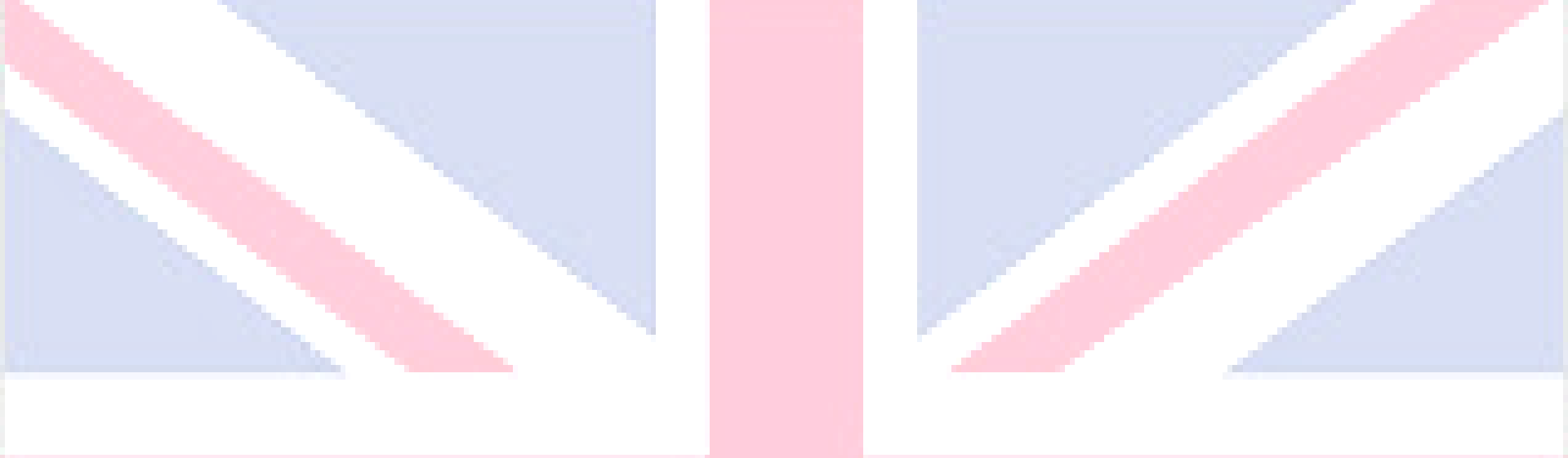




Welcome from Nottingham Trent University



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Studying in the UK, choosing a course & enhancing your employability



Why study in the UK?

- Tradition of excellence
- Regulation & quality control
- World class reputation and recognition
- Selective system
- Excellent start to your career
- Affordability
- Choice

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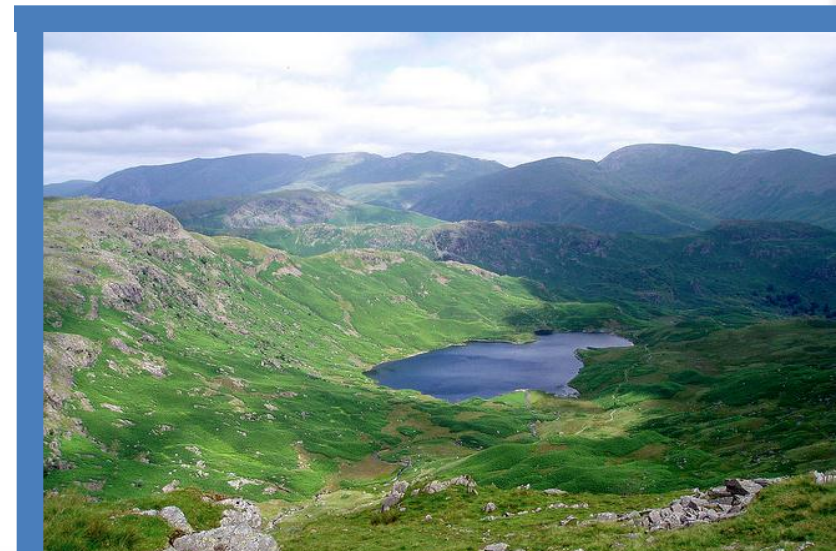


**Accommodation
Student Union
Supportive Environment**



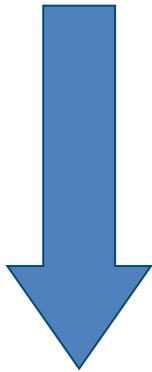


The UK is a fantastic place
to live!



Spoilt for choice!

There are currently over 130 institutions where you can study towards a degree in the UK.



With at least 45,000 courses how do you narrow it down to those right for you?



Which subject?



- What subjects are you currently studying?
- Do you want to study something completely different?
- What subjects are available to you?

- What interests you, and can you commit to for a minimum of 3 years?
- Jobs and careers you are interested in?



Which course?

- Look closely at course content
- Levels of Specialism
 - Combining different subjects
 - BA (Hons) Business
 - BA (Hons) Business Management and Marketing
 - BA (Hons) Marketing Design and Communication
- Course features
 - Work Placements / Internships
 - Study Abroad
 - Integrated Masters
 - Field Work / Practical Work
- Specific entry requirements





Things to consider...

- **Course content**
- **Teaching and assessment methods**
- **Professional accreditation or exemptions**
- Modules
- Exams, coursework, presentations, reports
- Exemptions from exams, recognition

Work Placements

- Develop skills and knowledge
- Test out your career options
- Improve your final year performance.
- CV will stand out from the crowd

Rarely guaranteed but plenty of help and support

Which university?

- Do they offer the subject you want to study?
- Entry requirements?
- 'Academic' or 'Applied' focus?



- Graduate employability
- Location
- Campus
- League tables



**Student
Ambassador
Scheme**



**Learn a
new sport**



**Join a
society**

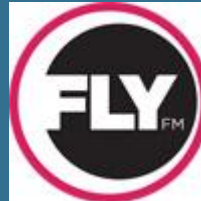


**Spend a
semester/year
at a partner
university in
another country**

**Make the most of University life:
Experiences beyond your course**

**Or a new
language...**

**Get involved
in student
journalism**



**Take a work placement
(internship)**



**Develop your
business ideas!**

**Volunteer in
the local
community**



Make the most of the experience...

Enhance your employability:

Work part time - you can work for up to 20 hours per week as an International Student...



- Show you can work in a team & respond to customer's needs
 - Increase your confidence
 - Plan for your career
 - **BUT don't over do it!**



Employment

- Start thinking early!
- Register with Careers Services
- Research your career progression
- Attend graduate fairs
- Seek opportunities to enhance your CV
- Final year will be a busy one!

NTU graduate employment prospects

93% of our UG graduates and 91% of our PG graduates are employed or engaged in further study six months after leaving NTU

(HESA - DLHE survey 2011/12)



All courses provide opportunities for practical **experience** designed with the relevant **industry** or **profession** in mind.

NTU is in the **top 10** UK universities for the number of students undertaking year-long **Work Placements**

Partnerships with over 6000 employers



Long-standing relationships with professional bodies



Subjects offered at NTU include...

- Business, Law & Social Sciences
- Art & Design, Architecture & the Built Environment
- Science & Technology, Animal, Rural and Environmental Science
- Arts & Humanities, Education





Brackenhurst



City



Clifton





Location: within two hours of...

London
Birmingham
Manchester
Sheffield
Leeds
Oxford

Population:
over 300,000

Students: over 60,000

Nottingham – located in the heart of England

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