

Durham University Postgraduate Module Handbook

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for</u> <u>postgraduate programmes</u>

Durham University Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) for a period of five years from 2017 and the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for a period of five years from 2013.

MSc Management (Entrepreneurship) (N2P309)

1. This programme is available at Durham City in a full-time (12 months) mode of study.

Admissions

2. English language requirements: Candidates whose first language is not English will normally be required to demonstrate proficiency in the English language by possessing a recent English language test score of 7.0 or above in IELTS (with no element below 6.0), or an equivalent qualification.

Level 4 (Degree)

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

		Credit Value
Strategy ~	<u>BUSI42115</u>	15
Organisational Behaviour ~	BUSI4V815	15
Entrepreneurship and the Entrepreneurial Process ~	BUSI47H15	15
The Entrepreneur's Environment ~	BUSI47G15	15
New Venture Creation (MSc) ~	BUSI5C715	15
EITHER Research Methods and Dissertation	BUSI4I460	60
(Management - General) ~		
OR Research Methods and Dissertation (International) (Management - General) ~	<u>BUSI4N960</u>	60

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in the modules to the value of 15 credits from List A below:

List A		Credit Value
Strategic Marketing Management	<u>BUSI5B815</u>	15
Business Economics and Accounting	<u>BUSI52415</u>	15

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in the modules to the value of 30 credits from List B below (only a selection of these modules will be available each year). Modules marked * may be taken only if Strategic Marketing Management was selected from List A):

List B

Arts, Heritage and Tourism Marketing*	BUSI4G615	15
Strategy Simulation and System Thinking	<u>BUSI4A515</u>	15
Buyer Behaviour and Marketing Communications	BUSI42515	15
Competitive Strategies and Organisational Fitness	BUSI46S15	15
Contemporary Issues in Entrepreneurship	BUSI46Z15	15
East Asian Business and Management	BUSI5A815	15
Employee Reward Strategy	BUSI49Z15	15
Financial Management	<u>BUSI53115</u>	15
Financial Planning and Control (MSc Finance)	ECON42815	15
Innovation and Technology Management	BUSI53315	15
Global Business	BUSI5G815	15
Global Marketing	<u>BUSI45W15</u>	15
International Study Tour	BUSI47Z15	15

Credit Value

Project Management (MSc)	BUSI45Y15	15
Services Marketing*	BUSI49U15	15
Social Marketing*	BUSI4G415	15
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by	-	20
the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study		

Assessment

- 6. Modes of assessment will include written examinations, coursework, group presentations and group written work.
- 7. There will be an assessment period in January/February for modules that are delivered in Term 1.
- 8. Candidates who have failed modules which are assessed in the January/February and/or May/June assessment period shall normally be required to resit all failed modules in the following August assessment period. Candidates whose failed modules are worth more than 30 credits may however elect to defer the submission of their dissertation until January of the following year.
- 9. Candidates will normally be permitted to take one or two of their optional modules via part-time delivery (as offered on the MA Management programme) (provided the permitted duration on the programme will not be exceeded) and be assessed in accordance with the assessment specified in the relevant module outline(s); such candidates may be unable to complete the programme within the normal timescale.
- 10. All candidates must submit a dissertation of not more than 12,000 words. Candidates who fail the dissertation on first submission in September may elect to resubmit in the following January/February as an alternative to the next normal occasion.
- 11. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
- 12. Candidates who select a CFLS credit-bearing language module must select 185 credits in total.