation application before the deadline. See further information in the link below.

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/accommodation

Room types

All of our accommodation are single (non-sharing rooms). Each room will include as a minimum, a bed, desk, chair, wardrobe and storage:

- En-suite rooms (own bathroom)
- · Shared facilities (shared bathroom)
- · Studios (own bathroom and kitchenette)
- · Townhouses (2:1 shared bathroom)
- · Female only corridors or flats
- · Alcohol free flats
- · Disabled access rooms

Contract length for undergraduates is 40 or 42 weeks and 51 weeks for postgraduates. Costs include heating, lighting, hot water, electricity, security, furniture, internet access, gym membership and Campus Life activities.

There are no university-owned family accommodation, so students with families should look at private accommodation.







GUARANTEED ACCOMMODATION FOR NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

ACCOMMODATION

NAME OF THE HALLS	SITE	FOR STUDY LEVEL	LETTING PERIOD	ROOM TYPE	RENT FOR 2023 - 24
Alaw	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Braint	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Crafnant	Ffriddoedd	PG	51 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Enlli	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Ffraw	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Glaslyn	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Gwynant	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Llanddwyn	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Peris	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room	£146/week £155.50/week
Borth	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Accessible Studio	£122/week £185/week
Cefn y Coed	Ffriddoedd	UG & PG	40 weeks - UG students 51 weeks - PG students	Standard Room Accessible Studio	£122/week £195/week
Elidir	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room	£122/week
Glyder	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Premium Studio	£122/week £195/week



NAME OF THE HALLS	SITE	FOR STUDY LEVEL	LETTING PERIOD	ROOM TYPE	RENT FOR 2023 - 24
Cemlyn	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite En-suite premium En-suite deluxe Deluxe studios	£146/week £155/week £168.50/week £215/week
Cybi	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite Deluxe studios	£146/week £215/week
Penmon	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite En-suite deluxe Deluxe studios	£146/week £168.50/week £215/week
St Mary's Quad	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite Premium en-suite Premium Plus en-suite Studio Premium studio Deluxe studio	£146/week £155.50/week £164/week £185/week £195/week £215/week
Tudno En-suite Rooms & Studios	St Mary's	UG in 11 or PG in 12 (PG also has studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 weeks - PG students	En-suite Premium en-suite Premium Plus en-suite Studio Premium studio Deluxe studio	£146/week £155.50/week £164/week £168.50/week £195/week £205/week
Tudno Townhouses	St Mary's	UG or PG	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	Standard Room	£106/week
Bryn Eithin	St Mary's	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room	£87



ENSURE YOU GET THE EXPERIENCE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES TO SUCCEED IN YOUR CHOSEN CAREER

CAREER DEVELOPMENT



5 Stars Global Rating for Employability

(QS Star Rating System 2022)

WORK PLACEMENT

YEAR

All undergraduate students can choose to take a Work Placement Year between years 2 and 3 of your degree, or a two-week (70 hours minimum)

work placement in year 2.

WORK PLACEMENTS

/INTERNSHIPS

Work experience opportunities are available - either within the degree, through university internships or by volunteering.

INTERNATIONAL **EXPERIENCE YEAR** Add a year to your degree and spend that year doing a work placement abroad. If you successfully complete the placement, you have 'with International

Experience' added to the title of your degree.

BANGOR EMPLOYABILITY

AWARD

A scheme to help you develop job related skills. All BEA graduates get a certificate

to recognise the activities they have taken part in.

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION Many of the degrees are accredited by professional bodies, such as IBMS, ACCA, CIMA, CIM, RSC, BCS, BPS, IET, ICF, SRA, and NMC.

TARGETconnect

This is an online job vacancy resource advertising graduate jobs, work experience and internship opportunities.

INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP Some degrees are run in partnership with the industry such as Teacher Training

and Social Work.

EXPERT ADVICE

Advice on your CV preparation, interview techniques, careers workshops and information on the UK and international job market.

^{*} Some degrees include a mandatory work placement/s. See our course pages for more information.





THE STAFF, SERVICES & FACILITIES TO SUPPORT YOU & YOUR EDUCATION

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Study support

To make students feel comfortable and supported, the university provides:

- · One-to-one seminars
- · Free English language support
- Easy access to staff by operating an informal 'open-door' policy
- · Study skills centre

Other world class academic facilities

- · Arts and innovation centre, Pontio
- · Ocean-going research vessel
- MRI scanner
- · Natural history museum
- · Botanic gardens
- · Research farm and field centre
- · Multimedia Language Centre
- One of the most noteworthy archival and rare book collections held by a university in Wales
- · Science and Engineering Laboratories

IT support and learning resources

To support your learning activities, the university provides:

Access to the internet across the university, a university email account and a safe place to store your work, open access computer labs.

A secure virtual learning environment 'Blackboard', where course materials, notes, powerpoint slides, and other documents are made available for download by your lecturer.

Access to library, archives, printing & binding, and photocopying services.

Ahmed Dhaif, from Bahrain

Studying for a PhD in Banking and Finance

Ahmed completed his BSc Banking and Finance degree with the Bahrain Institute of Banking and Finance (BIBF) - the Bangor University graduate programme at BIBF is one of the most successful undergraduate programmes in Bahrain. Ahmed then came to Bangor University to study for an MSc in Management and Finance, and is now currently studying for a PhD in Banking and Finance.

If My on-going experience at Bangor university continues to shape and develop the way I think, perceive life and my goals. I am a firm believer in education and find it difficult to envision success in life without it. Bangor University and its vast community recalibrated my values and made me appreciate the simple things in life that matter the most. While I retain my status as a PhD student at Bangor Business School, I also teach at Bangor University International College (BUIC). My teaching philosophy, principles, and practices are derived from the outstanding teaching practices that I have experienced as a postgraduate student and continue to experience as a PhD student here at Bangor University.





OUR INTERNATIONAL TEAM ARE HERE TO ENABLE YOU TO GET THE BEST OF YOUR TIME AT BANGOR

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT

Top 20 in the UK for Student Support

(Whatuni 2023)

Advice and Support

Bangor University strongly believes in looking after their students and making sure that everyone is made to feel welcome and settles in with ease. The international student support office is available to students and their families and can provide advice and guidance on a range of support related matters.

- · Visa advice
- · Health and well being
- Social events (trips, film nights, parties etc)
- · Money and finances
- Employment and volunteering
- · Advice for families
- Practical information about living in a different country

International welcome and orientation

We organise a series of welcome and orientation events to help you settle into life at Bangor during your busy first few weeks.

The programme includes:

- Welcome & orientation information sessions
- · A welcome reception
- · Walking and bus tours of Bangor
- Doctor/bank registration
- · Study methods advice
- · Library tours
- Social events
- · Visa advice

Airport pick-up service

Travelling to the UK for the first time can be challenging. We therefore try to ensure that the experience is a pleasant and memorable one.

The university organises a meeting service for students who arrive at Manchester international airport on certain dates. Simply register online and we'll meet you at the airport and take you to your pre-arranged accommodation.



International student ambassadors

Bangor has over 25 international student ambassadors who have been chosen to represent the university and to support students from their own country and region.

They support international students from the application process right up to their graduation day. They play a key part in the support programme offered to students during their studies at Bangor as well as recruitment activities both within Bangor and overseas.

Meet Bangor's international student ambassadors' at:

www.bangor.ac.uk/ international/studentprofiles/ambassadors

or have an online chat with them through the Unibuddy app:

www.bangor.ac.uk/studentlife/unibuddy

Peer guides

When undergraduate students arrive at Bangor, a peer guide is allocated to them. This is a current student from their academic school who will act as a mentor, helping them find their way around and settle into university life. Bangor has one of the largest peer guide programmes in Europe.

internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support

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TOP TEN THINGS FOR BANGOR STUDENTS TO DO





Visit Bangor Cathedral

Climb Snowdon the highest mountain in Wales and England

Go crabbing on Beaumaris Pier and take a boat trip out to Puffin Island

Take the Llandudno tram to the top of the Great Orme

Visit Conwy or Caernarfon castle, both UNESCO world heritage sites

6 Shopping in Chester

Go to see a football match at Liverpool or Manchester

Dare to ride the fastest zip wire in the world at zipworld

Try surfing in an artificial lagoon at surf snowdonia

Go to Cardiff for the weekend and watch a rugby match







RISE TO THE CHALLENGE















TRY NEW THINGS, MEET NEW PEOPLE AND ENJOY THE EXCITING ATMOSPHERE ON CAMPUS

STUDENT LIFE

The students union

Much of our students' social life revolves around the students' union, which provides services, support, activities and entertainment for students.

Societies and clubs

We have over 120 clubs and societies to choose from, including: Afro-Caribbean Society, Art Society, Japanese Society, Indian Society, Linguistics Society, Biological Society, Disney Society, Film Society, Indonesian Society, Law Society, Music Society, Pakistani Society, plus many more.

MEMBERSHIP OF ALL CLUBS AND SOCIETIES IS FREE OF CHARGE

Bangor is luckier than many other universities, in that we have an amazing location, with a range of outdoor space on our doorstep.

Top 10 in the UK for our Students' Union

(Whatuni 2023)

Sports facilities

The university has great facilities for outdoor and indoor sports including Badminton, Volleyball, Basketball, Netball, Indoor Hockey, Five-a-side Futsal, Table Tennis, Archery, Trampoline, Tennis, Indoor Cricket, Fitness classes, Weight training room, Cardio-vascular training room, Squash Courts, Climbing Wall, Athletics Track and Martial Arts. There is also a public swimming pool close to the university, and of course we are surrounded by the great outdoors including the Snowdonia National Park, numerous beaches, the Menai Strait, so you can also take full advantage of the local area when undertaking outdoor sports.

Find out more

Bangor student's union www.undebbangor.com

Clubs and societies

www.bangor.ac.uk/studentlife/clubs_societies

Sports clubs

www.bangorstudents.com/ sport/clubs

Sports facilities

www.bangor.ac.uk/brailsford





UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY OR WORK ABROAD AS PART OF THEIR STUDIES

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Opportunities include:

1. An elective international experience year. This is an extra year spent studying or working abroad taken after year 2, 3 or even after your final year. It focusses on the experience of living and studying or working abroad. It is credit bearing but doesn't count towards your final degree grade.

A reduced tuition fee of £1,350 is charged for this year.

On successful completion of the International Experience Year, students are awarded the additional title of 'with International Experience', future employers will clearly see that you are a globally-aware and globally-experienced student.

- 2. Short term summer programmes
- 3. A semester or a year abroad at one of our partner universities around world as a compulsory element of your degree. See our course list for details.

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/exchanges/outgoing





STUDY AT BANGOR FOR ONE SEMESTER OR A FULL ACADEMIC YEAR

BANGOR STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

If you would like to experience studying at Bangor University but don't want to commit to a full degree programme, then you may consider applying to us as a Visiting Student for either one semester or a full academic year.

Eligibility

We will consider your application if you are currently studying for a university degree from any university in the world.

Tuition Fee

Undergraduate Postgraduate

One Semester £7,625 £7,625 Full Year £15.250 n/a

Scholarships may apply

Program Details

- The programme allows the student to choose their modules (courses) from any academic school and at any level, making the programme totally unique to each student.
- All credits awarded are transferrable to the student's home University to count towards their final degree.
- Study Abroad students receive the same level of tuition, service and benefits as Bangor University graduating students.



Study Abroad Brochure



Study Abroad Website

For more details:

Please note that the Study Abroad programme is a non-degree, non-graduating programme, students pay all tuition fees, accommodation fee and other expenses during their study period. Study Abroad students are NOT exchange students from Bangor University partner institutions.



NESTLED BETWEEN THE MOUNTAINS AND THE SEA, OUR CAMPUS IS SURROUNDED BY A BREATHTAKING NATURAL LANDSCAPE. BUT DON'T JUST TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT – TRAVEL GUIDE LONELY PLANET NAMED NORTH WALES AS ONE OF THE BEST REGIONS IN THE WORLD TO VISIT.

LOCATION

Travelling to Bangor

Bangor is a university city located on the North Wales coast between the mountains of Snowdonia and the sea. The nearest airports are Manchester (2 hours), London (3.5 hours) and Liverpool (1.5 hours). An Airport pick-up service is available from Manchester Airport on set dates. A train line links Bangor to the rest of the UK.

Travelling within Bangor

Everything in Bangor can be reached on foot, students do not need to rely on public transport. Libraries, lecture theatres, seminar rooms and other academic buildings are located close to each other and within walking distance of the city centre and university accommodation.

Cost of living

Bangor is ranked amongst the most economical places to study in the UK in terms of cost of living (accommodation, food, clothing, books etc).

Weather in Bangor

The average temperature range in Bangor in winter is around 3-9°C and in summer 10–20°C.



USEFUL CONTACTS

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www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countrymanagers



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Email: internationaladmissions@bangor.ac.uk

Visa & Student Welfare

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Pre-sessional English / General English

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 382 252 Email : elcos@bangor.ac.uk

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