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# WELCOME TO UCS

**Our aim at University Centre Stamford is to offer top quality Higher Education courses that will challenge you to become the best you can be. Our courses are focused on the needs of our students and employers, and will provide you with every opportunity to gain a foothold in the career of your choice.**

Our courses are open to a wide range of students, from Sixth Form or college leavers, to more mature students with life experience who are looking to advance or change their career. We firmly believe Higher Education is for all. We offer a highly personalised, supportive environment, delivered by tutors who are experts in their field. Small class sizes ensure everyone gets the time and attention they need to excel.

There has never been a better time to study at University Centre Stamford, so why not come to one of our open events to find out more.

Apply online [www.stamford.ac.uk](http://www.stamford.ac.uk)

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*We can help with £500 towards a new laptop or equipment you need for your course!*



#### STUDENT BURSARY

If your household income is under £25,000, you may be eligible for a £500 bursary. Unlike a student loan, the bursary is paid to you by UCS and you do not need to pay this back.

This money can help you buy a new laptop, software or other equipment you might need for your course. For more information on how to apply and to see if you are eligible, contact the University Centre's Financial Support Team on 01780 484300 ext. 344 or email [financial.support@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:financial.support@stamford.ac.uk).



**£500**

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# 5 GREAT REASONS TO STUDY AT UNIVERSITY CENTRE STAMFORD



## EXCELLENT TEACHING AND LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

According to the national Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF), UCS is among the best places to study at University Level in the UK. In 2017, we were awarded the TEF Silver award in recognition of the excellent teaching and learning opportunities we provide for our students.



## PAY LESS, GAIN MORE

Choosing to study with us can save you tens of thousands of pounds. Our fees are up to £3000 per year less than most universities, but that's not all. The average UK student spends £26,970 over a three-year period on living expenses. If you study without moving away then you can avoid this debt.



## SMALL CLASS SIZES

Our classes rarely exceed 15 students, meaning your tutor has more time to support you and you have better access to resources. We also provide tailored one-to-one academic support and careers advice to all of our students meaning you have the best opportunity to succeed in your studies and life beyond.



## TRANSFORMING THE PROGRESS OF YOUR CAREER

At UCS we understand that employers are looking for industry-relevant experience from the graduates they hire. That's why our courses have employer involvement and work experience, and are delivered by lecturers who have spent time working in the sectors they teach in. This approach has resulted in 89% of our students being in further study or employment within six months of graduating. You will be supported in CV writing, interview skills and self-promotion techniques to enable you to gain that all important experience required to break into employment.



## SPECIALIST EQUIPMENT AND RESOURCES

We provide industry-standard facilities to ensure you learn on the same equipment you will typically use in your future career. From state-of-the-art Apple Mac and PC suites, to free WiFi for all and Chromebooks you can borrow, there is everything you need to study for success.

# STAMFORD TOWN

The university centre is located in the heart of Stamford where you can benefit from a wealth of eclectic cafés, restaurants, pubs and bars for you to explore.



Stamford teems with culture and it's location in South Lincolnshire means you're also just a short drive or train journey away from large cities such as Peterborough, Leicester and Nottingham, where you can find shopping centres, retail parks and even student accommodation, should you need it.

There are a number of estate and letting agents in Stamford who have property to rent. If you need any more information please call 01780 484311 to speak to one of our Student Services Advisors, they can give you the best help and advice on places to live in the area.



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*I now work in the industry as a Music Videographer and have filmed DJs such as Annie Mac, Roger Sanchez, and Camelphat.*

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MARK CRAWFORD

*Music*



“I was very lucky to have supportive tutors who encouraged me to really unfold my thoughts and ideas into the music which has helped me get where I am today. In just one year I was able to ‘top-up’ my HND Music course at university to gain a degree in Music Technology and Management. I now work in the industry as a Music Videographer”

# LIFE ON CAMPUS

**Spanning across two sites, our campus has state-of-the-art facilities, equipment and clean, modern spaces at your disposal.**

## THE LIBRARY

The Library is open to all students and provides a wide range of books, magazines, DVDs and electronic resources. There are also computers running the latest software and facilities for printing assignments, reports, carrying out research and much more.

It is also possible for you to book meeting rooms for you to work with peers on group presentations or assignments.

## DIGITAL SKILLS CENTRE

Our brand new £1 million facility is a hub for IT students and hosts state-of-the-art equipment, perfectly suited to prepare you for the modern, digital world.

## UCS COMMON ROOM

Whether you want some peace and quiet to work, relax and chat with friends or make yourself a brew, our UCS Common Room is a little pocket of the College set aside just for you.



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*State-of-the-art equipment to prepare you for the modern, digital world.*

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*Discounted membership and classes for just £1 at Stamford Fitness!*



#### DISCOUNT GYM MEMBERSHIP

As a student at UCS you'll receive discounted membership to Stamford Fitness and access classes for just £1!

The gym, based at Borderville Sports Centre, is open mornings, evenings and weekends. To view our classes and book online visit; [www.bordervillesportscentre.co.uk](http://www.bordervillesportscentre.co.uk)

#### PARKING

There are free car parking facilities on-site for students. You can apply for a permit when you enrol.

#### DINING

You will have access to a wide range of hot and cold catering outlets for you to enjoy during your free time, including Starbucks, the Refectory and our professional student run restaurant, The Gallery Kitchen.



**STARBUCKS  
COFFEE SHOP**



Hair & Beauty Salon  
**Inspire**

Open to staff, students and the general public, Inspire Hair and Beauty Salon replicates a real salon offering affordable treatments from highlights to eyelash extensions. Visit [www.stamford.ac.uk](http://www.stamford.ac.uk) for our price list.



Benefit from a large studio space, large format printers and the latest Adobe Suite software on our Photography and Graphics courses.





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*UCS is rated amongst the top 5% nationally for student satisfaction.*

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*NSS (National Student Survey) 2018*

# TEACHING EXCELLENCE FRAMEWORK

**In 2017, University Centre Stamford was awarded 'Silver' in the national Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF), ranking us amongst some of the best places to study at university level in the UK, including top universities and Russell Group institutions.**

The TEF Silver award recognises the excellent teaching and learning experiences and opportunities we provide for our students. The TEF panel stated that UCS achieves excellent outcomes for all students, and is notably above benchmark with regards to assessment and feedback, and progression to employment or further study, with most other areas also being above benchmark.



**The Panel reported that there was evidence of:**

- High quality course design and assessment practices which provide scope for appropriate levels of stretch, and ensure all students are consistently challenged and 'job ready' when they complete their course.
- High levels of support for students from diverse backgrounds through the Academic Support Coach Scheme, and highly valued individual and small group sessions.
- Appropriate investment in physical and digital resources to meet the needs of students to further their learning.
- Good mechanisms for improving the curriculum and delivery, sharing good practice, and personalising support for students to maximise their readiness for employment.

Overall, we believe these findings truly represent the priority we place on ensuring every student at University Centre Stamford experiences the best learning opportunities possible.

The Silver TEF Award will be valid until June 2020.

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*UCS achieves excellent outcomes for all students.*

# ALUMNI

**University Centre Stamford Alumni is a network of former UCS students, current students and close supporters.**

Being a part of our Alumni will enable you to stay in touch with friends, develop your career and benefit from College facilities. After you have graduated, we recommend you create a LinkedIn profile. This will not only support your professional development, but it will allow us to keep in touch with you as you progress through your career.

We would love you to stay involved with UCS, either by volunteering to give inspirational talks, or even by volunteering in our classrooms and workshops, to add value to the learning experience of our students and through LinkedIn we hope to always stay in touch.

After graduation, it might feel like your time with University Centre Stamford has come to an end - but it will be the start of the next step!

LinkedIn [www.linkedin.com/school/university-centre-stamford](https://www.linkedin.com/school/university-centre-stamford)



# QUALIFICATIONS EXPLAINED

## HNC

A Higher National Certificate (HNC) is a work-related Level 4 qualification and takes just one year to complete full-time.

After studying the HNC you can progress to a Higher National Diploma (HND) qualification, or enter employment and kick-start your career.

## HND

Higher National Diplomas (HNDs) are work-related courses that focus on 'learning by doing' and are designed to give you specific skills for employment. A HND is a Level 5 qualification and typically takes two years to complete. It is considered equivalent to the first and second years of a bachelor's degree and many use it as a stepping-stone to complete a full degree.

Once you have completed your HND, you can go straight into employment or you could apply for the final year 'top-up' at university. Acceptance onto these courses is at the discretion of the institution offering the top-up.

## FOUNDATION DEGREE

Foundation degrees are vocational alternatives to traditional degrees. Like HNDs, these are also considered equivalent to the first and second years of a bachelor's degree, they take 2 years to complete but offer a more work-related alternative, with the aim to develop you for a specific work sector.

This Level 5 qualification is often favoured by students who want to work and study at the same time, with modules designed with industry demands in mind.

Completion of a foundation degree will enable you to develop your career in the workplace. You may choose to continue your studies at bachelor's degree level. This might be through a 'top-up' programme, or by direct entry to university at Level 6.

## TOPPING UP

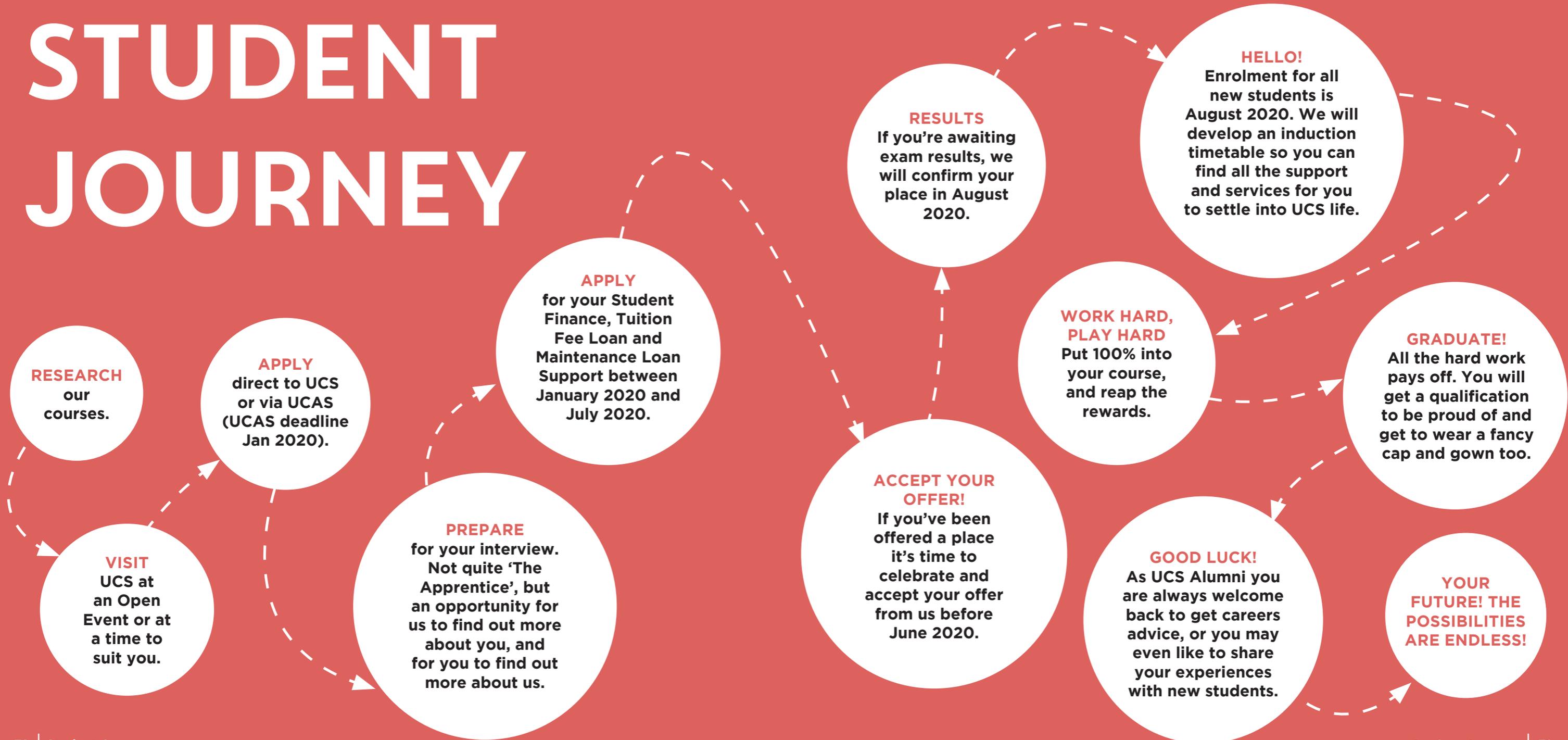
Typically, students graduating with a foundation degree or HND can go on to achieve a bachelor's degree with one further year of academic study at university (longer if part-time).

Some universities might allow you to transfer your accumulated credits, enabling you to enter into a full degree programme directly at Level 6.

In certain subjects, for example, Professional Studies, standalone 'top-up' courses offer you an opportunity to earn the extra credits you need at Level 6 to convert your foundation degree into a bachelor's degree.

Entry to either of these progression routes is at the discretion of the receiving university, and dependent upon availability in the subject area.

# STUDENT JOURNEY



# WHAT'S NEXT?

Applying for a course can be complicated, so we've put together a handy to-do list to help you through the process.

If you have any queries specific to your course or about applying to university, contact our Course Enquiries team on 01780 484311 or email [enquiries@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@stamford.ac.uk).



## COME AND VISIT US

We are proud of our facilities and the fantastic opportunities we provide for students and would love to show you around. Open Events are advertised on our website, but you can also contact us to book a tour if you have a specific course area you would like to explore. Email [events@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:events@stamford.ac.uk) or phone 01780 484325 to arrange.



## APPLY AND ATTEND AN INTERVIEW OR AUDITION

Either apply directly via our website, or through UCAS. After you have submitted your application, you will be invited to attend an interview or audition which is the perfect opportunity to meet your prospective tutor and learn more about the course. **It is important that you read the HE Student Terms and Conditions and Student Protection Plan before applying, accepting an offer or enrolling with us: [www.stamford.ac.uk/about/policies-and-procedures](http://www.stamford.ac.uk/about/policies-and-procedures).**



## CONSIDER HOW YOU WILL FUND YOUR STUDY

UK students can apply to Student Finance England for loans to support their studies and living costs. To apply visit: [www.gov.uk/student-finance](http://www.gov.uk/student-finance). You are personally responsible for ensuring that your tuition fees are paid, and although we can provide and support you with financial advice and guidance, we are unable to contact Student Finance England on your behalf.



## RECEIVE YOUR OFFER

Following your successful interview or audition, you will be sent a conditional or unconditional offer for your chosen course and asked to read and accept our HE Terms and Conditions. This will validate your offer and confirm your place on the course.



## ENROL

During August you will receive your enrolment pack and the date you will be required to enrol. It is important you complete your enrolment paperwork and attend enrolment to officially receive your place on your course.

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*Studying for my degree was the best thing I ever did.*

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**GEMMA DEVITT**

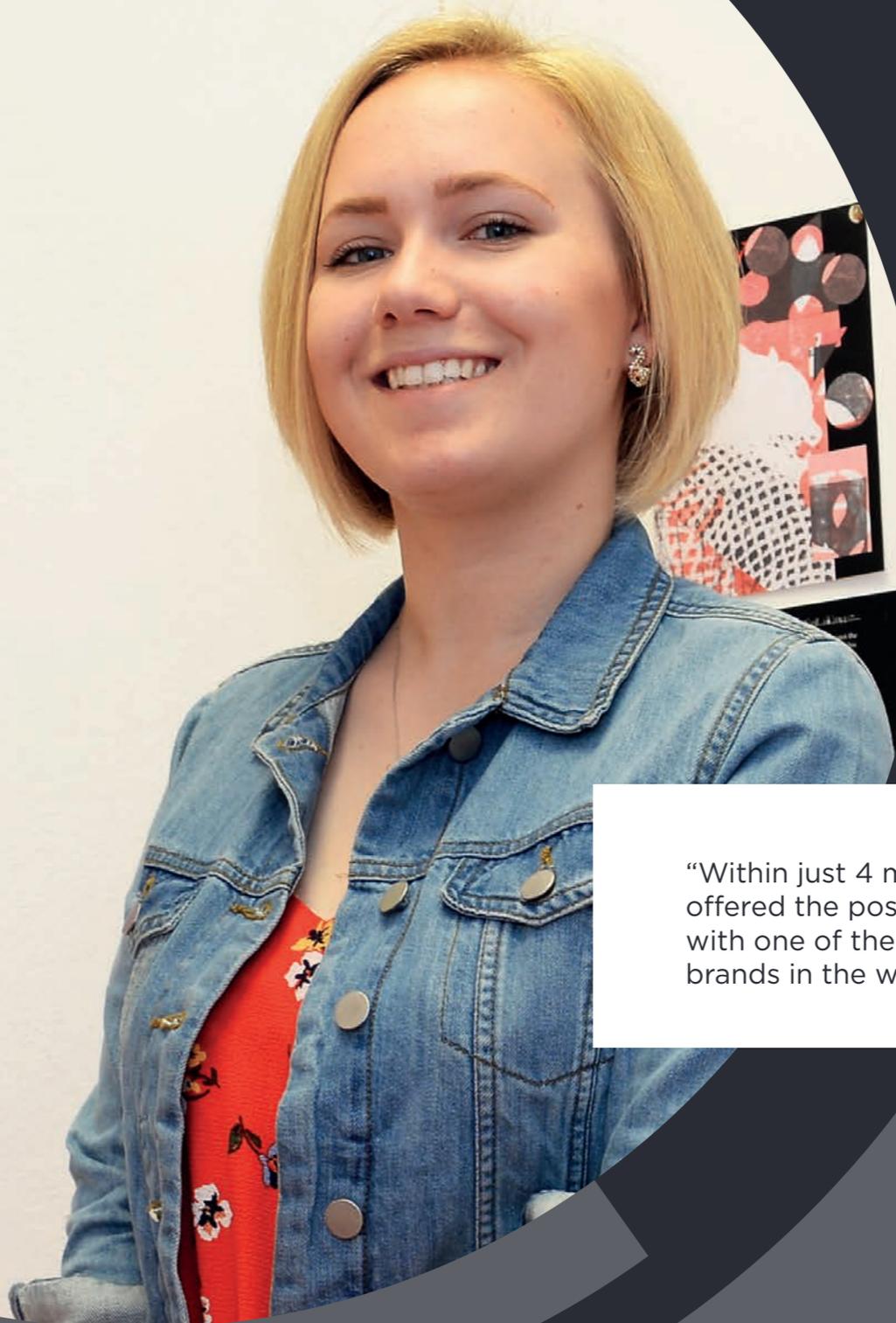
*Professional Studies,  
Early Childhood*

“Studying for my degree was the best thing I ever did and I will always be grateful for the help I received. I have recently been appointed as an Outdoor Education Lead for a local school where I will be able to build and implement a Forest School Education from scratch.”

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*One of the biggest international fashion brands in the world.*

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LYDIA PINFOLD

*Photography*

“Within just 4 months of graduating I was offered the position of Junior Photographer with one of the biggest international fashion brands in the world - Kurt Geiger!”

# SUPPORT SYSTEM

**We're here to help you. We offer financial, study and careers support at UCS.**

**Your qualification is an investment and we understand paying fees can be a worry so we have a dedicated team here to help you!**

For UK and EU students applying for a full-time university level course at University Centre Stamford starting in September 2020, the tuition fee will be up to £6,500 per year. You can apply to Student Finance England for a loan to support the cost of your tuition fees. This is paid directly to University Centre Stamford and you won't have to pay a penny back until your annual income is over £26,575. Applications take at least six weeks to be processed, however, Student Finance England will do an initial assessment so you will have some money as close to the start of your course as possible.

## MAINTENANCE LOAN SUPPORT

Depending on your household income, you can apply for a loan of up to £7,767 to help with your living costs whilst studying at University Centre Stamford, and like the Tuition Fee Loan, you don't have to pay a penny back until your annual income is over £26,575. Maintenance Loan Support replaces Student Grants.

## STUDENT BURSARY

If your household income is under £25,000, you may be eligible for a £500 bursary. Unlike a student loan, the bursary is paid to you by UCS and you do not need to pay this back.

This money can help you buy a new laptop, software or other equipment you might need for your course. For more information on how to apply and to see if you are eligible, contact the University Centre's Financial Support team on 01780 484300 ext. 344 or email [financial.support@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:financial.support@stamford.ac.uk).

## DISABLED STUDENTS ALLOWANCE (DSA)

You can apply for DSA to cover some of the extra costs you have because of a disability, mental health problem or long-term illness whilst studying your higher education qualification. You can get this allowance on top of your other student finance and you don't need to pay it back. How much you get depends on your individual needs – not your household income.

For more information, visit our website or contact the University Centre's Financial Support Team on 01780 484300 ext. 344 or email [financial.support@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:financial.support@stamford.ac.uk).

## Full-Time HNC/ HND/Foundation Course Fee

**£6500**  
per year

## Level 5 Diploma Course Fee

from  
**£2500**  
per year

## Access to HE Course Fee

*Access fees are  
dependent on  
age and previous  
qualifications*

Visit [www.stamford.ac.uk](http://www.stamford.ac.uk) for individual course information including fees.

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*Regular opportunities to discuss your progress in one-to-one reviews.*

#### **PROGRAMME LEADERS**

Your Programme Leader is on hand to support, guide and advise you throughout your time at UCS. You will have regular meetings with them so they can give you the necessary help you need to achieve your goals. You will be given regular opportunities to discuss your progress in one-to-one reviews.

#### **ACADEMIC SUPPORT COACH**

In addition to the support you will get from your Programme Leader, additional help is available from the Academic Support Coach who can help with your academic writing, referencing and study skills.

#### **WELFARE TEAM**

The team are here to help you be healthy, happy and successful. They can help you with a range of issues and can provide someone to speak to, a listening service, and are able to help you contact a wide range of organisations who can offer help and support.

#### **THE STUDENT UNION**

The Student Union's role is to represent you. It is also one of the main ways that we listen and make changes or improvements based on the feedback collected. As a student of University Centre Stamford, you are entitled to have a say in what goes on and have the chance to shape the setting where you study for your qualifications.



#### **ADDITIONAL LEARNING SUPPORT**

When you come to study with us, we want you to be able to fulfil your potential. If you have, or think you have, a condition which is likely to affect your personal learning then we want to help. Higher Education students who require additional learning support need to apply for a Disabled Student Allowance (DSA) from the government. We are here to support you in making this application but it can take some time, so it is important you contact us as early as possible.

Situated at the heart of the Centre by the Bistro, the Careers Team is always on hand to offer you friendly, impartial and professional advice and guidance, even as graduates and alumni.

We provide a comprehensive and professional careers advice and guidance service to all students. Our professionally qualified Careers Advisors will work with individuals and groups of students to help you maximise the benefits of your studies.



## FOCUS

We will help you to focus on how you want to use your qualification and help identify your key skills.

## ASSIST

We will assist you to decide on a suitable career direction and alternatives where necessary.

## COACH

We will coach you through the decision-making process, helping you to make wise choices about your future.

We make sure that you have the tools to market yourself and your qualifications in an increasingly competitive market by:

- Supporting you to produce professional CVs and job applications.
- Showing you effective job searching techniques, utilising technology and social media to your advantage.
- Preparing and practicing for making a positive impact in selection interviews and assessment centres.
- Making and maintaining positive relationships with local and national employers, ensuring they understand the advantages of taking on our UCS Graduates.
- Assisting you to move on academically, helping you to find higher level courses to 'top-up' your qualifications and to access the funding you need to continue your studying.
- Making sure that as University Centre Stamford Alumni you know you can always return to us for further support later in your career should you wish.

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*Helping you to make wise choices about your future.*

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*100% of  
our UCS  
students said  
they were  
satisfied with  
their course.*

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*NSS (National Student Survey) 2018*



# COURSE LIST

Visit our website for more info on any course listed

Course Title	Course Code	Contact Time (per week)	Validating Body	Entry Requirements
<b>Access to Higher Education (Pre-Access)</b>	PREACAP	Mon - Wed 9.30 - 14.00	AIM Awards	No formal qualifications required, however, you must be able to demonstrate life experience and the commitment to progress your career.
<b>Access to Higher Education (Business)</b>	ACBUSIF	Mon - Thurs 9.30 - 14.30 Plus one half day per week if you require GCSE English or maths.	AIM Awards	GCSE maths and English at grades C/4 or above as this is a requirement of university study. You may be able to undertake one of these qualifications whilst studying the Access to Higher Education course at the discretion of your course coordinator.
<b>Access to Higher Education (Health Professions)</b>	ACHEAAP	Mon - Thurs 9.30 - 14.30 Plus one half day per week if you require GCSE English or maths.	AIM Awards	GCSE maths and English at grades C/4 or above as this is a requirement of university study. You may be able to undertake one of these qualifications whilst studying the Access to Higher Education course at the discretion of your course coordinator.
<b>Access to Higher Education (Humanities and Social Sciences)</b>	ACHSSAP	Mon - Thurs 9.30 - 14.30 Plus one half day per week if you require GCSE English or maths.	AIM Awards	GCSE maths and English at grades C/4 or above as this is a requirement of university study. You may be able to undertake one of these qualifications whilst studying the Access to Higher Education course at the discretion of your course coordinator.
<b>Access to Higher Education (Teaching)</b>	ACTEAAP	Mon - Thurs 9.30 - 14.30 Plus one half day per week if you require GCSE English or maths.	AIM Awards	GCSE maths and English at grades C/4 or above as this is a requirement of university study. You may be able to undertake one of these qualifications whilst studying the Access to Higher Education course at the discretion of your course coordinator.

Course Title	Course Code	Contact Time (per week)	Validating Body	Entry Requirements
<b>Animal Management (Animal Behaviour and Welfare)</b> HNC/HND	HCANMAP	Full-time: 2 days Part-time: 1 day	Pearson Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>96 UCAS points typically from A Levels or a Level 3 Diploma in Animal Studies, although students from other subject specialisms are encouraged to apply.</li> <li>Mature students with relevant work experience and/or professional qualifications are encouraged to apply as you will be considered on your commitment and enthusiasm at interview.</li> </ul>
<b>Art and Design</b> Foundation Diploma	DPFDAAP	5 days	University of the Arts London	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One arts-based A Level or a vocationally relevant qualification such as an Extended Diploma at Merit grade and 5 GCSEs at grades C/4 or above including English.</li> <li>You will be required to provide a portfolio at interview.</li> <li>Mature students will be considered on a portfolio and life skills basis.</li> </ul>
<b>Business</b> HNC/HND	HCBUSAP	Full-time: 2 days Part-time: 1 day	Pearson Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>96 UCAS points typically from A Levels or a Level 3 Diploma in Business, although students from other subject specialisms are encouraged to apply.</li> <li>Mature students with relevant work experience and/or professional qualifications are encouraged to apply as you will be considered on your commitment and enthusiasm at interview.</li> </ul>
<b>Therapeutic Counselling</b> Professional Diploma	D5THCAP	1 day	Pearson Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diploma in Counselling Skills and Theory Level 3.</li> <li>The ability to secure 100 hours of counselling practice.</li> </ul>
<b>Professional Studies, Early Childhood</b> Foundation Degree	FNECHAP	1 day	Bishop Grosseteste University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A Level 3 Diploma, NVQ or equivalent vocational qualification.</li> <li>Plus a work requirement of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing practice of 12 hours per week in a relevant role throughout the duration of the course.</li> <li>Written support from your workplace.</li> <li>A successful interview.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Course Title	Course Code	Contact Time (per week)	Validating Body	Entry Requirements
<b>Professional Studies, Early Childhood</b> Foundation Degree	FNECHAP	1 day	Bishop Grosseteste University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Level 3 Diploma, NVQ or equivalent vocational qualification.</li> </ul> Plus a work requirement of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing practice of 12 hours per week in a relevant role throughout the duration of the course.</li> <li>• Written support from your workplace.</li> <li>• A successful interview.</li> </ul>
<b>Professional Studies, Education</b> Foundation Degree	FNEDUAP	1 day	Bishop Grosseteste University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Level 3 Diploma, NVQ or equivalent vocational qualification.</li> </ul> Plus a work requirement of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing practice of minimum 12 hours/week minimum, in a relevant role, throughout the duration of the course.</li> <li>• Written support from your workplace.</li> <li>• A successful interview.</li> </ul>
<b>Performing Arts (Acting)</b> Professional Diploma	HCPEAAP	3 days (plus work experience, residentials/ trips and performances)	University of the Arts London	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 80 UCAS points typically from A Levels or a Level 3 Diploma in Performing Arts, although students from other subject specialisms are encouraged to apply.</li> <li>• An interview and audition will also be required, in which you will be asked to perform 2 contrasting monologues of your choice.</li> <li>• Mature students with relevant work experience and/or professional qualifications are encouraged to apply as you will be considered on your commitment and enthusiasm at interview.</li> </ul>
<b>Performing Arts (Dance)</b> HNC/HND	HCDACAP	5 days (based in Leicester)	Pearson Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 80 UCAS points.</li> <li>• Prior knowledge and skills in performing arts.</li> <li>• An audition which can include a commercial, jazz and ballet class.</li> <li>• A one-to-one interview.</li> </ul>

Course Title	Course Code	Contact Time (per week)	Validating Body	Entry Requirements
<b>Performing Arts (Musical Theatre)</b> HNC/HND	HCPERAP	3 days	Pearson Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 80 UCAS tariff points typically from A Levels at grade C/4 or above, or a Level 3 Extended Diploma with at least an MMP profile.</li> <li>• An interview and audition.</li> <li>• Mature students who may not have formal qualifications are encouraged to apply for an interview where you will be considered in relation to your experience, enthusiasm and commitment.</li> </ul>
<b>Teaching</b> Professional Graduate Diploma Education, Training and Skills (PGDE) / Certificate in Education, Training and Skills (CertEd)	CTPGCAP	Part-Time (2 years): 1 evening	Bishop Grosseteste University	<p>The Level 6 PGDE is only for candidates who already hold a degree. The Level 5 Certificate in Education is for anyone with a lower entry qualification.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of a Level 3 qualification (e.g. A Level, NVQ) in the subject(s) that you intend to teach.</li> <li>• Access to 100 hours teaching over 2 years with no fewer than 50 hours in one year.</li> <li>• Appropriate Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.</li> <li>• For PGDE, you must hold a UK first degree (or equivalent).</li> <li>• If you wish to undertake specialist pathways you will need to provide evidence of personal skills in English or maths at QCF Level 3.</li> </ul>

Visit [www.stamford.ac.uk](http://www.stamford.ac.uk) for more information on any course listed. See page 38 for details on course fees and financial support.



# OPEN EVENTS

**Tuesday 29 October**  
5.30 - 7.30pm

**Wednesday 20 November**  
5.30 - 7.30pm

**Wednesday 29 January**  
5.30 - 7.30pm

Book your place:  
**[www.stamford.ac.uk](http://www.stamford.ac.uk)**  
Get in touch:  
**[enquiries@stamford.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@stamford.ac.uk)**



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*Missed  
our Open  
Events but  
want to  
explore our  
campus?  
Just get in  
touch.*

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# GETTING HERE

Stamford is just a short drive or train journey away from large cities such as Peterborough, Leicester and Nottingham which makes getting here easy. Check our Route Finder on page 56 to see if your area is covered by one of our bus routes.

If you'd rather drive, there are free car parking spaces on site, you can apply for a parking permit when you enrol.

**Want to look around our facilities? Our Open Events are detailed on page 52.**



# ROUTE FINDER



If you live in Lincolnshire, Rutland, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire or Northamptonshire, we can help arrange your transport. A fee is payable in advance for the year, but in exceptional circumstances, you can pay termly; financial support may be available.

If your route is not here, there are many other alternative routes provided by Local Authorities; please phone them for more information.

**Cambridgeshire**  
0345 045208

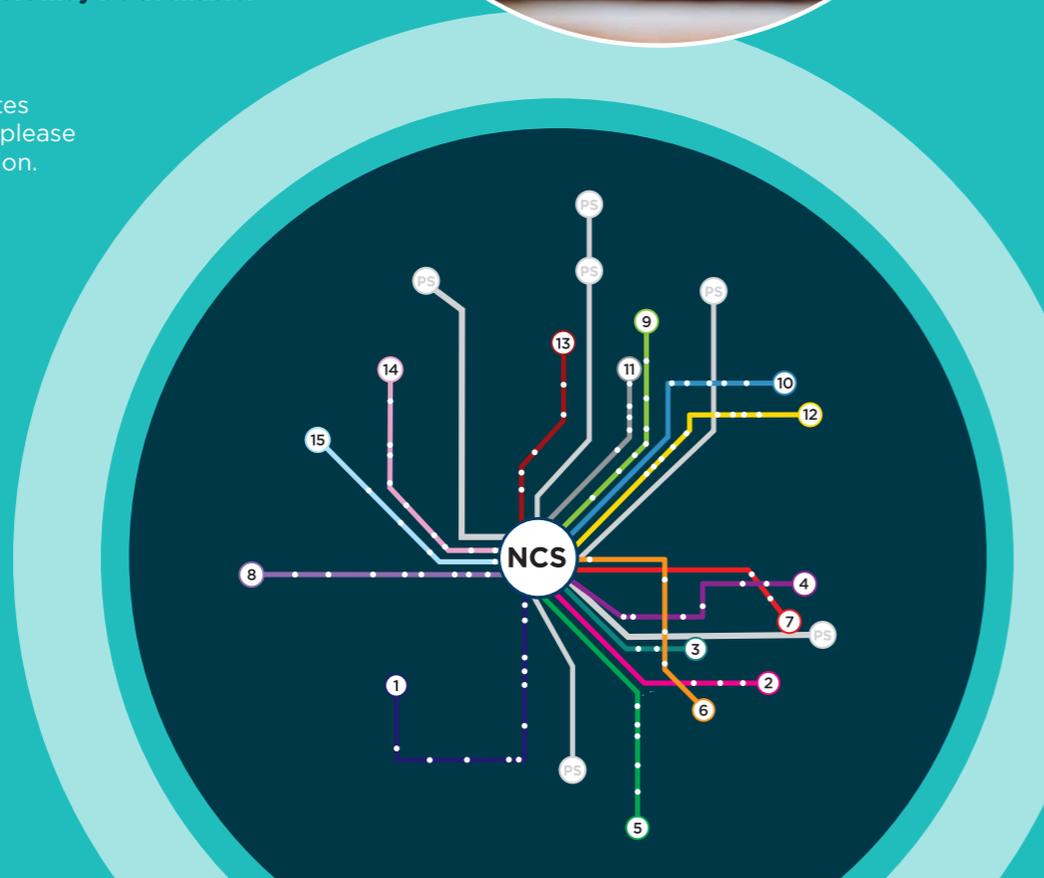
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**Rutland**  
01572 720939



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Cottesmore.....	15
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