School of Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering
Postgraduate studies

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I was particularly attracted to the outstanding research reputation at Manchester.

I have had great opportunities to develop not just my technical knowledge but also my interpersonal skills which have been fundamental in my professional career.

Entry requirements

The minimum academic entry requirements for a PhD are:

- First class UK Honours degree or,
- Undergraduate degree at 2:1 or above plus a Masters award at Merit level or,
- Equivalent international qualifications.

The minimum academic entry requirements for an MPhil are:

- Minimum of a UK 2:2 Honours degree or,
- Equivalent international qualifications.

English language requirement for PhD and MPhil:

- IELTS greater than or equal to 6.5 (with no sub-test less than 5.5).

About the school

The School of Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering is a prestigious, world-renowned, research-intensive School.

We rank 4th in the UK in Engineering and Technology (Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2015-16). And 100% of our impact on industry and policy was ranked as world leading or internationally excellent in REF 2014.

We are a large and dynamic School with over 250 research students from all over the world. Our students are based in a friendly and supportive community with extensive opportunities for interdisciplinary collaboration and personal development.

You will have the opportunity to widen your knowledge and skills and deliver a unique body of work that has real-world impact.

Industry

Our research makes a positive difference to societies and economies both in the UK and globally. We are tackling challenging problems and supporting governments, business and communities to bring about real change and improvements.

We have strong industrial links with a range of companies such as: Airbus, Rolls-Royce, BAE Systems, Dyson Ltd, the National Nuclear Laboratory, EDF and BP.

Employability

Studying with us is an investment in your future – our graduates are targeted by employers from across the globe. We offer an unrivalled opportunity to progress within your chosen discipline and become well equipped for a career in engineering and related fields.

Our graduates have gone on to work in a diverse range of companies including Rolls-Royce, Alstom, Shell, AMEC Ltd, NNL Ltd as well as in government, management consultancies and academia.

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Come and join us

- Learn from and work with world renowned experts.
- Take advantage of our bespoke training opportunities.
- Publish your research.
- Attend and contribute to conferences.
- Broaden your experience via volunteering opportunities.
- Join our exciting societies and sports clubs.
- Take advantage of our outstanding facilities and laboratories.
- Enhance your employability and realise your ambitions.

If you want a challenging opportunity to work with like-minded, ambitious people apply now and join our inspiring community of students!

Find out more

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