

MLitt

Museum Studies

This programme provides you with a rich combination of academic study and practical experience of museums.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants for admission will normally be expected to hold a relevant 2:1 (upper second) honours degree or above.

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

Museums have become an important field of study over the past, with a wide range of research focusing on their history, collections, practices and social roles.

This programme uses the University's own internationally important collections and museums to explore these issues and to give practical experience of working in a museum, with professional and academic staff.

Those enrolled will initially learn about the history and theory related to collecting and museums. The programme will then progress to provide practical experience as students play key roles in creating museum exhibitions and public events.



STUDY MODE:

Full-time – 12 months

Part-time – 24 months

Part time applicants will discuss work commitments with the Programme Director prior to registration to ensure that the programme works for them.

MODULES:

Compulsory

- The Museum Idea
- Museum Practice
- Museum Studies Project

Either

- Curating an Exhibition

OR

- Learning and Museums



“My MLitt in Museum Studies gave me the edge - and the confidence - to get ahead in what is a fiercely competitive jobs market. Being employed at the iconic British Museum within a year of graduating is definitely a dream come true.”

CHRIS DOBBS
MLitt Museum Studies



King's Museum lies at the heart of the University's Old Aberdeen campus. As well as being Scotland's newest museum, it may also be the oldest as its origins lie in a museum collection established in King's College in 1727.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

UK / EU / RUK fees – £11,077
International fees – £23,800

Please note that the figures quoted are for the academic year 2022/2023 only. All fees are subject to annual review.

I'M INTERESTED. HOW DO I FIND OUT MORE?

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