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Gold

Teaching
Excellence
Framework

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT GUIDE 2021/22

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This guide is designed to answer your initial questions about studying at Bangor University as an international student. It provides an introduction to the university and lists the courses and services available. If you need more information please visit www.bangor.ac.uk or contact us by referring to the contacts list on the back page.



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OVER

130

YEARS OF HISTORY

OVER

120

NATIONALITIES

11,000+

STUDENTS



2,500+

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



30+

UNIQUE RESEARCH AREAS



250+

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES



150+

POSTGRADUATE COURSES



WHY STUDY AT BANGOR



BANGOR UNIVERSITY WAS FOUNDED IN 1884, MAKING IT **ONE OF THE FOUR TRADITIONAL RESEARCH LED UNIVERSITIES IN WALES**



WORLD CLASS RANKINGS



Awarded **GOLD** rating for **Teaching Excellence**
- (TEF 2017)

World ranking 160th for **International Outlook**
- (Times Higher Education World Ranking, 2020)



Top 10 UK university for **Student Satisfaction**
- (National Student Survey 2019)



Top 40 UK University for **Facilities** - (WhatUni 2020)

Ranked Top 25 in the UK for **Student Support**
- (WhatUni 2020)



Ranked 1st in the UK for lowest cost of living for students
- (TotallyMoney 2019)



Top 25 UK university for **Job Prospectus**
- (WhatUni 2020)



Bangor University ranked among the world's 200 top performing institutions, and the only University from Wales represented in a new league table that gauges how universities are making a real impact on society outside their research and teaching.
- (University Impact Rankings 2019)

World leading research

- ▶ Over half of our academic schools are ranked in the top 20 in the UK for research.



TEF Gold Teaching Excellence Framework

GOLD RATED

What is the TEF?

The TEF aims to recognise and reward excellence in teaching and learning, and help inform prospective students' choices for higher education. Institutions were ranked as Gold, Silver or Bronze.

GOLD rating for Bangor?

Bangor University was assessed across three main categories: teaching quality, learning environment, student outcomes and learning gain.

- ▶ We were amongst the first set of universities, and the only one in Wales to be awarded Gold in 2017. This means our teaching is of the highest quality in the UK.

Why GOLD matters to you?

TEF Gold confirms Bangor university is:

- ▶ **Amongst the best in the UK** for Teaching Quality
- ▶ **A world-class learning environment**

- ▶ **Recognised for research excellence** - More than 75% of Bangor's research is either world-leading or internationally excellent
- ▶ **Excellent for employability and career prospects** - 93% are employed or move on to further study within 6 months of graduation (*DLHE Survey 2016/2017*)
- ▶ **Providing a personalised experience** - unique opportunities for independent study

For further information about TEF:

Bangor website:
www.bangor.ac.uk/TEF
Office contact:
international@bangor.ac.uk



COURSE LIST

BUSINESS SCHOOL

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Accounting and Banking BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Accounting and Finance BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Accounting and Economics BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Business BA (Hons)
- ▶ Business Analytics with Financial Technology BSc
- ▶ Banking with Financial Technology BSc
- ▶ Banking and Finance BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Business Management and Law BA (Hons)
- ▶ Business Economics BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Business School Studies plus Another Subject
- ▶ Business Management and Finance BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Business Management and Marketing BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Economics and Another Subject (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Financial Economics BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Business Management with Accounting BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Marketing BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Marketing with Psychology BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Politics and Economics BA (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Accounting MSc ♦♦
- ▶ Accounting and Banking MSc ♦♦
- ▶ Accounting and Finance MSc ♦♦
- ▶ Banking and Finance MSc/MBA ♦♦
- ▶ Banking and Finance (Chartered Banker) MA/MSc
- ▶ Business and Marketing MA ♦
- ▶ Consumer and Digital Marketing Analytics MSc ♦
- ▶ Chartered Banker MBA (Distance Learning)* ♦
- ▶ Environmental Management MBA ♦
- ▶ Finance MSc/MBA ♦♦
- ▶ Information Management MBA
- ▶ International Business MBA ♦
- ▶ International Marketing MBA ♦
- ▶ International Media and Management MSc
- ▶ Investment Management MSc ♦♦
- ▶ Islamic Banking and Finance MSc/MBA ♦♦
- ▶ Law and Management MBA ♦
- ▶ Management MBA ♦
- ▶ Management and Finance MA/MSc ♦♦
- ▶ Business PhD/MPhil

CFA Pathway Available, visit the link for more information:

- www.bangor.ac.uk/business/CFA-pathway

Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information:

- ♦ www.bangor.ac.uk/international/courses/january-start/

SCHOOL OF COMPUTER SCIENCE & ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Computer Science BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Computer Science with Game Design BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Creative Technologies BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Computer Information Systems BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Computer Information Systems for Business BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Computer Systems Engineering BSc/BEng/MEng (Hons)
- ▶ Control and Instrumentation Engineering MEng
- ▶ Data Science and Artificial Intelligence BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Data Science and Visualisation BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Electronic Engineering BSc/BEng/MEng (Hons)
- ▶ Electronic Engineering and Music BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Advanced Data Science MSc
- ▶ Advanced Computer Science MSc
- ▶ Broadband and Optical Communications MSc
- ▶ Computing MSc (Conversion course)
- ▶ Computing for Data Science MSc (Conversion course)
- ▶ Electronic Engineering MSc/MRes
- ▶ Electronic Engineering PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Nanotechnology and Microfabrication MSc
- ▶ Rise of the Machines MSc (Conversion course)
- ∞ Industrial placement year also available - 4 years

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Childhood and Youth Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Primary Education BA (Hons) Leading to Qualified Teacher Status
- ▶ Product Design BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Behavioural Analysis MSc
- ▶ Applied Innovation Design MSc
- ▶ Childhood and Youth MA
- ▶ Education MA
- ▶ Education Studies (with placement) MA
- ▶ PGCE Primary
- ▶ PGCE Secondary
- ▶ Music with Education MA
- ▶ Education PhD/MPhil

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Health & Social Care BSc
- ▶ Health Studies (International) BSc (Hons)
(1 year top up for nurses or other health professionals)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Advanced Healthcare Practice MSc
- ▶ Applied Health Research MSc
- ▶ Dementia MSc
- ▶ Leading Quality Improvement MSc
- ▶ Mental Health Practice MSc
- ▶ Masters by Research - Ageing Studies
- ▶ Masters by Research - Health Economics
- ▶ Masters by Research - Implementation
- ▶ Public Health and Health Promotion MSc
- ▶ Professional Doctorate in Public Health (DHealthCare)
- ▶ Professional Doctorate in Healthcare (DHealthCare)
- ▶ Healthcare Sciences PhD/MPhil

SCHOOL OF HISTORY, PHILOSOPHY & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Criminology and Criminal Justice BA (Hons)
- ▶ Heritage, Archaeology and History BA (Hons)
- ▶ History BA (Hons)
- ▶ History and Archaeology BA (Hons)
- ▶ History with Film Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ History with Journalism BA (Hons)
- ▶ Medieval and Early Modern History BA (Hons)
- ▶ Modern and Contemporary History BA (Hons)

- ▶ Professional Policing Practice BSc
- ▶ Politics BA (Hons)
- ▶ Philosophy & Religion and Another subject (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Philosophy and Religion BA (Hons)
- ▶ Social Policy BA (Hons)
- ▶ Social Policy and Another Subject (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Sociology BA (Hons)
- ▶ Welsh History BA (Hons)
- ▶ Welsh History with Archaeology BA (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Celtic Archaeology MA ♦
- ▶ Comparative Criminology and Criminal Justice MA ♦
- ▶ Criminology and Law MA ♦
- ▶ Criminology and Sociology MA ♦
- ▶ History MA
- ▶ Medieval Studies MA
- ▶ Philosophy and Religion (MARes Distance Learning)
- ▶ Sociology MA ♦
- ▶ Welsh History MA ♦
- ▶ Philosophy and Religion PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Social Sciences PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Social Policy MA ♦

ó 4 years, 1 year spent overseas studying or working

♦ Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information:
www.bangor.ac.uk/januaryintakecourses

SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES, LITERATURE & LINGUISTICS

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Another Subject plus a Modern Language ó
- ▶ Chinese and Creative Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Chinese with Another Subject BA (Hons) ó
- ▶ Creative and Professional Writing BA (Hons)
- ▶ Creative Studies and English Language BA (Hons)
- ▶ LanguageBilingualism MArts (4 year)
- ▶ English Literature with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Literature BA (Hons) / MArts (4 year)
- ▶ English Language with English Literature (with Foundation Year) BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Language with Creative Writing BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Literature with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Literature with Journalism BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Literature with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Language BA (Hons)

COURSE LIST

- ▶ English Language with English Literature BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Language with Film Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ English Language and Media Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ French BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ French with Another Subject BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ German with Another Subject BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ German BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ Italian and Another Subject BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ International English Language for TEFL BA (Hons)
- ▶ Journalism and English Language BA (Hons)
- ▶ Linguistics BA (Hons) / MArts
- ▶ Linguistics with the English Language BA (Hons)
- ▶ Linguistics with English Literature BA (Hons)
- ▶ Linguistics with International Experience (4 year)
- ▶ Music and Creative Writing BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Media Studies with English Literature BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Spanish BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ Spanish with Another Subject BA (Hons) ◊
- ▶ Three Language Honours (French, German, Italian, Spanish) ◊

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Arthurian Literature MA
- ▶ Applied Linguistics for TEFL MA
- ▶ Bilingualism MA
- ▶ Creative Writing MA
- ▶ English Literature MA
- ▶ European Languages and Cultures MA
- ▶ Language Acquisition Development MSc
- ▶ Language Technologies MSc
- ▶ Linguistics MA
- ▶ Literatures of Wales MA
- ▶ Medieval Studies MA
- ▶ Publishing and Book Culture MA
- ▶ Translation Studies MA
- ▶ Linguistics PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Modern Language PhD/MPhil

∞ Industrial placement year also available - 4 years

SCHOOL OF LAW

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Business Management and Law BA (Hons)
- ▶ Law LLB
- ▶ Law LLB (2-Year Degree Scheme for graduates)
- ▶ Law with Accounting and Finance LLB
- ▶ Law with Business Studies LLB
- ▶ Law with Criminology LLB
- ▶ Law with Creative Media Writing LLB

- ▶ Law with Chinese LLB
- ▶ Law with History LLB
- ▶ Law with Politics LLB
- ▶ Law with Psychology LLB
- ▶ Law with Media Studies LLB
- ▶ Law with Philosophy and Religion LLB
- ▶ Law with Social Policy LLB
- ▶ Law with French (European Experience) LLB
- ▶ Law with German (European Experience) LLB
- ▶ Law with Italian (European Experience) LLB
- ▶ Law with Spanish (European Experience) LLB

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Criminology and Law MA ◊
- ▶ International Commercial and Business Law LLM ◊
- ▶ International Intellectual Property Law LLM ◊
- ▶ International Law LLM ◊
- ▶ International Criminal Law and International Human Rights Law LLM ◊
- ▶ Law LLM Res ◊
- ▶ Law and Banking LLM ◊
- ▶ Law and Management MBA ◊
- ▶ Maritime Law LLM ◊
- ▶ Law PhD/MPhil

Also available for January Intake, visit the link for more information:

◊ www.bangor.ac.uk/januaryintakecourses

SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Biomedical Sciences with Foundation Year BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Biomedical Science BA/BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Medical Sciences BMedSci (Hons)
- ▶ Medical Biology BSc (Hons)/M Biol
- ▶ Medical Sciences with Foundation Year BMedSci (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Biomedical Science MSc
- ▶ Genomics and Precision Medicine MSc ◊
- ▶ Medical Molecular Biology with Genetics MSc
- ▶ Medical Science PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Medical Education Practice MA ◊
- ▶ Molecular Medicine MRes

SCHOOL OF MUSIC & MEDIA

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Creative Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Creative Studies and Italian BA (Hons) (4 years)
- ▶ Creative Writing and Media Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Creative and Professional Writing BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Film Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Film Studies with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)
- ▶ Film Studies and Creative Writing BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Film Studies with a Modern Language BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Journalism and Media Studies BA (Hons)
- ▶ Media Studies with Theatre and Performance BA (Hons)
- ▶ Music with a Modern Language BA (Hons) (4 years)
- ▶ Media Studies with a Modern Language BA (Hons)
- ▶ Music and Film Studies BA (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Music BA/BMus
- ▶ Music and Electronic Engineering BA (Hons)
- ▶ Professional Writing and Film BA (Hons)
- ▶ Professional Writing and Media BA (Hons)
- ▶ Professional Writing MArTs (4 year)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Creative Practice MRes
- ▶ Composition with Sonic Art MA/MMus
- ▶ Creative Studies and Media PhD/MPhil
- ▶ 20th and 21st Century Music MA
- ▶ Film Studies MRes
- ▶ Filmmaking: Concept to Screen MA
- ▶ International Media and Management MSc
- ▶ Media MRes
- ▶ Music MA
- ▶ Music with Education MA
- ▶ Music PhD/MPhil
- ▶ Professional Writing MRes
- ▶ Performance MMus / Dip

SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Terrestrial and Marine Ecology BSc (Hons)∞
- ▶ Biology BSc (Hons) / MBiol
- ▶ Biology with Biotechnology BSc (Hons)/MBiol
- ▶ Conservation with Forestry BSc (Hons) ∞
- ▶ Environmental Conservation BSc (Hons)∞
- ▶ Environmental Science BSc (Hons)/MEnvSci
- ▶ Forestry BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Geography BA/BSc (Hons)/MGeog
- ▶ Geography with Environmental Forestry BSc (Hons) ∞
- ▶ Marine Biology and Zoology BSc (Hons)/MBiol
- ▶ Physical Geography and Oceanography BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Wildlife Conservation BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Zoology BSc (Hons)/MZool
- ▶ Zoology with Animal Behaviour BSc (Hons)/MZool
- ▶ Zoology with Conservation BSc (Hons)/MZool
- ▶ Zoology with Herpetology BSc (Hons)/MZool
- ▶ Zoology with Marine Zoology BSc (Hons)/MZool
- ▶ Zoology with Ornithology BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Zoology with Primatology BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Agroforestry and Food Security MSc (also available as Distance Learning)
- ▶ Conservation and Land Management MSc
- ▶ Environmental Forestry MSc
- ▶ Environmental and Business Management MSc
- ▶ Environmental Management MBA
- ▶ Forestry & Environmental Management Degrees (TRANSFOR-M) MSc (only open to USA and Canada applicants)
- ▶ Forestry (Distance Learning) MSc
- ▶ Molecular Biology with Biotechnology MSc
- ▶ Sustainable Forest and Nature Management (SUFONAMA) (Erasmus Mundus Course) MSc
- ▶ Tropical Forestry MSc (Distance Learning)
- ▶ Tropical Forestry (Distance Learning with Commonwealth Scholarship) MSc
- ▶ Biological Sciences PhD/MPhil

COURSE LIST

SCHOOL OF OCEAN SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Marine Biology BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Geological Oceanography BSc (Hons) / MOcean
- ▶ Marine Biology and Oceanography BSc (Hons)/MMSci
- ▶ Marine Biology and Zoology BSc (Joint Hons)/MMBiol
- ▶ Marine Biology BSc (Hons)/MMBiol
- ▶ Marine Environmental Studies BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Marine Vertebrate Zoology BSc (Hons)/MMBiol
- ▶ Ocean Science BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Ocean and Geophysics BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Physical Oceanography MSci
- ▶ Physical Geography and Oceanography BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Marine Geoscience MSc
- ▶ Marine Biology MSc
- ▶ Marine Environmental Protection MSc
- ▶ Marine Renewable Energy MSc
- ▶ Physical Oceanography MSc
- ▶ Ocean Sciences PhD/MPhil

SCHOOL OF PSYCHOLOGY

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Psychology BSc (Hons) / MSci
- ▶ Psychology with Business Management BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Psychology with Clinical and Health Psychology BSc (Hons) / MSci
- ▶ Psychology with Neuropsychology BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Psychology with Forensic Psychology BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Behaviour Analysis MSc
- ▶ Applied Behaviour Analysis with Practicum MSc
- ▶ Applied Marketing Science MSc
- ▶ Counselling MSc - 2 years
- ▶ Clinical and Health Psychology MSc
- ▶ Neuroimaging MSc
- ▶ Principles of Clinical Neuropsychology MSc
- ▶ Psychological Research MSc
- ▶ Psychology MA/MSc/MSci
- ▶ Psychology PhD/MPhil

SCHOOL OF SPORTS, HEALTH & EXERCISE SCIENCES

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Adventure Sports Science BSc/MSci
- ▶ Sport Science BSc (Hons)/MSci
- ▶ Sport, Health and Exercise Science BSc (Hons)/MSci
- ▶ Sport, Health and Physical Education BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Sport and Exercise Psychology BSc (Hons)/MSci
- ▶ Sports Science (Outdoor Recreation) BSc Top-up degree
- ▶ Sports Science and Another subject (Joint Hons)
- ▶ Sports Science and Marketing BSc (Hons)
- ▶ Sports Science and Business Management BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Applied Sport and Exercise Physiology MSc/MRes
- ▶ Applied Sport Science MSc
- ▶ Exercise Rehabilitation MSc
- ▶ Performance Psychology (Distance Learning) MSc
- ▶ Sport and Exercise Psychology (BPS Accredited) MSc/MRes
- ▶ Sport and Exercise Sciences MRes

SCHOOL OF WELSH

Undergraduate Courses

- ▶ Cymraeg/Welsh (for beginners) BA (Hons) (4 years)
- ▶ Professional Welsh (for Beginners) BA (Hons) (4 years)

Postgraduate Courses

- ▶ Literatures of Wales MA
 - ▶ The Celts MA
 - ▶ Welsh MA
 - ▶ Welsh PhD/MPhil
- ∞ Industrial placement year also available - 4 years

Dr Ephraim Kisangala, from Uganda MSc Public Health and Health Promotions Alumni

Having been practicing as a GP for two years in his home country of Uganda, Ephraim decided that the time was right to develop his experience and to extend his education. Dr Kisangala, a Commonwealth Scholar was nominated for his Scholarship by the Windle Trust International, a charity that promotes education among people affected by conflicts and refugees.

Ephraim was involved in the first world campaign on menstrual hygiene management in 2014 while he was a medical student. He and a group of fellow young professionals contribute from their monthly salaries to fund visits to rural areas with no access to healthcare, to provide free healthcare services to the people in the hardest to reach areas through a local based organisation called Nyalojje Integrated Foundation (NIF).

“My time at Bangor University remains memorable. Being a multi-national university, I felt at home when I arrived for the first time in the UK and found fellow Ugandans /Africans at the University. My lecturers were very, very supportive, mentoring me all the way, and regularly checking the progress of the projects I had set myself to do. Even now, I'm still in regular contact with the faculty. I still feel connected to the university even though I completed my studies at the end of 2019”.



Dr Ephraim Kisangala meets Meghan, Duchess of Sussex

During his time at Bangor University Ephraim presented at the Conference of the Association of Commonwealth Universities in London where he presented on menstrual hygiene management among refugees in Uganda. At the conference, Ephraim was invited to meet Meghan, Duchess of Sussex, and she showed particular interest in his work, it was also announced at the same event that the Duchess would become the Association's Royal Patron.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS



UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A school leaving qualification which is equivalent to the British school leaving qualification e.g A-levels / International Baccalaureate.

If you do not have the above qualification, then we can consider you for entry onto one of our 4-year International Incorporated Bachelor degree (IIB) programmes. Refer to page 14-15 for more details.

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

An undergraduate / Bachelor degree of equivalent standard to the British undergraduate/ Bachelor degree with a minimum grade equivalent to a British second-class honours.

If you do not qualify for entry onto the masters degrees in our School of Business or Psychology then you could consider applying for our International Incorporated Masters degrees (IIM). Refer to page 14-15 for more details.

POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH / PHD ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A Postgraduate / Master's Degree of equivalent standard to the British Postgraduate / Master's Degree.

To find out more about which qualification is acceptable from the country you studied in, please refer to our country specific leaflets attached to the end of this guide, or visit our country pages at www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countries/

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR OUR UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES, INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS MUST SATISFY ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Evidence of Language proficiency

The required evidence can be from any of the following:

- ▶ IELTS (SELT or Non-SELT) or IELTS Indicator (tests taken from 1st July 2020 onwards)
- ▶ International English Language Competency Assessment
- ▶ Pearson PTE score
- ▶ Cambridge English Language Assessment
- ▶ Trinity College London – ISE II & III
- ▶ Duolingo Online test
- ▶ TOEFL iBT
- ▶ LanguageCert International ESOL
- ▶ China - CET6, TEM4, and TEM8

Required score:

The level of English required depends on the course you wish to apply for.

Most of our courses require an IELTS score of 6.0 (5.5), however, some courses require a higher score. For further details visit:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/future/englishlanguage

If your English language score is less than the required score, you may apply for one of our pre-session courses, see page 17 or one of our Bangor University International College (BUIC) courses, see page 14-15.

Exemptions:

Your English language requirement may be waived if you;

- ▶ Are a citizen of a majority English-speaking country.
- ▶ Have graduated from university in a majority English-speaking country, within the last 2 years.
- ▶ Have achieved good grades in your high school English, or a letter from your university confirming your bachelor degree was taught in English.



Notable Alumni Danny Boyle

*Oscar Winning
Film Director*

Danny Boyle graduated from Bangor University in 1978 with a Degree in English and Drama. His most successful project to date has been 'Slumdog Millionaire' in 2008, which won 8 Oscars including Best Director. Danny Boyle also directed '127 hours', 'The Beach', 'A Life Less Ordinary', 'Steve Jobs' and he was also the artistic director for the opening ceremony of the 2012 Summer Olympics.

HOW TO APPLY



To apply go to our application portal and create a login: www.bangor.ac.uk/international/applying/



DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	UG/BACHELORS	PG/MASTERS	PhD/RESEARCH
▶ School transcripts and certificates	✓	✓	✓
▶ Bachelor (or equivalent) degree transcripts		✓	✓
▶ Masters (or equivalent) degree transcript			✓
▶ Evidence of english language ability (IELTS/High School Transcript)	✓	✓	✓
▶ Passport	✓	✓	✓
▶ Reference letter from your teacher/tutor/employer	✓	✓	✓

Mature students applying on the basis of relevant industry experience must submit a detailed CV and employer reference letter.

International (non EU) students can apply either via UCAS or using our Direct Application System. All EU undergraduate students should apply via UCAS.



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GET THE OFFER LETTER

Once ready your offer letter will be available to download from the online portal. You need to meet any conditions listed in your offer letter.

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PAY THE DEPOSIT

Pay your deposit as specified in your letter of admission or send your sponsorship letter to confirm your place.

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/future/payment

07

GET THE CAS LETTER

Your CAS letter will be issued by the university after your deposit payment clears and any pre-CAS checks have been completed so that you can apply for your visa. You may be interviewed by International Education Centre staff prior to receiving your CAS letter.

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APPLY FOR A VISA

Refer to our visa guide for help:

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/documents/student_visa_guide.pdf

Need help regarding how to apply?

- ▶ Refer to our guidance notes at:
www.bangor.ac.uk/application-advice/
- ▶ Consult one of our agents in your country, listed on an 'Your Country' page at www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countries/

BANGOR UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE



WHAT IF I DON'T MEET THE ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS?

Situated at the heart of our campus, Bangor University International College (BUIC) is an embedded college offering integrated programmes. It is run in partnership with education provider, Oxford international education group. All programmes taken at the college are validated by Bangor university and delivered by Oxford international.

International incorporated Bachelor's degree (IIB)

A four-year degree option at Bangor university for students whose high school qualification isn't equivalent to those in the UK. International Year Zero (IYZ) is the first stage of a four-year IIB degree and is delivered at Bangor University International College, students then progress onto their academic degree at Bangor university.

You can choose to study one of the following routes:

- ▶ Business, Management and Finance
- ▶ Electronic Engineering
- ▶ Computer Science
- ▶ Law
- ▶ Social Sciences
- ▶ Media
- ▶ Psychology

If we don't offer IIB in your subject areas then you will need to complete an International Foundation. Students can start the IYZ in September or January.

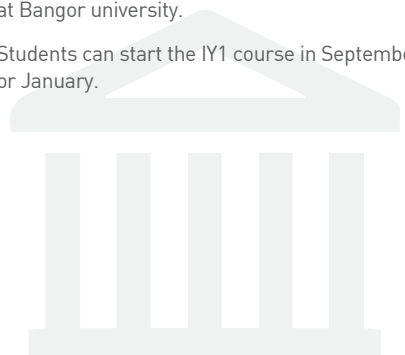
International year 1 (IY1)

The International Year 1 (IY1), delivered at Bangor International College (BUIC) provides an intensive combination of first year university subject areas with entry routes to business, management, finance and psychology and includes extra study and English language skills.

The IY1 is the first year of the three-year International Incorporated Bachelor's (IIB) degree.

Upon successful completion of the IY1, you will continue to the second year of your chosen degree at Bangor university.

Students can start the IY1 course in September or January.





International incorporated Masters

Our IIM programmes focus on psychology and business subjects including accounting, banking, business, finance, investment, management, and marketing and will equip you with the advanced skills you need to complete your postgraduate study at Bangor university.

This intergrated pre-masters is for students that have not met our entry requirements for the masters programmes.

For non-business or psychology subjects you will need to complete a relevant pre-masters with another provider.

How to apply

For further details or to apply please go to:

Website : www.bangor.ac.uk/buic

Email : buic@bangor.ac.uk

Please note we also recognise international foundation and pre-masters from a range of pathway providers.

Pre-sessional English programmes

6 and 12 week pre-sessional programmes for entry to Bangor University International College courses are available for students whose English does not meet our entry requirements. For further details on Bangor University International College pre-sessional English programmes please go to: www.bangor.ac.uk/buic/english-language-requirements



Moneeb Ur Rehman, from Pakistan,

*Studying BSc Business
Management*

"Currently I am studying in the Bangor University International College. The staff, the lecturers, everything has been better than what I expected. I have been researching other Universities across the world, and I have been travelling to the UK many times before, so I knew about all the universities in the UK. The reason I choose Bangor University was because Bangor University had a wide range of facilities to offer for business students such as the institute of European finance and collaboration hub, where an individual can interact with a lot of other students across the globe, which can benefit in various ways for life in University as well as in building their career."

ENGLISH COURSES

WHAT IF I DON'T MEET THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS OR WANT TO IMPROVE MY ENGLISH?

Language Improvement courses

The ELCOS general English course is designed to improve your English language and communication skills. You will study up to 21 hours per week in a relaxed and friendly setting. Courses are offered at all levels from 'elementary' upwards.

The course helps you to develop all aspects of your use of English with a course book, homework and projects.

The classes run throughout the year and we have start dates each month. You can study with us for as long as you like (one week minimum).

Courses cost:

£250 p/w for 21 hours

£200 p/w for 15 hours (mornings only)

For further details visit:

elcos.bangor.ac.uk

Due to Covid19- some Pre-sessional, Pathway-to-Pre-sessional & Language Improvement courses will be taught online, for more details of which courses visit here:

elcos.bangor.ac.uk

Pre-sessional English courses and Pathways to Pre-sessional courses

If you have not been able to achieve our English language requirement you can enrol on a pre-sessional course. Our pre-sessional courses enable students to reach the language level required for entry onto our degree programmes. The length of the English language course you require will depend on your current IELTS score.

For more details and to make an application go to: elcos.bangor.ac.uk



Mardhi Alenazy, from Saudi Arabia

*General English and 30 week
Pre-sessional English*

"I started a General English course at Bangor and got up to an IELTS 5.0 and then I started a Pre-sessional English course. I feel that Bangor is a home, not just for studying and I saw a new culture, and made good relationships in the community. My advice to students in ELCOS is; work hard, attend class, and use English outside the class."

PRE - SESSIONAL COURSES

HOW DO I APPLY ?

Please email elcos@bangor.ac.uk for an application form.

1. Pathway To Pre-sessional

IELTS 2.5 To 4.0 in 3 Months (CEFR A2 To B1) | For students with lower levels of English

Pathway 1 (2.5 entry)	September/January/April intakes	£3,200
Pathway 2 (3.0 entry)	October/February/June intakes	£2,200
Pathway 3 (3.5 entry)	November/March/July intakes	£1,200

2. Pre-sessional courses

IELTS 4.0 – 6.0 within 8 months | For students with an IELTS score of at least 4.0

ENTRY LEVEL	START MONTH	END MONTH	COST
▶ IELTS 4.0	February June September	September December April	£6,100
▶ IELTS 4.5	April July November	September December April	£4,950
▶ IELTS 5.0	June September January	September December April	£3,200
▶ IELTS 5.5	July October February	September December April	£2,200
▶ IELTS 6.0 (1 x below 5.5)	August November	September December	£1,200

For more information: E: elcos@bangor.ac.uk | W: www.bangor.ac.uk/elcos

ACCOMMODATION



**TOP 15 IN THE UK
FOR STUDENT
ACCOMMODATION**

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FREE GYM AND CAMPUS LIFE MEMBERSHIP

We have two modern student villages, 'Ffriddoedd' and 'St Marys', both located within easy walking distance of the university. All international undergraduate and postgraduate students starting in Bangor University for the first time will be guaranteed on campus accommodation provided that you apply and submit your accommodation application before the deadline. See further information in the link below.

www.bangor.ac.uk/international/accommodation

Room types

All of our accommodation are single (non-sharing rooms). Each room will include as a minimum, a bed, desk, chair, wardrobe and storage:

- ▶ Standard rooms (shared bathroom)
- ▶ En-suite rooms (own bathroom)
- ▶ Studios (own bathroom and kitchenette)
- ▶ Female only corridors or flats
- ▶ Alcohol free flats
- ▶ Disabled access rooms

Contract length for undergraduates is 40 weeks and 51 weeks for postgraduates. Costs include heating, lighting, hot water, electricity, security, furniture, internet access, gym membership and Campus Life activities.

There are no university-owned family accommodation, so students with families should look at private accommodation.

**Please note that some services may be impacted due to Covid-19, please visit our website for further updates.*

FACILITIES PROVIDED	
FREE CAMPUS LIFE ACTIVITIES	
 FREE WI-FI ACCESS	 FREE GYM MEMBERSHIP
 LAUNDRY FACILITIES	 HALL WARDENS AND SECURITY - 24 HOUR ASSISTANCE
 SPORTS FACILITIES	 CAFÉ/ BAR
 SHOP	 SOCIAL SPACES



When to pay

Accommodation fees can be paid in full or by seven instalments using a recurring credit/debit card as part of the online registration process.

Costs can be seen on page 20-21.

Private accommodation

The student housing office advertises privately rented accommodation on behalf of landlords at:

www.bangor.ac.uk/student-services/student-housing

Private halls of residence are also available in the city, please contact the Student Support Team for more details: internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk

Find out more

www.bangor.ac.uk/accommodation

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 383944

Email : halls@bangor.ac.uk



Campus Life Team

The Campus Life Events Programme has been developed to help you get the most out of your time at halls

Campus Life Events Programme a community run by the Head of Residential Life, Residential Life Coordinator, Campus Life Crew and supported by the Mentor Team, for all residents of University Halls. Whether you are a home student or an international student, this Programme has been developed to help you to get the most from your time in Halls. As Campus Life coordinators, we organise daily events and exciting trips for hall students such as Free Sunday Roasts, Wet and Wild trips, Yoga lessons and Big Win Bingo. We hope to help you enjoy a close residential community and building a family away from home, through a calendar of inclusive events. Recent research has shown that students who get involved with campus life are more likely to not only complete their degrees but perform better academically! Joining campus life events is a good way to take a break from study, bond with your flatmates or to meet new friends. We're passionate about creating accessible activities for all our students, so hope to see you all here!

ACCOMMODATION

GUARANTEED ACCOMMODATION FOR NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

NAME OF THE HALLS	SITE	FOR STUDY LEVEL	LETTING PERIOD	RENT FOR 2020 - 21
▶ Alaw	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Braint	Ffriddoedd	PG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Crafnant	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Enlli	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Ffraw	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Glaslyn	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Gwynant	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Llanddwyn	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Peris	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room Larger Room £134.26/week £141.75/week
▶ Borth	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room £120.89/week
▶ Cefn y Coed	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room £120.89/week
▶ Elidir	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room £120.89/week
▶ Glyder	Ffriddoedd	PG	51 Weeks	Standard room Premium Studio Room £111.72/week £177.17/week
▶ Tegfan	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Standard Room £120.89/week
▶ Reichel*	Ffriddoedd	UG	40 Weeks	Smaller Room Standard Room Larger Room £83.16/week £100.10/week £106.96/week



NAME OF THE HALLS	SITE	FOR STUDY LEVEL	LETTING PERIOD	RENT FOR 2020-21	
▶ Garth*	College Road	PG	51 Weeks	Standard Room Large Room Extra Large Room	£100.03/week £106.96/week £118.02/week
▶ Bryn Eithin*	St Mary's	UG	42 Weeks	Standard Room	£100.03/week
▶ Cemlyn	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite En-suite premium En-suite deluxe Deluxe studios	£134.82/week £141.75/week £154.21/week £197.82/week
▶ Cybi	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite En-suite premium En-suite deluxe Deluxe studios	£134.82/week £141.75/week £154.21/week £197.82/week
▶ Penmon	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite En-suite premium En-suite deluxe Deluxe studios	£134.82/week £141.75/week £154.21/week £197.82/week
▶ St Mary's Quad	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	En-suite Premium en-suite Premium Plus en-suite Studio Premium studio Deluxe studio	£134.82/week £141.75/week £149.03/week £166.67/week £177.17/week £197.82/week
▶ Tudno En-suite Rooms & Studios	St Mary's	UG or PG (PG only has Studio option)	42 Weeks - UG students	En-suite Premium en-suite Premium Plus en-suite Studio Premium studio Deluxe studio	£134.82/week £141.75/week £149.03/week £154.21/week £177.17/week £188.78/week
▶ Tudno Townhouses	St Mary's	UG or PG	42 Weeks - UG students 51 Weeks - PG students	Townhouse	£100.24/week

* These accommodation halls will not be available for the September 2020 intake.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT



ENSURE YOU GET THE EXPERIENCE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES TO SUCCEED IN YOUR CHOSEN CAREER

**TOP 25 UK
UNIVERSITY
FOR JOB
PROSPECTS**

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WORK PLACEMENT YEAR	All undergraduate students who begin their course from 2019 can choose to take part in a voluntary two-week (70 hours minimum) work placement in year 2, or to take a voluntary Work Placement Year, which is an year out between years 2 and 3 of your degree.
WORK PLACEMENTS	Work experience opportunities are available – either within the degree, through university internships or by volunteering.
INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE YEAR	Add a year to your degree and spend that year doing a work placement abroad. If you successfully complete the placement, you have 'with International Experience' added to the title of your degree.
BANGOR EMPLOYABILITY AWARD	A scheme to help you develop job related skills. All BEA graduates get a certificate to recognise the activities they have taken part in.
PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION	Many of the degrees are accredited by professional bodies, such as IBMS, ACCA, CIMA, CIM, RSC, BCS, BPS, IET, ICF, SRA, and NMC.
TARGETconnect	This is an online job vacancy resource advertising graduate jobs, work experience and internship opportunities.
INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP	Some degrees are run in partnership with the industry such as Teacher Training, Nursing and Social Work.
EXPERT ADVICE	Advice on your CV preparation, interview techniques, careers workshops and information on the UK and international job market.

Working in the UK after your studies

The Tier 1 (Graduate Entrepreneur) visa scheme is available for international graduates having a genuine and credible business idea that the University would like to support with further development. Alternatively, you may apply for the jobs in the open market where the employer is willing to sponsor you for the Tier 2 (General) work visa.

Graduate entry Route

Students on a Tier 4 Visa graduating from the Summer of 2021 will be able to apply to stay and work in the UK for up to 2 years.

Refer to the UKCISA website for more information www.ukcisa.org.uk
To find out more contact : internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

THE STAFF, SERVICES & FACILITIES TO SUPPORT YOU & YOUR EDUCATION

Study support

To make students feel comfortable and supported, the university provides:

- ▶ One-to-one seminars
- ▶ Free English language support
- ▶ Easy access to staff by operating an informal 'open-door' policy
- ▶ Study skills centre

IT support and learning resources

To support your learning activities, the university provides:

- ▶ Access to the internet across the university, a university email account and a safe place to store your work, open access computer labs.
- ▶ A secure virtual learning environment 'Blackboard', where course materials, notes, powerpoint slides, and other documents are made available for download by your lecturer.
- ▶ Access to library, archives, printing & binding, and photocopying services.

Other world class academic facilities

- ▶ Arts and innovation centre, Pontio
- ▶ Ocean-going research ship
- ▶ MRI scanner
- ▶ Natural history museum
- ▶ Botanic gardens
- ▶ Research farm and field centre
- ▶ Multimedia Language Centre
- ▶ One of the largest university-based archives in the UK
- ▶ Science and Engineering Laboratories



Ka Nam Siu,
from Hong Kong
Studying Psychology

Taking an international experience year was a great decision that I will never regret. I worked as an intern in the International Education Centre at Bangor University for a whole year, here I learnt much beyond what I expected! I travelled to Thailand, Hong Kong and Beijing for work trips and met a lot of amazing people with different cultural and academic backgrounds. Despite it's work nature is different with what I'm studying (Psychology), I learnt skills that I can apply back in the field of psychology and it was absolutely one of my best working experience so far!

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT



**TOP 25 IN THE UK
FOR STUDENT
SUPPORT**

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OUR INTERNATIONAL TEAM ARE HERE TO ENABLE YOU TO GET THE BEST OF YOUR TIME AT BANGOR

Advice and support

Bangor University strongly believes in looking after their students and making sure that everyone is made to feel welcome and settles in with ease. The international student support office is available to students and their families and can provide advice and guidance on a range of support related matters.

- ▶ Visa advice
- ▶ Health and well being
- ▶ Social events (trips, film nights, parties etc)
- ▶ Money and finances
- ▶ Employment and volunteering
- ▶ Advice for families
- ▶ Practical information about living in a different country

Airport pick-up service

Travelling to the UK for the first time can be challenging. We therefore try to ensure that the experience is a pleasant and memorable one. The university organises a meeting service for students who arrive at Manchester international airport on certain dates. Simply register online and we'll meet you at the airport and take you to your pre-arranged accommodation.

Please note: During Covid-19 the services offered by our Student Support Team will be mainly online, including the welcome and orientation program.

International welcome and orientation

We organise a series of welcome and orientation events to help you settle into life at Bangor during your busy first few weeks.

The programme includes:

- ▶ Welcome & orientation information sessions
- ▶ A welcome reception
- ▶ Walking and bus tours of Bangor
- ▶ Police/doctor/bank registration
- ▶ Study methods advice
- ▶ Library tours
- ▶ Social events
- ▶ Visa advice



Ahmed Dhaif, from Bahrain

Studying MSc Management and Finance

"My lecturers are on a whole different level, each one of them is a powerhouse of knowledge mixed with pure humble and respect to us students, something that caused me a culture shock, when a professor asks her or his student to just call him or her by their first name and not professor. Hats off for every single one of them for their pure class communication with us students and the knowledge they have in hand."



International student ambassadors

Bangor has over 25 international student ambassadors who have been chosen to represent the university and to support students from their own country and region.

They support international students from the application process right up to their graduation day. They play a key part in the support programme offered to students during their studies at Bangor as well as recruitment activities both within Bangor and overseas.

Meet Bangor's international student ambassadors' at: www.bangor.ac.uk/international/studentprofiles/ambassadors or have an online chat with them through the Unibuddy app: www.bangor.ac.uk/studentlife/unibuddy

Peer guides

When undergraduate students arrive at Bangor, a peer guide is allocated to them. This is a current student from their academic school who will act as a mentor, helping them find their way around and settle into university life. Bangor has one of the largest peer guide programmes in Europe.



Reshalee de Silva, from Sri Lanka

Studying BSc Psychology

The International Ambassador Scheme

"The scheme assists students settling into university by answering the students question and creating a safe and comfortable environment for incoming students.

I wanted to become an ambassador because of my deep love for education gained during my first year. I paid attention to the lengths at which the university staff went to make me feel welcome and comfortable when I was settling in. To me this stage of education is one of the most important stages in life as you learn valuable life lessons and gain information that will help you get a job. However, it's the experience and the emotions associated with that experience that creates a lasting impact. Through my first year I have gained a deep love for the university and its staff and I wish to share it with many others. Offering people help with settling down or reassuring them that they made the right decision is what I aim to achieve as I'd like them to experience that same things that I have."

TOP TEN THINGS FOR BANGOR STUDENTS TO DO

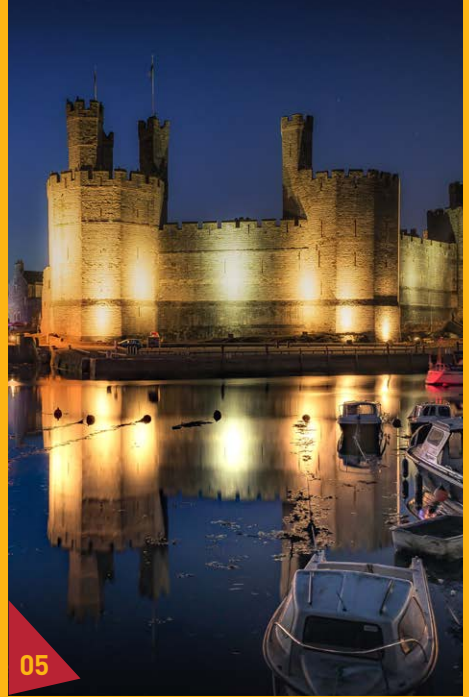


- ▶ **01** Visit Bangor cathedral
- ▶ **02** Climb Snowdon the highest mountain in Wales and England
- ▶ **03** Go crabbing on Beaumaris Pier and take a boat trip out to Puffin Island
- ▶ **04** Take the Llandudno tram to the top of the Great Orme
- ▶ **05** Visit Conwy or Caernarfon castle, both UNESCO world heritage sites
- ▶ **06** Shopping in Chester
- ▶ **07** Go to see a football match at Liverpool or Manchester
- ▶ **08** Dare to ride the fastest zip wire in the world at zipworld
- ▶ **09** Try surfing in an artificial lagoon at surf snowdonia
- ▶ **10** Go to Cardiff for the weekend and watch a rugby match



**Some of these activities may have restrictions in place due to Covid-19, please check their websites for more information.*

RISE TO THE CHALLENGE



STUDENT LIFE



**RANKED NO.2
IN THE UK FOR
CLUBS AND
SOCIETIES**

WHATUNI 2020

TRY NEW THINGS, MEET NEW PEOPLE AND ENJOY THE EXCITING ATMOSPHERE ON CAMPUS

The students union

Much of our students' social life revolves around the students' union, which provides services, support, activities and entertainment for students.

Societies and clubs

Bangor University is ranked No. 2 in the UK for Clubs and Societies (WhatUni 2020), with over 120 societies to choose from international societies include: Afro-Caribbean Society, Chinese Society, Hellenic Society, Indian Society, International Student Federation, Japanese Society, Korean Society, Kurdish Society, Malaysian Students' Society and the Vietnamese Society.

MEMBERSHIP OF ALL CLUBS AND SOCIETIES IS FREE OF CHARGE

Bangor is luckier than many other universities, in that we have an amazing location, with a range of outdoor space on our doorstep which we will be using to provide a programme of socially-distanced sports club and general activities, as well as an online offering during Covid-19.

Sports facilities

The university has great facilities for outdoor and indoor sports including Badminton, Volleyball, Basketball, Netball, Indoor Hockey, Five-a-side Futsal, Table Tennis, Archery, Trampoline, Tennis, Indoor Cricket, Fitness classes, Weight training room, Cardio-vascular training room, Squash Courts, Climbing Wall, Athletics Track and Martial Arts. There is also a public swimming pool close to the university.

Find out more

- ▶ Bangor student's union
www.bangorstudents.com
- ▶ Clubs and societies
www.bangor.ac.uk/studentlife/clubs_societies
- ▶ Sports clubs
www.bangorstudents.com/sport/clubs
- ▶ Sports facilities
www.bangor.ac.uk/brailsford

PONTIO – ARTS AND INNOVATION CENTRE



455

SEAT MID-SCALE
THEATRE

120

SEAT STUDIO THEATRE



200

SEATER
DIGITAL
CINEMA



STUDENTS'
UNION

CUTTING
EDGE

INNOVATION
CENTRE



LEARNING AND
TEACHING SPACES



STUDENT
LOUNGES



CAFES

FOOD
OUTLETS



LOCATION

North Wales has been named the 4th best region in the world to visit by the travel guide 'Lonely Planet' due to its stunning location (Lonely Planet Travel Guide, 2018)

**RANKED 1ST IN
THE UK FOR
LOWEST COST OF
LIVING FOR
STUDENTS**

TOTALLYMONEY 2019

Travelling to Bangor

Bangor is a university city located on the North Wales coast between the mountains of Snowdonia and the sea. The nearest airports are Manchester (2 hours), London (3.5 hours) and Liverpool (1.5 hours). An Airport pick-up service is available from Manchester Airport on set dates. A train line links Bangor to the rest of the UK.

Travelling within Bangor

Everything in Bangor can be reached on foot, students do not need to rely on public transport. Libraries, lecture theatres, seminar rooms and other academic buildings are located close to each other and within walking distance of the city centre and university accommodation.

Cost of living

Bangor is ranked amongst the most economical places to study in the UK in terms of cost of living (accommodation, food, clothing, books etc).

Weather in Bangor

The average temperature range in Bangor in winter is around 3-9°C and in summer 10- 19°C.



GLASGOW

BELFAST

NEWCASTLE

DUBLIN

LIVERPOOL

LEEDS

MANCHESTER

CHESTER

 **BANGOR**

BIRMINGHAM

CARDIFF

LONDON

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY OR WORK ABROAD AS PART OF THEIR STUDIES

Opportunities include:

- ▶ **Short summer programmes** in South Korea and China.
- ▶ **A semester or a year abroad** at one of our partner universities around the world.
- ▶ **The international experience year.** This is an extra year spent studying or working abroad taken after year 1, 2 or even after your final year. It focusses on the experience of living and studying or working abroad. It can be credit bearing but won't count towards your final degree grade. A reduced tuition fee of £1,350 is charged for this year.

For students undertaking one of these international opportunities we will add 'with international experience' to your degree title so that future employers will clearly see that you are a globally-aware and globally-experienced student.

www.bangor.ac.uk/studentexchange

Look out for this logo throughout the prospectus



Aimee Boyd,
from Australia

International Experience
Year - Deakin University

I'm Aimee and I went to Deakin University in Melbourne, Australia. I'm a Psychology student, but I applied to go abroad in my 1st year, so I ended up squeezing in an extra year into my degree between my 1st and second year. I was really lucky, I had the freedom to choose whatever I wanted to do! I took this for granted and chose to study units in Australia History, Geography and Architecture, Politics and foreign Policy, Online Data Processing, Dance, Drama, Marine Biology and Health. Oh, and I did do one unit in Psychology! It was great to be able to study things I otherwise wouldn't have had the chance to, but it was also great to start to begin to understand how my subject area is different in different parts of the world and has given me a much greater understanding of my subject. I'm surprised I had any time to study most of the time! I did heaps of extra things, from road trips down the Great Ocean Road, up the East Coast and through the Outback. I participated in residential Volunteer projects, working in native plant nurseries, helping to restore some of Australia's first houses and Au Pairing with a variety of different families. I took regular weekend breaks to all sorts of different places - Adelaide and Coffs Harbour were some of my Favourites. I welcomed in the New Year by watching Fireworks on Sydney Harbour Bridge. I got (2!) Scuba Diving qualifications. I got in touch with my wild side and got up close and personal to fish, octopus, kangaroos, wallabies, koalas, dingoes, crocodiles, wombats, parrots, penguins and emus. I also got to live with some amazing people from all over the world. Amongst all the fun, I also got some of the best grades I have ever had at university!



USEFUL CONTACTS

Regional managers

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www.bangor.ac.uk/international/countrymanagers

Accommodation

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 382 667
Email : halls@bangor.ac.uk

Admissions

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 388 633
Email : internationaladmissions@bangor.ac.uk

Visa & student welfare

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 388 633
Email : internationalssupport@bangor.ac.uk

Pre-sessional english / general english

Email : elcos@bangor.ac.uk

Study abroad

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Email : international@bangor.ac.uk

www.bangor.ac.uk

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 [@BangorUni_intl](https://twitter.com/BangorUni_intl)

 [/Bangorinternational](https://www.instagram.com/Bangorinternational)

 [/Bangortv](https://www.youtube.com/Bangortv)



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Study in Wales
www.studyinwales.ac.uk

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