

Durham University Postgraduate Modules Online

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These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for postgraduate programmes</u>, and the <u>marking and classification conventions for postgraduate programmes</u>.

MSc Forensic Archaeology and Anthropology (F4KE09)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time (12 months) or part-time (24 months) mode of study.

Programme structure

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

		Credit value
Research Skills in Forensic Archaeology and Anthropology~	ARCH43030	30
Osteoprofiling~	ARCH51630	30
Forensic Archaeology and Anthropology: Theory and Practice~	ARCH42930	30
Dissertation~	ARCH43360	60

Candidates shall also study and be assessed in a module to the value of 30 credits from List A:

List A		Credit value
Palaeopathology: Theory and Method	ARCH51730	30
Isotopic and Biomolecular Archaeology	ARCH41530	30

Assessment, progression and award

- 4. All module choices should be approved by the course director.
- 5. If a candidate fails a module they may be given an opportunity to resit the relevant assessment(s) before the end of the academic year at a time to be determined by the Department.
- 6. Students registered for the Masters degree who have achieved a mark of at least 50% on modules carrying at least 120 credits, and on such individual modules as are indicated in the Special Regulations, are eligible for the award of Postgraduate Diploma. A Postgraduate Diploma "with Distinction" will be awarded to students who achieve an average mark of at least 70% on modules carrying at least 120 credits and a Postgraduate Diploma "with Merit" to those who achieve an average mark of 60%. Students shall normally proceed to this award only after any opportunity for re-examination at Masters level has been exhausted.
- 7. Students registered for the Masters degree who have achieved a mark of at least 50% on modules carrying at least 60 credits, and on such individual modules as are indicated in the Special Regulations, are eligible for the award of Postgraduate Certificate. A Postgraduate Certificate "with Distinction" will be awarded to students who achieve an overall average mark of at least 70% across all the modules taken, and a Postgraduate Certificate "with Merit" to those who achieve an average mark of 60%. Students shall normally proceed to this award only after any opportunity for re-examination at Masters level has been exhausted.
- Modules Marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.