

## Bournemouth University International College

# Course information: 2025-26

This booklet contains details of the UK pathway courses that can lead to a degree at Bournemouth University. Choose your preferred Bournemouth degree, and discover which course you need to pass to qualify for entry to your degree. You can also see further information about the courses, including tuition fees, start dates, entry requirements, internship options and module summaries.

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#### Pre-Sessional English

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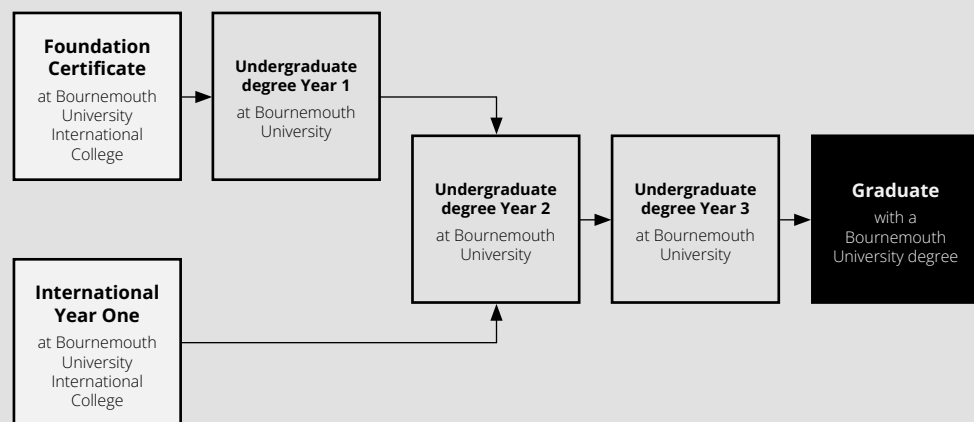
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**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in Bournemouth, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: [kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth-study-costs](http://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth-study-costs)

**Accepted English tests:** we accept UKVI IELTS and several alternatives. For full details, see: [kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/](http://kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/)

### Your path to university:



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### Choose your undergraduate degree

Available degree options may change over time, so visit our online Degree Finder for the most up-to-date list: [kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/ug-degrees](http://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/ug-degrees)

#### Key:

**B:** Foundation Certificate for Business, Law or Finance

**C:** Foundation Certificate for Computing

**E:** Foundation Certificate for Events, Tourism and Hospitality Management

**M:** Foundation Certificate for Media and Communications

**S:** Foundation Certificate for Science

**B1:** International Year One in Business

**M1:** International Year One in Media and Communications

**T1:** International Year One in Tourism and Hospitality

#### Art and Design

BA (Hons) Games Design	<b>B C E M S</b>
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#### Business and Finance

BA (Hons) Accounting	<b>B C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) Accounting and Finance	<b>B B1 E M</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management	<b>B B1 C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Economics)	<b>B B1 C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Entrepreneurship)	<b>B1</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Finance)	<b>B B1 C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Global Operations)	<b>B1</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Human Resource Management)	<b>B1</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Marketing)	<b>B1</b>
BA (Hons) Business and Management (Project Management)	<b>B1</b>
BSc (Hons) Economics	<b>B B1 C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) Finance	<b>B C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) International Business and Management	<b>B B1 C E M S</b>

#### Computing

BSc (Hons) Business Computing with Analytics	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Computer Science	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Computing	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Cyber Security Management	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Cyber Security with Digital Forensics	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Data Science and Artificial Intelligence	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Games Design	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Games Programming	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Networks and Cyber Security	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Software Engineering	<b>B C E M S</b>

#### Engineering

BSc (Hons) Design Engineering	<b>B C E M S</b>
MEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering	<b>C S</b>
BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering	<b>C S</b>
BA (Hons) Product Design	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Product Design	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Software Engineering	<b>B C E M S</b>

#### Environment and Agriculture

BSc (Hons) Ecology and Wildlife Conservation	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Environmental Science	<b>B C E M S</b>
BSc (Hons) Geography	<b>B C E M S</b>

**Internships:** all pathway course subjects have the option of an integrated virtual internship as an extra final term in the UK. This finishes in time for you to still start your university degree on schedule.

Your internship gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience and career skills, even before you progress to university.

#### Hospitality and Tourism

BA (Hons) Events Management	<b>B C E M S</b>
BA (Hons) International Hospitality & Business Management	<b>B C E M S T1</b>
BA (Hons) International Tourism & Business Management	<b>B C E M S T1</b>
BA (Hons) International Tourism and Hospitality Management	<b>B C E M S T1</b>
BA (Hons) Tourism Management	<b>B C E M S T1</b>

#### Law

BA (Hons) Criminology and Law	<b>B C E M S</b>
LLB (Hons) Law	<b>B C E M S</b>
LLB (Hons) Law, Media and Creative Industries	<b>B C E M S</b>



# Foundation Certificate

for Business, Law or Finance

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Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add-ons	Extra support
<b>&gt; Your Foundation Certificate options for degree entry in September 2026</b>					
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2 terms	£16,210	September 2025 > May 2026	<b>i</b>	
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<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£17,610	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
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	4 terms	£23,440	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	2 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
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**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: [kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/ug-degrees](https://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/ug-degrees)

**Your course length:** this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

# Foundation Certificate

for Business, Law or Finance

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## Common modules taken by all students:

- English for Academic Purposes
- Extended Project

## You will also take 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals<sup>†</sup>:

- Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
- Logic and Critical Thinking
- Mathematics

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

## **i** Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an additional fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
  - build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
  - gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.
- See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

**Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:** you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Digital Applications
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- UK Society and Culture

**Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:** you will typically take Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language and academic skills.

**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:**

- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:**

- English for Academic Study 2 and 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 and 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 and 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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- Information Technology
- Intermediate Digital Applications
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- Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
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- Reading and Writing 3
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- Reading and Writing 2 and 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 and 3
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**Common modules taken by all students:**

- Biology
- English for Academic Purposes
- Extended Project
- Mathematics

**You will also take 1 of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals':**

- Entrepreneurship
- Information Technology
- Intermediate Digital Applications

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

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**Common modules taken by all students:**

- Economics
- English for Academic Purposes
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- Marketing Principles
- Quantitative Methods for Business

**You will also take 1 of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals<sup>†</sup>:**

- Business Law
- Management Accounting and Financial Management

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- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Digital Applications
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- UK Society and Culture

**Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:** you will typically take Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language and academic skills.

**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:**

- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:**

- English for Academic Study 2 and 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 and 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 and 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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# International Year One

## in Media and Communications

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# International Year One

## in Media and Communications

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### Common modules taken by all students:

- Communication Theory
- Cross Platform Media
- Digital Essentials
- English for Academic Purposes
- Language in Media
- Marketing Principles
- Media and Society

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in Tourism and Hospitality

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in Tourism and Hospitality

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**Biology**

Gain an understanding of biological systems and organisms, as well as key laboratory processes.

**Business Law**

Learn about the legal principles that affect modern businesses, including contract law and company law.

**Communication Theory**

Explore the major theories of communication and analyse different types of communication.

**Contemporary Global Issues**

Explore the big issues facing humanity in the 21st century, and critically evaluate their causes and effects.

**Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education**

Enhance your ability to read and understand complex ideas in English, and to compose convincing written arguments.

**Cross Platform Media**

Examine the theories and concepts of cross platform and multi-platform storytelling and their applications.

**Digital Applications**

Develop your digital skill set, helping you use digital tools to support academic study, including using and citing digital sources.

**Digital Essentials**

Examine digital media and emerging digital technologies, and develop your practical skills and competencies in this area.

**Economics**

Gain an understanding of macro and micro economics, and explore current trends and issues in the field.

**English for Academic Purposes**

Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

**English for Academic Study 2**

Improve your English grammar and vocabulary in order to communicate in an academic environment.

**English for Academic Study 3**

Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

**Entrepreneurship**

Familiarise yourself with varied concepts of creativity, entrepreneurship and innovation, and learn how to apply them in business.

**Entrepreneurship and Business Development**

Explore how to start and nurture a business, how to develop commercial ideas and how to present a business plan.

**Extended Project**

Learn how to plan, carry out and report an extended project. You can choose a topic that matches your degree and career goals, and personal interests.

**Financial Accounting**

Learn about standard accounting conventions, and the role of financial accounting within organisations.

**Independent and Collaborative Study**

Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

**Information Technology**

Discover the key concepts of computer science, including data representation and programming languages.

**Intermediate Digital Applications**

Gain a better understanding of the digital landscape, and gain the skills you'll need to use online sources for academic study.

**Language in Media**

Analyse and evaluate the effectiveness of a range of real-world media industry genres and styles.

**Logic and Critical Thinking**

Explore the concepts, history and skills relating to logic and critical thinking, and how they apply in real-world contexts.

**Management Accounting and Financial Management**

Find out about the role of financial management in organisations, and techniques for financial decision-making.

**Marketing Principles**

Gain an insight into the key principles of modern marketing, and its role in business and commercial competition.

**Mathematics**

Develop your mathematical skill set in areas such as algebra, coordinate geometry, probabilities and trigonometry.

**Media and Society**

Evaluate the changing roles and nature of the media and communications industries over time in a global society.

**Quantitative Methods for Business**

Enhance your understanding of mathematics and quantitative techniques, and how to apply them to accounting, finance and management.

**Reading and Writing 2**

Develop your English reading and writing so that you can understand and articulate ideas and reasoning.

**Reading and Writing 3**

Develop your English reading and writing skills to a sufficient level to communicate complex ideas.

**Speaking and Listening 2**

Practise listening and speaking so that you are better prepared for academic debate and discussion.

**Speaking and Listening 3**

Improve your ability to listen and speak in English, allowing you to fully engage with academic topics.

**Study Skills Preparation**

Gain an introduction to the wide range of skills and strategies you'll need to succeed at university, such as research methods and using and citing sources.

**Tourism and Hospitality**

Gain a working knowledge of the tourism and hospitality industries, including how businesses in the sector function, and the external forces that affect them.

**UK Society and Culture**

Learn more about the culture and society of the UK, and how it differs from others.

**Online internship**

While you're at the College in the UK, you'll take an online work placement as your final term if you choose a pathway course with integrated internship.

The internship is offered in partnership with Virtual Internships, a leading education company in the field. This gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience with one of 3,500+ companies around the world.

You will choose one of 18 career fields on your internship, based on your chosen progression degree. This will all help you develop important skills, practise your English and give you some great experience to add to your CV.

**Find out more at:**

[kaplanpathways.com/internship](https://kaplanpathways.com/internship)

**Personal development activities (all courses)****Culture and activities**

We'll help you have a hugely beneficial cultural and social experience, and encourage you to explore different activities, sports, crafts and more. You might learn about local history and culture, or develop your wider subject knowledge and understanding of related industries.

**Employability and digital skills**

Outside of your academic learning, you'll also be taught skills that will be useful at university and later in life. You'll receive help in making the most of your creativity, improving your communication and developing your digital skills. We'll also help you build a CV, portfolio and online profile to empower you after you graduate.

**Social networking**

Forming a strong social network can be very beneficial, even if it's just to discuss and debate ideas. Not only will you get to know your classmates, you'll also have opportunities to join professional bodies, and network with students and industry professionals: something that can be really helpful when you go on to start your career.

# Bournemouth University International College

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**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in Bournemouth, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: [kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth-study-costs](http://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth-study-costs)

**Accepted English tests:** we accept UKVI IELTS and several alternatives. For full details, see: [kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/](http://kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/)

## Bournemouth University International College

### Choose your postgraduate degree

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#### Key:

**B:** Pre-Master's for Business, Law or Finance

**E:** Pre-Master's for Events, Tourism and Hospitality Management

**M:** Pre-Master's for Media and Communications

#### Art and Design

MSc Computer Animation and Visual Effects	<b>B E M</b>
MA Digital Effects	<b>B E M</b>

#### Business and Finance

MSc Disaster Management	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Finance	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Innovation Management and Entrepreneurship	<b>B E M</b>
MSc International Accounting and Finance	<b>B E M</b>
MSc International Finance and Economics	<b>B E M</b>
MSc International Management	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Management with Business Analytics	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Management with Human Resources	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Marketing and User Experience	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Marketing Management (Digital)	<b>B E M</b>
MBA Master of Business Administration	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Clinical Imaging with Management	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Organisational Project Management	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Sport Management	<b>B E M</b>

#### Computing

MA 3D Computer Animation	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Computer Animation and Visual Effects	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Cyber Security and Human Factors	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Data Science and Artificial Intelligence	<b>B E M</b>
MA Digital Effects	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Digital Health	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Human Centred Artificial Intelligence	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Human Centred Artificial Intelligence for Games Development	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Information Technology	<b>B E M</b>

#### Engineering

MSc Engineering Project Management	<b>B E M</b>
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#### Hospitality and Tourism

MSc International Hospitality and Tourism Management	<b>B E M</b>
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#### Law

LLM Intellectual Property	<b>B E M</b>
LLM International Commercial Law	<b>B E M</b>
LLM International Tax Law	<b>B E M</b>
LLM Public International Law	<b>B E M</b>

#### Marketing and Media

MSc Artificial Intelligence for the Media	<b>B E M</b>
MA Cinematography for Film & Television	<b>B E M</b>
MA Creative Writing and Publishing	<b>B E M</b>
MA Directing Film and Television	<b>B E M</b>
MA International Political Communication	<b>B E M</b>
MA Marketing Communications	<b>B E M</b>
MA Media and Communication	<b>B E M</b>
MA Post Production Editing	<b>B E M</b>
MA Production Management	<b>B E M</b>
MA Scriptwriting	<b>B E M</b>
MA Sound Design for Screen	<b>B E M</b>

#### Science and Health

MSc Bioarchaeology	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Biodiversity Conservation	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Clinical and Developmental Neuropsychology	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Foundations of Clinical Psychology	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Investigative Forensic Psychology	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Nutrition and Behaviour	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Psychology	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Public Health	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Sport and Exercise Science	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Sports Performance Analysis	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Strength and Conditioning	<b>B E M</b>

#### Social Science and Humanities

MA Criminology and Criminal Justice	<b>B E M</b>
MSc Nutrition and Behaviour	<b>B E M</b>
MA Social Work	<b>B E M</b>

**Internships:** all pathway course subjects have the option of an integrated virtual internship as an extra final term in the UK. This finishes in time for you to still start your university degree on schedule.

Your internship gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience and career skills, even before you progress to university.

# Pre-Master's

for Business, Law or Finance

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# Pre-Master's

for Business, Law or Finance

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**Common modules taken by all students:**

- English for Academic Purposes
- Research Project

**You will also take 2 of the following modules to prepare for postgraduate study<sup>†</sup>:**

- Philosophy, History and Culture
- Project Management
- Strategic Management

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Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add-ons	Extra support
<b>&gt; Your Pre-Master's options for degree entry in September 2026</b>					
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	£17,230	September 2025 > May 2026	<b>i</b>	
			January 2026 > August 2026		
			February 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£20,220	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
			January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£20,220	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>&gt; Your Pre-Master's options for degree entry in September 2027</b>					
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£20,220	July 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£20,220	June 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3.5 terms	£23,590	April 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
			July 2026 > August 2027		
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	4 terms	£26,700	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	2 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
			June 2026 > August 2027		

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed at least 3 years of higher education in a suitable subject. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: [kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/pg-degrees](https://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth/pg-degrees)

**Your course length:** this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- English for Academic Purposes
- Research Project

#### You will also take 2 of the following modules to prepare for postgraduate study<sup>†</sup>:

- Philosophy, History and Culture
- Project Management
- Strategic Management

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

#### **i** Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an additional fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the postgraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will also take Extended English and Skills modules before the modules to the left.

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 5.0 will typically take the following as part of a 2.5 or 3-term course:

- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 will typically take the following as part of a 3.5 or 4-term course:

- English for Academic Study 2 and 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 and 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 and 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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**Multi-Progression Pathway**

You can also take a Multi-Progression Pathway (MPP) study route at the International College, which allows you to choose which UK universities to apply to while you study.

You can apply through UCAS for a place at a UK university and will progress by passing your degree preparation course at the required level with good attendance:  
[kaplanpathways.com/mpp](https://kaplanpathways.com/mpp)

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[kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth](https://kaplanpathways.com/bournemouth)

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