

Welcome to the Business & Management Webinar

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Shifts in Economic Power

The world is witnessing the biggest **shift in economic strength** for more than a century. Within a decade, the developed industrial economies of today will be dwarfed by **newly emerging economic giants**.

Within a generation, **China will overtake the US** as the world's biggest economy. Many of the top 15 economic performers will be from today's **rapidly developing** economies.



Developing Global Graduates

"Against a background of continuing globalisation and technological change, **employers need graduates who can compete in global marketplaces**.

Economic and technological change is facilitating an internationalisation and de-territorialisation of business, with many companies, large and small, having **international operations and international recruitment patterns**. As employers' requirements for their global workforce change, **graduates – and providers of higher education – must adapt to prosper**".

Global Graduates into Global Leaders (edited) - AGR, CIHE, CFE (Dec 2011)





A Top University



First to be commended for student learning opportunities.



93,5% of graduates employed/in further study within six months of graduating*



"BU has over 17,000 students including 2,000 international students from 100 different countries"



Dedicated international support

*Destination of Higher Education Leavers Survey 2013/14





BU is listed as a top 500 university

BU has made the list of the top 500 universities in the world, according to the latest Times Higher Education World University Rankings.

BU has been listed between 401 and 500 on the list, with only four other UK post-92 institutions making the top 500.

This is the first time that BU has featured in the list, and comes at a time when the university has risen in all three major University league table rankings in the UK, The Guardian University League Table, The Complete University Guide League Table and the Times and Sunday Times rankings.

The Times Higher Education World University Rankings lists the best global universities across core areas of teaching, research, knowledge transfer and internationalisation.



Key Data: 2014-15

- ✓ 94% of 14-15 NSS respondents stated they believed the Course had improved their career prospects
- 94% reported that the Placement year had enhanced their learning and skills
- ✓ Average Tariff points on entry: 355
- ✓ Ratio of applicants to places: 5.9
- ✓ Proportion of Graduates in employment: 94%
- ✓ Average Graduate starting salary: £22,000



Seeking AACSB accreditation

Our Graduates will be:

- Effective **Communicators**
- Effective **Researchers**
- Employable
- Globally Aware





£200m facilities investment by 2018





Bournemouth University Business School

Three academic departments:

- Department of Accounting, Finance & Economics
- Department of Leadership, Strategy & Organisations
- Department of Marketing



- BU is a member of AACSB International – the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
- Courses being academically-led and geared to the professions
- About 50 different nationalities
- Dedicated international support



BA (Hons) Business Studies

The Business Studies degree aims to provide:

- academic content geared to the professions
- a student-centred learning environment
- emphasis on intellectual achievement and employability
- real business experience through a 40-week industry placement in the 3rd year
- an international perspective:
 - international staff
 - international students
 - international study opportunities
 - units with an international focus.





Named Awards / Pathways*

Bournemouth University

Business Studies

International Business Studies Business Studies with Economics Business Studies with Enterprise Business Studies with Finance Business Studies with Law Business Studies with Marketing

Fusion

Business Studies with Human Resource Management

Business Studies with Operations and Project Management











Options (1 per Semester)





Study abroad

- Enhance your CV by spending Semester 2 of the second year studying at an international partner institution
- Current partners in Australia, Canada, France, Germany and Sweden
- Developing relationships in Japan, China, Indonesia and Thailand
- Various sources of funding available.





Year 3: work placement



- Our Business Studies degrees offer the opportunity to undertake a 40-week work placement.
 - Help from experienced placements office staff with preparing CVs, covering letters and interview techniques
 - Work experience will inform your final research project
- Wide range of companies 'blue chips', local, national, international, SME's, family businesses
- High proportion of students invited to go back to placement company upon graduation (30%)





Placement Salaries: 2014/15















Students who want to graduate with a named award,

- (1) must have studied the pathway unit at Year 1 and Year 2
- (2) must select the two final year units that define the pathway.





Pathways (1 Unit in Sem 1; 1 in Sem 2)

Economics: Microeconomics for Business II + Macroeconomics for Business II

Enterprise: Entrepreneurship and Business Ventures + Managing Innovation

Finance: Corporate Finance + Corporate Reporting

HRM: People Management & Development + Strategic Human Resource Management

International: International Marketing Management + International Management

Law: Company Law + Employment Law

Marketing: International Marketing Management + Strategic Marketing Management

Operations & Project Management: Advanced Project Management + Operations Strategy



Delivery & assessment

 Range of delivery methods, including lectures, seminars & guest lectures

Emphasis on Self-Managed Learning

Wide range of assessment methods used including reports, presentations
& examinations

Combination of individual and group work.







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JP Morgan	Investment Analyst
Lenovo	Webmistress
Live Group	Venues Coordinator
NTL	Data Planning Engineer
Intel	Business Analyst
Adecco	Recruitment Consultant
Servier Lab Ltd	Medical Representative
The Princes Trust	Team Coordinator
Camelot	Marketing Executive
YELL	Marketing Services Executive



Why Business Studies @BU? Our approach...

- Professional focus balancing theory and practice
- Strong focus on developing interpersonal and digital skills
- Active and interactive learning environment, range of delivery methods
- Strong emphasis on (supported) Independent Learning
- Opportunity to transfer to more flexible study modes



Why Business Studies @BU? Our staff...



- Research-active academic staff with professional qualifications
- High-quality, industry-informed Placement Support
- Award-winning PAL (Peer-Assisted Learning) mentoring scheme
- Specialist support for students with ALNs
- Award-winning Library Team (THE Leadership and Management Awards)



Industry recognition

We develop our courses and work alongside major international professional bodies – testament to our excellence in management, finance and law.





Why Business Studies @BU? Our Students!



BU students excel in national Project Management Challenge





Students in the Business School have been honoured by UK insurance company Liverpool Victoria (LV=) for their work with local organisations.



BABS students have won JPMorgan's 'FX Trading Game' on all 3 occasions it has run, defeating students from Southampton and Portsmouth Universities

THIS IS WHAT HAPPENED IN 2010-11

BOURNEMOUTH UNIVERSITY WON THE VERY COMPETITIVE 2010-11 GRAND FINAL



Ist place: Bournemouth University. Team members are: Charli Gazzard, Kelly Doyle, Gary King, Jeme Durici and Angel Yeung. They were supported throughout the competition by their lecturer Mark Ridolfo (right). The IBM graduate recruitment team lead by Gwyneth Barker (back row on right) presented the prizes to the winning team.

Source: http://www.uk.ubcworldwide.com



We want applicants who...

- ✓ are interested in identifying and solving business problems
- ✓ are comfortable with numbers and have an analytical mind
- ✓ are motivated and enthusiastic self-starters
- ✓ are committed to becoming independent, motivated learners
- ✓ have good interpersonal and team-working skills
- ✓ want to do something **challenging**, yet **rewarding**
- ✓ are keen to develop a wide range of interpersonal skills
- ✓ are dedicated and focused to develop and succeed
- ✓ aspire one day to MANAGE



Bournemouth University International College

Our courses

Foundation Certificates

International Year One course

Pre-sessional English for University Study Programme

Preparatory English tuition

www.KIC.org.uk/bournemouth





Scholarships

- A variety of scholarships is available to recognise your academic, sporting and musical excellence.
- 1,224 scholarships were awarded in 2013/14. Worth over £2.2million
- See a full list of scholarships online: <u>www.bournemouth.ac.uk/scholarships</u>





Entry requirements

Bournemouth University

Indicative Tariff points

For 2016 entry

DDM from the 18 unit diploma

UCAS tariff: All subjects considered at A-Level with exception of General Studies.	320-340 tariff points, including 200-220 from 2 A-levels
Minimum of 5 GCSEs, at grades A* to C, includi appropriate Key Skills Level 2 or equivalent.	ng Maths and English, or
International Baccalaureate: Please note we do not accept the	32-33 points, incl. 5 points from each of the 3 Higher

Please note we do not accept the equivalent UCAS tariff points for the IB

BTEC:

www.bournemouth.ac.uk

International students:

IELTS 6.0 (Academic) with minimum 5.5 in each component or equivalent

Level subjects.





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