

IOP Institute of Physics

Register of Recognised Courses

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Academic departments wishing to submit applications for Recognition are invited to seek further information from the professional standards team at

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Degree Recognition

The degree recognition scheme is an important part of the Institute's support for interdisciplinary and combined degree programmes.

The primary aims of Institute recognition are to:

- recognise the value of physics-based interdisciplinary and combined degree programmes
- support the diversity of physics-based degree programmes and departments that provide such programmes
- encourage the study of physics and related subjects where they appear throughout the HE sector
- guarantee to potential students that a degree programme meets the educational requirements for Associate Membership of the Institute and provide a route to full Institute Membership following appropriate professional experience

University of Aberdeen

The degrees listed below are recognised until 30 June 2020.

BSc	Physics with Chemistry	F3F1
BSc	Physics with Geology	F3F6
BSc	Physics with Philosophy	FV35
BSc	Geology-Physics	FF63
BSc	Geophysics	F660
BSc	Physics with a Modern Language	F3R4
BSc	Physical Sciences	F302
BSc	Computing & Physics	GF43
BSc	Mathematics-Physics	FG31
MA	Mathematics-Physics	GF13
MA	Natural Philosophy	F301
MA	Philosophy-Physics	VF73

Aberystwyth University

The degrees listed below are recognised until 30 May 2019.

BSc	Space Science & Robotics	FH56
BSc	Computer Science/Physics	FG34
BSc	Mathematical and Theoretical Physics	F340
MPhys	Space Science and Robotics	FH5P
MMath	Mathematical and Theoretical Physics	F341

University of Bradford

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2015.

BSc	Integrated Science*	CFG0
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*4 year sandwich Degree available

University of Central Lancashire

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2016.

BSc	Applied Physics (Information Technology)	F310*
BSc	Astronomy	n/a

* Yrs 1&2 in Beijing

University College Cork

The degrees listed below are recognised until December 2017.

BSc Education in Physical Sciences

Cork Institute of Technology

The degrees listed below are recognised until April 2016.

BSc	Applied Physics and Instrumentation (ordinary)	CR001
BSc	Applied Physics and Instrumentation (honours)	CR001
BSc	Instrument Engineering	CR360
BSc	Environmental Science and Sustainable Technology	CR365

De Montfort University

The degrees listed below are recognised until June 2018.

BSc	Physics	F300
MPhys	Physics	F303

Dublin Institute of Technology

The degrees listed below are recognised until March 2016.

BSc (ord)	Industrial and Environmental Physics	DT260
BSc	Clinical Measurement Science	DT229
BSc	Optometry	DT224

Durham University

The degrees listed below are recognised until February 2019.

BSc	Biology and Physics	CFG0
BSc	Chemistry and Physics	CFG0
BSc	Computer Science and Physics	CFG0
BSc	Mathematics and Physics	CFG0
BSc	Philosophy and Physics	CFG0
BSc	Natural Sciences *	CFG0
MSci	Biology and Physics	FGC0
MSci	Chemistry and Physics	FGC0
MSci	Mathematics and Physics	FGC0
MSci	Natural Sciences *	FGC0

* Providing at least 120 credits of physics modules are included, with at least 60 credits beyond year one, and a project is undertaken (which need not be in physics) – Degrees will need to be individually assessed and graduates wishing to obtain recognition should submit their degree transcript to recognition@iop.org

University of East Anglia

The degrees listed below are recognised until March 2019.

BSc	Chemical Physics	FF31
BSc	Natural Sciences *	CFG0
BSc	Natural Sciences with a year abroad *	CFGa
BSc	Natural Sciences with a year in industry *	GCF0
MChem	Chemical Physics with a year in North America	F190
MChem	Chemical Physics with a year in industry	F191
MNatSci	Natural Sciences *	CGF0

* Providing at least 120 credits of physics or physics-based credits are obtained with at least 60 credits beyond year one. Degrees will need to be individually assessed and graduates wishing to obtain recognition should submit their degree transcript to recognition@iop.org

University of Edinburgh

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2016.

BSc	Geophysics	F660
BSc	Geophysics & Geology	F690
BSc	Geophysics & Meteorology	FFP8
BSc	Mathematical Physics	F326
BSc	Mathematics and Physics	GF13
BSc	Computer Science and Physics	GF43
BSc	Physics and Music	FW33
MPhys	Mathematical Physics	F325

University of Exeter

The degrees listed below are recognised until March 2018.

BSc	Combined Honours Mathematics with Physics	FG31
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Galway Mayo Institute of Technology

The degrees listed below are recognised until July 2020

BSc	Physics and Instrumentation (Honours)	GA783
BSc	Physics and Instrumentation	GA773

University of Glasgow

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2018.

BSc	Astronomy and Mathematics	FGM1
BSc	Astronomy and Applied Mathematics	GF15
MSci	Astronomy and Mathematics	FG5D
MSci	Astronomy and Applied Mathematics	FGN1

University of Kent

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2015.

BSc	Astronomy, Space Science and Astrophysics	F590
MPhys	Astronomy, Space Science and Astrophysics	F592
MPhys	Astronomy, Space Science and Astrophysics with a year in the USA	F591

King's College London

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2016.

BSc	Physics and Philosophy	FV35
BSc	Physics and Philosophy with a year abroad	FVH5

University of Leicester

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2018.

BSc	Natural Sciences	FCG0
BSc	Natural Sciences with a Year Abroad	FCG0
MSci	Natural Sciences	GFC0
MSci	Natural Sciences with a Year Abroad	GFC0*

* also available as Natural Sciences with a Semester Abroad

All programmes had Interdisciplinary Science rather than Natural Sciences in their title prior to 2014 - graduates with either title have a recognised degree.

University of Limerick

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2017.

BSc	Applied Physics	LM065
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National University of Ireland, Maynooth

The degrees listed below are recognised until March 2015.

BSc (Science with Education) Experimental Physics and a Second Subject	MH212
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Newcastle University

The degrees listed below are recognised until May 2019.

BSc	Physics	F300
MPhys	Physics	F303

Northumbria University

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2017.

BSc	Physics	F300
BSc	Physics with Astrophysics	F3F5
BSc	Mathematics and Physics	G4H3
MPhys	Physics	F301
MPhys	Physics with Astrophysics	F2W4

Open University

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2018.

BA/BSc	Open *	
BSc	Natural Science: Physics pathway	
BSc	Natural Science: Astronomy and planetary science pathway	
BSc	Natural Science *	
BSc	Mathematics and Physics	

* Providing at least 120 credits of physics or physics-based modules are obtained with at least 60 credits beyond year one and a final year project module is taken. Degrees will need to be individually assessed and graduates wishing to obtain recognition should submit their degree transcript to recognition@iop.org

University of Oxford

The degrees listed below are recognised until June 2019.

BA	Physics and Philosophy	VF53
MPhysPhil	Physics and Philosophy	VF53

University of Plymouth

The degree listed below is recognised until December 2019.

BSc	Mathematics with Theoretical Physics	G1F3
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University of Portsmouth

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2015.

BSc	Applied Physics	F310
BSc	Physics, Astrophysics and Cosmology	F301
MPhys	Applied Physics	F311
MPhys	Physics, Astrophysics and Cosmology	F300

Queen's University Belfast

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2018.

BSc	Physics with Financial Mathematics ¹	F3N3
BSc	Applied Mathematics and Physics ¹	GF13
BSc	Physics and Computer Science ²	GF43
MSci	Applied Mathematics and Physics ¹	GFC3

¹ Graduates that took the optional module PHY2082 Physics of the Solid State can apply to the IOP to have their degree individually assessed for accreditation by supplying their degree transcript to accreditation@iop.org

² Graduates that took the optional modules PHY2082 Physics of the Solid State and PHY2084 Optics, Electricity and Magnetism can apply to the IOP to have their degree individually assessed for accreditation by supplying their degree transcript to accreditation@iop.org

Sheffield Hallam

BSc	Physics	F300
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St Mary's University, Twickenham London

The degree listed below is recognised until November 2019.

BSc	Physics (Applied)	F310
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University of Surrey

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2017.

BSc	Mathematics and Physics	GF1H*
MPhys	Mathematics and Physics	GF1I
MMath	Mathematics and Physics	GF13

* The code for this degree when coupled with a placement year is GFH1

University College London

The degrees listed below are recognised until March 2016.

BSc	Natural Sciences*	CFG0
MSci	Natural Sciences*	FGC0

* Physics must be selected as a major stream. Degrees will need to be individually assessed and graduates wishing to obtain recognition should submit their degree transcript to recognition@iop.org

Waterford Institute of Technology

The degrees listed below are recognised until November 2017.

BSc	Physics for Modern Technology	WD180
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University of Warwick

The degrees listed below are recognised until May 2016.

BSc	Physics and Business Studies	F3N1
BSc	Mathematics and Physics	GF13
BSc	Mathematics and Physics with Intercalated year	GF14

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