

# University of Malta Postgraduate Prospectus 2013



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## Faculty of Arts

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Arts mainly by research Anglo-Italian Studies, Anthropology, Archaeology, Classics, Contemporary Mediterranean Studies, English, French, Geography, German, History, History of Art, International Relations, Italian, Maltese, Oriental Studies (Arabic), Oriental Studies (Near Eastern Studies), Philosophy, Social Studies, Sociology, Theatre Studies	3 sem	6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Contemporary Western Philosophy taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	6 sem day
Master of Arts in English taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	6 sem eve
Master of Arts in English and the Media taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	6 sem eve
Master of Arts in English Language taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	6 sem eve
Master of Arts in English (Modern and Contemporary Literature and Criticism) taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	6 sem day
Master of Arts in Geography of Cities taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Hospitaller Studies taught and research (mainly taught) will also be held at the University of Malta – Gozo Campus (if there is a sufficient number of qualified applicants)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Humanitarian Action taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Literary Tradition and Popular Culture taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	6 sem day
Master in Contemporary Diplomacy by research (for applicants in possession of the PG Diploma in Contemporary Diplomacy)	1 sem dl	2 sem dl
Master in Interpreting (max. 12 students) taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	
Master in Translation taught and research (mainly taught) held at the University of Malta on full-time basis and at the Gozo Campus on a part-time basis	3 sem	6 sem eve
Master in Translation and/or Interpreting by research (for applicants in possession of the Postgraduate Diploma in the area applied for)	1 sem	2 sem

## Faculty for the Built Environment

Master of Arts in Cultural Heritage Management taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	6 sem eve
Master of Science mainly by research	3 sem	5 sem day
Master of Science in Conservation of Decorative Architectural Surfaces taught and research (mainly taught) including 2 summer periods	4 sem	
Master of Science in Conservation Technology for Masonry Buildings taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	
Master of Science in Project Management taught and research (mainly taught)		5 sem eve

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Spatial Planning (min. 8 students) taught and research (mainly taught)		8 sem eve
Master of Science in Sustainable Infrastructure taught and research (mainly taught)		5 sem eve

## Faculty of Dental Surgery

Master of Science – Restorative Dentistry taught and research (mainly research)	3 sem	5 sem day
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## Faculty of Economics, Management and Accountancy

Executive Master of Business Administration taught and research (mainly taught); will also be held at the University of Malta – Gozo Campus via videoconferencing		5 sem eve
Master in Accountancy taught and research (mainly taught)	4 sem	
Master in Accountancy (max. 10 students) taught and research for holders of the Bachelor of Accountancy (Honours) and Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Accountancy		1-2 yrs day

## Faculty of Education

Master in Access to Education taught and research (mainly taught) Areas of Study: Culturally Responsive Education (max. 15 students), Inclusive Schools and Communities (max. 15 students), Specific Learning Difficulties (max. 18 students)		6 sem eve
Master of Education mainly by research Areas of Study: Art Education (max. 2 students), Philosophy of Education (max. 2 students), Politics of the Curriculum (max. 2 students), Primary Science Education (max. 2 students), Prison Education (max. 3 students), Psychology of Education (max. 2 students), Sociology of Education (max. 3 students)		6 sem eve
Master of Education in Health, Family and Consumer Studies (max. 8 students) taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve
Master of Education in Italian Education (max. 15 students) taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve
Master of Education in Science Education (max. 16 students) taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve
Postgraduate Certificate in Education Areas of Study: Business Education (Business Studies) (max. 4 students), Computing (max. 8 students), English (max. 31 students), French (max. 3 students), Geography (max. 6 students), German (max. 2 students), History (max. 5 students), Italian (max. 11 students), Maltese (max. 18 students), Mathematics (max. 23 students), Music Studies (max. 4 students), Personal and Social Development (max. 11 students), Religious Education (max. 13 students), Science (max. 11 students), Social Studies (max. 11 students), Spanish (max. 5 students)	1 yr	

## Faculty of Engineering

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Science mainly by research Areas of Study: Electrical Engineering or Mechanical Engineering	3 sem	6 sem eve
Master of Science in Integrated Product Development taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve

## Faculty of Health Sciences

Master of Science taught and research (mainly taught) Areas of Study: Audiology (max. 10 students) or Nursing (max. 14 students)		6 sem day
Master of Science mainly by research Areas of Study: Applied Biomedical Science, Food Studies and Environmental Health, Nursing, Podiatry, Radiography (part-time only)	3 sem	6 sem day
Master of Science in Medical Physics (max. 8 ESF-funded students and max. 6 non ESF-funded students) taught and research (mainly taught)	4 sem	
Postgraduate Diploma in Podiatry		2 yrs day
Postgraduate Certificate in Radiography – Breast Imaging		2 sem day

## Faculty of Information and Communication Technology

Master of Science mainly by research Areas of Study: Communications and Computer Engineering, Computer Information Systems, Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence, Microelectronics and Nanoelectronics	3 sem	5 sem eve
Master of Science in Information and Communication Technology taught and research Areas of Study: Computer Information Systems, Computer Science, Microelectronics and Microsystems, Telecommunications	4 sem	

## Faculty of Laws

Master of Laws:		
European and Comparative Law taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	5 sem day
International Law mainly by research	3 sem	
Energy, Environment and Climate Change Law (min. 15 students, max. 30 students) taught and research (mainly taught) commencing in September; under the auspices of the International Masters Programme; offered in collaboration with the Institute for Environmental and Energy Law within the University of Leuven	3 sem	
Master of Arts in Law mainly by research	3 sem	
Master of Arts in Human Rights and Democratization taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Arts in Financial Services taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	6 sem eve
Doctor of Laws	3 yrs	
Master of Arts in Ocean Governance taught and research (mainly taught) under the auspices of the International Masters Programme	3 sem	
Postgraduate Certificate in Restorative Justice Mediation		2 sem eve

## Faculty of Media and Knowledge Sciences

Master of Arts in Integrated Marketing Communications taught and research (mainly taught); under the auspices of the International Masters Programme	3 sem	
Master of Fine Arts in Digital Arts taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem eve	
Master of Arts mainly by research Areas of Study: Cognitive Science, Corporate Communications, Digital Arts, Information Policy and Governance, Library, Information and Archive Sciences, Media and Communications	3 sem	6 sem eve

## Faculty of Medicine and Surgery

Master of Pharmacy taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	
Master of Pharmacy taught and research (mainly taught) for holders of the 5-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)		1-3 yrs
Master of Science mainly by research	3 sem	5 sem day
Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences (max. 12 students):		
Haematology taught and research (mainly research)	3 sem	6 sem day
Microbiology (min. 2 students) taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem day
Molecular Biology and Genetics taught and research (mainly research)	3 sem	6 sem day
Neuroscience either taught and research (mainly research) or mainly by research	3 sem	
Toxicology mainly by research		6 sem day
Master of Science in Family Medicine (max. 24 students) taught and research( mainly taught)		5 sem eve
Master of Science in Public Health taught and research (mainly taught) (previously entitled Master of Science Public Health Medicine)		5 sem eve
Master of Science in Reproductive Health taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve

## Faculty of Science

Master of Science in Applied Chemistry (min. 5 students) taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve
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	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Science (mainly by research): Areas of Study: Biology, Chemistry, Metamaterials, Operations Research, Physics, Statistics	3 sem	5 sem eve
Master of Science - Mathematics taught and research (mainly research)	3 sem	5 sem eve

## Faculty for Social Wellbeing

Master of Arts in Criminology (mainly by research)		5 sem eve
Master in Family Studies taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Disability Studies — Preparatory Programme only for Master of Arts in Disability Studies (commencing in October 2014)		2 sem day
Master of Arts in Probation Services taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	
Master of Arts in Social Policy – Community Social and Mental Wellbeing taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Social Work taught and research (mainly taught): Community Social and Mental Wellbeing Working with Children and Family		6 sem eve
Preparatory Programme for Master of Arts Social Work commencing in October 2014		2 sem day
Master of Arts in Transcultural Counselling (max. 25 students) taught and research (mainly taught) under the auspices of the International Masters Programme; offered jointly with the University of Maryland †in addition to the 3 semesters, the programme also includes an internship of a 6-month placement	3 sem†	
Master of Arts in Youth and Community Studies taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve

## Faculty of Theology

Licentiate in Sacred Theology taught and research (mainly taught)	4 sem	
Master of Arts in Bioethics taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Business Ethics taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Religious Studies taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve
Master of Arts in Theology taught and research (mainly research)		6 sem eve

## Centre for Entrepreneurship and Business Incubation

Master in Knowledge-based Entrepreneurship (mainly taught) commencing in September	3 sem	
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## European Centre for Gerontology

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Gerontology and Geriatrics (taught and research)	4 sem	

## Institute of Digital Games

Master of Science in Digital Games (max. 20 students) taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem day	
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## Institute of Earth Systems

Master of Science in Sustainable Environmental Resources Management taught and research (mainly taught); under the auspices of the International Masters Programme; offered jointly with the James Madison University	3 sem	
Master of Science taught and research (mainly research) Areas of Study: Environmental Management and Planning or Rural Sciences	3 sem	5 sem day

## Institute for European Studies

Master of Arts in European Politics, Economics and Law taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	5 sem day
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## Islands and Small States Institute

Master of Arts in Islands and Small States Studies taught and research (mainly taught); will also be held at the University of Malta – Gozo Campus (if there is a sufficient number of qualified applicants)		5 sem eve
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## Institute of Linguistics

Master of Arts in Linguistics mainly by research	3 sem	6 sem eve
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## Institute for Sustainable Development

Master of Science (Sustainable Development) mainly by research	3 sem eve	5 sem eve
Postgraduate Certificate in Geographic Information Systems		2 sem eve

## Institute for Sustainable Energy

Master of Science in Sustainable Energy mainly by research	3 sem	6 sem eve
Master of Science in Sustainable Energy taught and research (mainly taught)		6 sem eve

## Institute for Tourism, Travel and Culture

	Full-time	Part-time
Master of Arts in Tourism taught and research (mainly research)	3 sem eve	

## International Institute for Baroque Studies

Master of Arts in Baroque Studies taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	5 sem day
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## International Ocean Institute – Malta Operational Centre

Master in Applied Oceanography taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	
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## Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies

Master of Arts in Conflict Resolution and Mediterranean Security taught and research (mainly taught); under the auspices of the International Masters Programme; offered jointly with the George Mason University	3 sem	
Master of Arts in Diplomatic Studies taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	

## The Edward DeBono Institute for the Design and Development of Thinking

Master in Creativity and Innovation taught and research (mainly taught)	3 sem	6 sem day
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The information in this list is intended for guidance purposes only. Other courses may be announced at a later date. An updated list of courses is available at <http://bit.ly/152xikY>

Further information is available at <http://bit.ly/10u8dxy>

The University also offers doctoral degrees (Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Music, and Doctor of Sacred Theology) on a full-time or part-time basis for which applications are received at any time of the year.





# Contact us

The Admissions and Records Office is responsible for the whole process in connection with admissions to University courses. This Office provides assistance to prospective applicants with regard to any queries related to courses and application procedures.

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