

University of
Hertfordshire



Water and Environmental Management

MSc



MSc Water and Environmental Management is one of four pathways within the MSc Environmental Management programme.

This MSc Water and Environmental Management pathway focuses on sound water management and the requirements of sustainable development whilst preparing you for all aspects of environmental management in the water industry.

It has been designed to enable you to acquire expertise in the choice, design and implementation of a range of environmental management tools and methods, including: Integrated catchment management, and environmentally sensitive river management.

About the course

The MSc Water and Environmental Management pathway consists of nine core modules and a choice of one module from a list of optional modules.

MSc Water and Environmental Management pathway core modules

- Sustainability and Environmental Systems
- Foundation in Environmental Auditing
- Management Skills for Environmental Management
- Environmental Policy and Governance
- Environmental Management Tools and Methods
- Water Resources
- Water Pollution Control
- Research Methods
- Individual Research Project related to Water

Optional modules for Water and Environmental Management pathway

- Environmental Management Systems Implementation or Corporate Social Responsibility
- Integrated Waste and Pollution Management
- Ecology and Conservation

The MSc Water and Environmental Management can be studied either full-time or part-time and the following awards are also available:

- Postgraduate Diploma (PgD)
- Postgraduate Certificate (PgC)

The taught element of the modules can be studied as short courses.

Career opportunities

Former students have made impressive environmental improvements and large savings for their companies while studying on the programme, and several have achieved significant promotion within their organisations.

“ I would highly recommend this course, you will find the modules enlightening and the tools you gain empowering. ”



Further information is available at:
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Entry Requirements:

A first or second class degree in any subject. Applicants with other qualifications and relevant experience will be considered individually by the Programme Tutor. Accredited Prior Certificated Learning (APCL) is available for those AIEMA. Accredited Prior Experiential Learning (APEL) may be available for those with suitable relevant experience.

Course Length:

Full time 12 – 16 months

Part time 24 – 48 months

Course Fees:

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Professional Accreditation:

Three modules are accredited by the Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment (IEMA) for Associate membership (giving exemption from the open book examination).

All modules are accredited by the Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM) for Graduate membership.

Web Address:

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How to Apply:

If you would like to apply for one of our Master's degrees you need to complete a University application form, which can be found on go.herts.ac.uk/apply

You can also apply to study the taught element of modules as non credit-rated short courses on: go.herts.ac.uk/envscapply