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2020/21 Undergraduate

Certificate of Higher Education
Built Environment Studies

Realising your potential in the Built Environment



Shaping the future of the Built Environment

The **Certificate of Higher Education (CertHE) Built Environment Studies**

programme is an excellent opportunity to experience an introduction to one of our BSc (Hons) whilst gaining experience of online learning.

This is ideal for school leavers or those wishing to **explore the world of the Built Environment**, without committing to a full BSc (Hons).



Welcome

UCEM is the leading provider of supported online learning for the Built Environment

Thank you for considering studying with UCEM. We are dedicated to ensuring your success and providing the best possible learning experience for all our students.

Since 1919, when we were founded as the College of Estate Management, we have supported around 150,000 students worldwide.

With 100 years' experience of providing specialist and innovative training globally, we are here to support you through your studies and ensure you join the path to a rewarding career.

We are steadfast in our aspiration to to be the centre of excellence for Built Environment education.



Ashley Wheaton
UCEM Principal



UCEM Patron
His Royal Highness, The Prince of Wales

Why the CertHE Built Environment Studies?

01 The programme serves as a springboard for both further study and/or entry into the **Built Environment industry.**

02 Experience a taste of online learning at your own pace

03 You'll be joining our vibrant international community spanning **100+ countries**



04 Start your Built Environment BSc journey **wherever you are in the world** with UCEM's CertHE.

05 Upon successful completion, students can choose to continue on to study for a BSc (Hons) with UCEM and will be exempt from the first six modules (120 credits) on the BSc (Hons) programme.



CertHE Built Environment Studies

This programme provides students with a rigorous detailed understanding of the principles and practice involved in the property and construction industries, up to a Level 4 standard (the first level of a Bachelor's degree).

The programme provides the academic underpinning necessary to prepare students to start their journey towards a career as a Chartered Surveyor, without the initial financial and time commitment of a full Bachelor's degree. This means students can take control over the timing and progression of their studying to suit personal and career circumstances. Successful students can then choose to progress onto one of UCEM's accredited BSc (Hons) programmes.



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Award

Certificate of Higher Education Built Environment Studies.

Entry to any of our BSc (hons) programmes

Duration

1.5 years

Dates

	Apply by	Start date
Autumn	24 Aug 2020	05 Oct 2020
Spring	22 Feb 2021	05 Apr 2021

Fees

£1,150 per module for 6 modules

Total programme fee: £6,900

Time Commitment

15-20 hours of study a week for 42 weeks per annum.

Each 20-credit module equates to a total of 200 study hours broken down between directed online learning, self-directed learning and assessment. The breakdown between these three types of activity may vary between modules but on average is as follows:

Directed online learning	(50%)
Self-directed reading	(17%)
Assessment	(33%)

Entry requirements

Entrants to this Programme are normally required to have attained one of the following:

- Obtained 96 UCAS tariff points or an equivalent level of attainment through recognised qualifications not included in the UCAS tariff; **or**
- Completed an Advanced Apprenticeship in Surveying** or an Advanced Apprenticeship in Construction Technical** through which a Construction and Built Environment Diploma with a minimum DD profile was obtained or through which a Construction and Built Environment Extended Diploma with a minimum MMM profile was obtained, or an equivalent qualification;
- A current Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) Associate qualification (AssocRICS) and be in relevant employment; *** **or**

→ Successfully completed the UCEM BSc Access module programme;

* Recognised qualifications having an equivalent level of attainment as those recognised by UCAS include: Higher National Certificate (HNC), Higher National Diploma (HND), professional qualifications from recognised institutions, certain armed forces qualifications and partially completed degrees.

** Completion of this apprenticeship will need to be evidenced through a verified copy of the apprenticeship completion certificate as issued by the apprenticeship certification body.

*** Relevant employment is employment in a job role that will support the applicant in developing the required skills, knowledge and behaviours.

All UCEM programmes are taught and assessed in English. In addition to the programme entry requirements listed above, all applicants will therefore be required to demonstrate adequate proficiency in the language before being admitted to a programme.

For more information on this programmes entry requirements, including English Language Requirements, [please visit the programme page](#).

Yr	Smt	Autumn (UK) entry	Spring (UK) entry		
1	smtr	1	Law for the Built Environment	Digital Technologies	
		1	People and Organisational Management	Construction Technology 1	
	2	smtr	1	Digital Technologies	Law for the Built Environment
		2	1	Construction Technology 1	People and Organisational Management
2	smtr	1	1	Introduction to Regulatory Frameworks	Introduction to Regulatory Frameworks
		2	1	Construction Technology 2	Construction Technology 2

Study Online



Just because you're studying online, it doesn't mean you're studying alone. You'll study alongside a vibrant student community, with access to our experienced tutors and a wealth of learning resources, all at your fingertips.

Virtual Learning Environment

- Induction resources to prepare you for online learning experience
- Online assignment submission, feedback and results
- A network of discussion forums shared by fellow students and Tutors
- Comprehensive study skills to guide your academic journey

Flexible Learning

- Earn while you learn. Our programmes will fit around your work and personal commitments
- Conveniently catch up on scheduled learning materials you may have missed
- Access to your learning materials to study wherever you are with an internet connection

State of the Art Learning

- Rich resources and tools to support your education and build your knowledge and skills
- Learn through online seminars, briefings, tutorials and drop-in sessions
- You'll also have access to our fantastic e-Library service, which hosts a rich collection of e-books, journals, articles and other online resources, enabling you to access a wealth of subject-specific and credible information to support you throughout your studies

Need more information?

-  enquiries@ucem.ac.uk
-  [LiveChat: ucem.ac.uk](#)
-  [0800 019 9697](tel:0800 019 9697)

Support



As part of the programme students will receive additional study skills support which is designed to provide students with the study skills and the confidence to study at undergraduate level.

Tailored Support

You will receive online study materials designed to refresh your study skills and build your self-confidence. You will be assigned a member of staff who will provide you with direct study support and work with you to develop an individual support plan. You will also benefit from detailed written feedback, group support sessions, study support webinars and dedicated surgery hours.

Academic Support

Our Academic staff are experts in their fields and are here to make your studies with UCEM both stimulating and inspiring, whilst offering vital support and guidance along the way.

Student Engagement Team

Your first point of contact as a student. They will support you in your studies and queries, ensuring you're put in touch with all of the right teams and services within UCEM.

Disability & Wellbeing

The Disability & Wellbeing team offers the best possible support for students with disabilities or wellbeing concerns. Get in touch with our team of advisors who are ready to offer you guidance, support and assistance during your studies.

Need more information?

-  disabilitysupport@ucem.ac.uk

Patron: **HRH The Prince of Wales**

Programmes available upon completion of the Access Module

Upon successfully completing the BSc Access Module, you will be offered entry to the UCEM undergraduate programme of your choice. You will then be able to transfer your academic credits when you enter your BSc programme.

Our Undergraduate Programmes:

- BSc (Hons) Building Control
- BSc (Hons) Building Surveying
- BSc (Hons) Construction Management
- BSc (Hons) Quantity Surveying
- BSc (Hons) Real Estate Management
- BSc Access Module

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