

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

MA Social Work Studies (L5K907)

1. Location: Durham City
2. Duration: 12 months (full-time) and maximum of 60 months (part-time).
3. The last intake of students for this programme was September 2013.

Admissions

4. In addition to the core regulations for admission to postgraduate programmes, candidates for the MA Social Work Studies must be able to demonstrate relevant work experience in relation to Social Work.

Programme structure

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

| | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Perspectives on Social Research~ | SOCI59515 | 15 |
| Policy Related and Evaluation Research~ | SOCI57515 | 15 |
| Contemporary Social Work~ | Withdrawn | 30 |
| Introductory Social Work Studies~ | Withdrawn | 30 |
| Dissertation~ | Withdrawn | 45 |

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

| List A | | Credit value |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Quantitative Methods in Social Science | SOCI57815 | 15 |
| Qualitative Methods in Social Science | SOCI58815 | 15 |

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

| List B | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Youth Policy and Practice * | SOCI51415 | 15 |
| Community Development and Organising | SOCI51315 | 15 |
| International Social Work | Withdrawn | 15 |
| Leadership, Change Management and Decision Making in the Health System | Withdrawn | 15 |
| Evidence Based Practice | Withdrawn | 15 |
| Statistical Exploration and Reasoning | SOCI59215 | 15 |
| Research Design and Process | SOCI59415 | 15 |
| A credit-bearing language module offered by the Centre for Foreign Language Studies | | 20 |

Assessment, progression and award

8. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
9. Modules marked with a * are not available in 2017-18.
10. Candidates who select a CFLS credit-bearing language module must select 185 credits in total.