

MSc

PARASITOLOGY



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Parasitologists make an invaluable contribution to our understanding of the biological functions within our world. Parasitology is the study of parasite organisms such as viruses, bacteria, worms or insects, parasitic diseases, and their impact on host species.

MSc Parasitology at Salford offers a broad-based education in modern parasitology, incorporating a significant element of module choice. Developed from our long-running Molecular Parasitology and Vector Biology postgraduate degree, the new programme provides an opportunity to choose the standard MSc Parasitology programme, or specialise in one of three pathways: Parasitology (Genomic), Parasitology (Wildlife) and Parasitology (Biomedical).

COURSE DELIVERY

The course is available in flexible study formats, including full and part-time pathways. This course comprises eight core and optional 15 credit taught modules, followed by a 60 credit research project.

Featured modules:

- / Human and Animal Parasitology
- / Molecular Parasitology
- / Research Design and Delivery
- / Parasite Immunology
- / Postgraduate Scholarship Skills
- / Research Project in Parasitology



COURSE EXPERIENCE

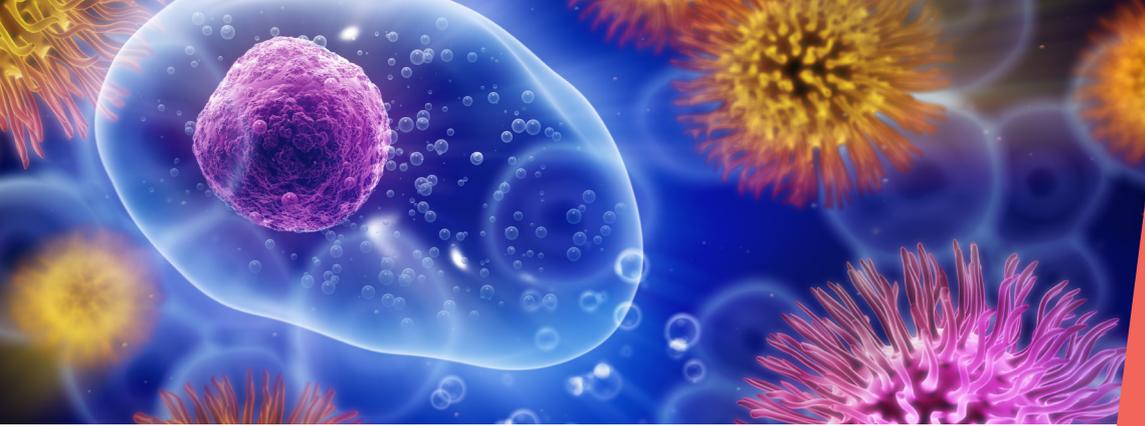
- / Study at a recognised centre for parasitology research with broadly-based expertise in all of the major platyhelminth groups, ectoparasitic arthropods and parasitic protozoa
- / Have the options to tailor your programme based on specialist interest through our specialist biomedical, genomic or wildlife pathways
- / Learn in advanced industry-standard laboratories and facilities, with specialist equipment for studying parasitology

CAREER PROSPECTS

Parasitologists make an invaluable contribution to our understanding of the biological functions within our world. MSc Parasitology will prepare you for onward career developments in research, academia and for career paths working as pollution microbiologists or laboratory scientist investigating the haematology, molecular biology and immunology of infectious diseases.

Course alumni have secured roles as laboratory scientists working in pharmaceuticals, drug design and pesticide research.





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MSC PARASITOLOGY

Start Date: September, January

Duration: One year full-time, up to three years part-time

Location: Peel Park campus

Entry Requirements:

Applicants should have a minimum UK lower second-class honours degree (2:2) or equivalent in a relevant medical or biological science subject.

We also accept applicants who may not have formal/traditional entry criteria but who have relevant experience, through our Accreditation of Prior Learning (APL) scheme.

International applicants must demonstrate proficiency in English through an IELTS score of 6.0 (and no element below 5.5).

Explore the course:

www.salford.ac.uk/parasitology