



# **BSc Professional Policing (3 year Programme)**

**Full-Time Study from September 2023**

## **Course Demands**

## **Introduction**

## Attendance requirements

- Each year comprises two teaching terms. Each term is made up of 12 teaching weeks, 1 week for revision and 2 weeks for completion of the assessments. The first term in year one has an additional week added to the programme - Freshers and Induction week. The timetable will be adjusted appropriately to accommodate the Christmas and New Year and Easter period.
- Each student will study 17 modules during the programme with 6 modules typically studied each year (3 in parallel in each term). Level 6 has 5 modules as the Research Methods Dissertation is a double module (40 credits).
- Each module will comprise 10 large group sessions and 11 workshops.

The pattern of study will be as follows:

- The first week of each term will consist of 3 two hour large group sessions, weeks two to ten will consist of 3 two hour large group sessions and 3 two hour workshops. Week 11 will consist of 3 two hour workshops. The exception to this is Week 6 which does not have a large group session to create time for students to focus on their mock assessment.
- Attendance at all large group sessions and workshops is compulsory.

## Summary of Key Learning Outcomes

### Knowledge and Understanding

Demonstrate thorough knowledge and an in depth understanding of the National Policing Curriculum. This includes theories, concepts, values, principles and rules of policing and investigative practice as well as the ability to apply those skill to the future environment in which successful candidates may operate.

Demonstrate awareness of principles and values of law, justice and ethics.

Understand how to support those who are vulnerable, at risk, and in need of public protection

Understand national strategies in relation to counter terrorism

Understand concepts of effective digital policing



Engage with their own personal and professional development, and academic integrity.

### **Learning Environment**

- Large group sessions delivered by a lecturer on campus, two hours in length.
- Independent learning/study and preparation for workshop sessions, including reading, library based and online research.
- Workshop sessions facilitated by a lecturer, two hours in length.
- A variety of e-learning media (for example, video clips; demonstrations; virtual reality software) will be used during sessions, and for independent learning on-line via the



Level 5	Community Policing & Introduction to Road Policing	<b>Assessment</b>  Element 1: MCQ Exam: 10 MCQs Element 2: 2000 word coursework
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		Element 2:1500 word coursework
	Responding to Major & Critical Incidents	Element 1: 90 minute knowledge & reasoning exam Element 2: 1500 word critical essay Element 3: 10 minute oral presentation + 5 mins questions
	Investigating Serious Crime & Understanding Terrorism and Transnational Organised Crime	Element 1: 2 hour examination: 10 MCQs + Knowledge & Reasoning Element 2: 1500 word academic essay
	Counter-Terrorism & Advanced Road Policing	Element 1: 1 hour closed book exam Element 2: 2000 word critical essay

additional time, your

exam will last 2 hours 30 minutes.

#### Potential Resit Assessments:

Candidates who are unsuccessful in any module will be required to resit the assessment. The resit assessment will be undertaken in the same manner as the original assessment. Ordinarily, candidates must resit any outstanding assessment at the next resit assessment point. The resit assessments are normally scheduled over a two week period at the end of July. There are 3 attempts permitted for any assessment

**Please note – in line with UKVI requirements, visa-sponsored students must sit all written examinations on campus.**

#### **Time limits for Completion**

You must complete your course within the following time limits, starting with your original start date:

<b>Course</b>	<b>Time Limit</b>
3 year full-time	5 years
4 year full-time including Foundation Year	6 years



## **Additional digital and technological resources and requirements**

In addition to the general technological requirements listed on our website at