



University of
BRISTOL

Welcome, students from India



Study at Bristol
2021

Introducing the University of Bristol

Founded in 1876, Bristol is one of the UK's top 10 universities with an international reputation for teaching and research.*

An international community

The University of Bristol is friendly, exciting and diverse, with one in four of our students coming from outside the UK. Around 250 students from India currently study here, and we would love for you to join us.

A diverse city

Bristol is a friendly, safe city with a rich history and distinctive culture. The city is truly multicultural, home to people from 187 nationalities, speaking 91 languages. There is a range of shops and restaurants where Indian and other South Asian food is available.

A world of opportunities

You can celebrate cultural events, share experiences and connect with students from around the world at the Global Lounge. Societies are another great way to meet like-minded friends and share your culture with others. Our student clubs include the Indian Society, Tamil Society, Asian Society, Bollywood Dance Society, and hundreds more for different interests and hobbies.

*9th in the UK, QS World University Rankings 2021



'I have found this city very accessible, liveable, vibrant and friendly, and it's one of the most multicultural in the UK. My classmates come from more than 100 countries – so the learning doesn't happen just in the classroom; you learn informally through each other as well. There is a lot of support available, so you are not left alone. That's what I like about it here – it's like a community.'

Siddharth India (MSc Education: Teaching and Learning)

Entry requirements

We accept a wide range of qualifications. The table below will give you an idea of the typical requirements for each study level.

Degree type	Accepted qualifications	More information
Undergraduate (Bachelor's: BA, BEng, BSc, BDS, BVSc, LLB, MArts, MEng, MSci, MBChB)	One of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• CBSE or CISCE qualifications, typically 80-90%• A-levels: typically AAA or higher• IB diploma: typically 36 points or higher Other qualifications such as state board and diploma are accepted; contact us for details.	bristol.ac.uk/undergraduate
Postgraduate taught (Master's: MSc, MA, MRes, LLM)	First class degree (60% or higher) or first class with distinction from a recognised Indian university; 55% pass may be accepted from some top colleges.	bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate
Postgraduate research (PhD)	First class Indian bachelor's degree and some research experience; master's degree with research elements is desirable.	bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate

Specific entry requirements are listed on individual course pages online. You can find further information about applying on our website at bristol.ac.uk/study-india-21.

English language requirements

If your first language is not English, we will require proof of your English language ability. We accept a wide range of qualifications and tests. Different courses need different English language levels; specific requirements are listed on individual course pages online.

We understand that the majority of candidates from India have been taught in English throughout their education. For undergraduate applicants, CBSE or CISCE English at 70-80% or above can be accepted in lieu of another English test such as IELTS. For postgraduate applicants, many departments will accept CBSE or CISCE English at 80% or above in lieu of another English test, with an MOI letter confirming that English is the teaching language of your institution.

Applying to Bristol

Our degrees

We offer more than 600 undergraduate and postgraduate degrees. Our six faculties cover a comprehensive range of subjects, including economics, finance, management, engineering, law, politics, psychology, sciences and life sciences. We are pleased to note that Bristol's LLB Law degree is recognised by the Bar Council of India. Use our online course finder to find your perfect degree at Bristol: bristol.ac.uk/undergraduate and bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate.

Scholarships

As well as University of Bristol scholarships such as Think Big, Indian students can apply for Chevening Scholarships and Commonwealth Scholarships. Other opportunities have previously included the Zutshi-Smith Scholarship for PhD students. For the latest information, visit bristol.ac.uk/international-scholarships.

Education agents

Bristol has agreements with various education representatives, or agents, in India including:

- AECC Global
- Career Track
- Chopra Consultancy
- Edwise International
- Envision Overseas
- GeeBee Education
- Hotcourses India
- IDP India
- International Placewell Consultants (IPC)
- Kavi Trivedi EduConsultants
- Krishna Consultants
- Leverage Edu
- Prem N Kapur Associates
- Shiksha Study Abroad
- Study International UK (SI-UK) India

Agents can help you to apply, but using one does not put you at an advantage or disadvantage when we consider your application.



Our alumni

Our international alumni network includes more than 800 students from or living in India, who are employed at organisations including Airbus, Deloitte, Jaguar Land Rover, the United Nations, the NHS and universities around the world.

Well-known alumni from India include influential physicist and policymaker Mambillikalathil Govind Kumar Menon.

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5th in the UK
for research

(*THE* analysis of REF 2014)

58

Ranked 58th
in the world

(QS World University Rankings 2021)

150

Students from more
than 150 countries

10

Top 10 in the UK

(*THE* World University Rankings 2020)

9

9th in the UK for
employability

(QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2020)

1

Best place to
live in the UK

(*Sunday Times*, 2017)

Get in touch

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