

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#).

### **MSc Risk and Environmental Hazards (L7K309)**

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time (12 months) mode of study.
2. Candidates whose first language is not English are normally required to achieve an overall IELTS score of at least 6.5 and no element under 6.0. A score of 92 or above in the TOEFL Internet Based Test (IBT) and no element under 23 will also be accepted, as will an equivalent qualification. In all cases the relevant certificate should have been issued within two years of application.

#### **Programme structure**

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		<b>Credit value</b>
Understanding Risk~	<a href="#">GEOG41030</a>	30
Fundamentals of Risk Research~	<a href="#">GEOG40315</a>	15
Risk Frontiers	<a href="#">GEOG40415</a>	15
Spatial and Temporal Dimensions of Hazards	<a href="#">GEOG40930</a>	30

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List A:

<b>List A:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Dissertation by Research~	<a href="#">GEOG41260</a>	60
Vocational Dissertation~	<a href="#">GEOG41160</a>	60

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 30 credits from List B:

<b>List B:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Sea-Level Change Hazards	<a href="#">GEOG40730</a>	30
Hydrological Hazards	<a href="#">GEOG40530</a>	30

6. Modules Marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.