

# **Course Specification**

Cou	Course Summary Information					
1	Course Titles		BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering with Sandwich Year MEng Electronic Engineering MEng Electronic Engineering with Sandwich Year			
2	BCU Course Codes	UCAS Codes	BEng (Hons) US0717 H601 MEng UM0020 H679			
3	Awarding Institution		Birmingham City University			
4	Teaching Institution(s) (if different from point 3)					
5	Professional Statutory or Regulatory Body (PSRB) accreditation (if applicable)		The Institution of Engineering *Please see important course the end of section 6, for more accreditations.	accreditation information at		

# 6 Course Description

Do you want to work at the forefront of industry? Our BEng (Hons) / MEng Electronic Engineering course will teach you a broad range of skills, helping you to become a rounded electrical engineer.

Throughout your degree study, you'll have access to our state-of-the-art technology and resources, plus you'll have the opportunity to secure yourself an industry placement, giving you instrumental electrical engineering work experience.

#### What's covered in the course?

The Electronic Engineering MEng will give you an understanding of the social, commercial, legal, ethical, economic and environmental factors associated with engineering, as well as comprehensive knowledge of the science and mathematics associated with the discipline.

You will also develop the key transferrable skills that modern employers require, such as problem solving, project planning, presentation and communication. Our competitions, such as the annual Engineering Show, which includes the international micro-mouse competition, gives you the opportunity to participate in a range of competitions centered on autonomous and non-autonomous robotic vehicles.

Our engineering courses focus on project-based activities, giving you lots of opportunity to work in teams on projects from design to implementation. This will give you practical experience of applying engineering science to real world problems, working in multidisciplinary teams to develop your interpersonal skills, and prepare you for a key aspect of modern engineering practice.

You'll also have the option of a placement during your course, either through a summer internship or year-long sandwich placement, which will provide you with the real-life skills and experience you'll need to stand out from the crowd upon graduation. This has helped former graduates progress into roles within companies such as UTC Aerospace and Vector GB.

On completion of this course you will be able to analyse, synthesise and evaluate those engineering factors that are required to produce engineering solutions. You will explore the themes of:



- Use of general and specialist engineering knowledge and understanding
- Application of appropriate theoretical and practical methods.
- Technical and commercial leadership and management at all levels.
- Effective interpersonal and communication skills using various media means and resources.
- Commitment to professional standards and recognition of obligations to society and environment in accordance with the latest benchmarks.

Specifically the course will develop your skills in the key area of:-

- Electrical, Electronic, Measurement and Communication methodologies, methods techniques and current / developing theories and ideas
- Engineering Science and Mathematics
- Management, including current management techniques and theories, Risk management, supplier relations and financial control
- IT which will include developing your skills the area of CAD, spreadsheets, internet usage and general IT skills
- Transferable communication skills, including written, verbal and new media presentations skills

The above skills areas were identified as being critical for the development of modern high technology Control and Instrumentation organisations such as Rolls Royce, Jaguar Land Rover (JLR), etc. who must have personnel skilled in these areas in order to successfully compete in the global market place.

#### **Course Aims:**

The content and structure of the Electronic Engineering Course are designed to provide you with an academically challenging and vocationally relevant degree, which encompasses all of the issues involved in successfully entering and progressing your career within the field of Electronic Engineering. Furthermore, the course has clearly identifiable core themes (with significant elements of practical based learning), in which capability skills and competencies can be fostered, demonstrated and further developed. This Electronic Engineering Course Aims are to:

- Provide a challenging course in Electrical and Electronic Engineering, designed to allow completers of appropriate qualifications in this field of study.
- Meet the needs of the relevant industries and professional bodies in these areas, broadly meeting the educational requirements on your journey to becoming a Chartered Engineer.
- Provide knowledge and skills that enable you to engage with continuing professional development in Electrical and Electronic Engineering, on graduation;
- Enable you to develop a practical approach to problem solving and decision making, including the use of safe working practices;
- Provide an academic education rooted in the principles and technology of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, applying appropriate techniques of design, management, sustainability, and manufacture.

Furthermore, through the Academic Plan (2015), the University has expressed its commitment to the following course aims to enhance your student experience in all courses:

- Pursuing excellence
- Practice-led, knowledge-applied education
- Interdisciplinary approaches
- Employability-driven
- Internationalisation



The following table articulates the course aims framed by the five themes of the Academic Plan:
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1.	Pursuing Excellence	Through the integration of practice and academic theory you will develop knowledge, understanding and skills needed to solve pertinent electronic engineering problems for now and the future. The course will specialise in the analysis, design and development of analogue, digital and discrete signals and systems. The course has been designed in collaborations with industrial partners to be relevant to industry needs.
2.	Practice-led, knowledge- applied	You will focus on the application of industry-standard design, modelling and simulation techniques to support the analysis, specification and implementation of electronic engineering systems.
3.	Interdisciplinary	In modules such as Leading Engineering Endeavour (Level 5), you will demonstrate the ability to understand the importance of developing a range of skills associated with cooperation and collaboration when working across disciplines. Engineering is recognised as embedding a range of topics linking to many disciplines.
4.	Employability-driven	In addition to professional and practical skills, additional value will be delivered through group work and project based challenges that enable you to compete for a variety of employment opportunities within the electronic engineering and associated industries.
5.	Internationalisation	You will demonstrate a consideration of the wider aspects and global impact of your discipline and an ability to contribute to the engineering sector in different international contexts.

In addition, the following course aims apply:

- To provide a challenging undergraduate course in Electronic Engineering and to meet the needs of the relevant industries and professional bodies in these areas.
- To provide you with the knowledge and skills that enables you to engage with continuing professional development and further study in the disciplines of Control and Instrumentation Engineering on graduation.
- To enable you to develop a practical approach to problem solving and decision making within the field of Electronic Engineering.
- To provide flexible learning opportunities and widening access and thus facilitate study in the
  discipline by learners from a board a background as possible, and to enable you to become
  an independent learner developing as an individual for the rest of your life.
- To provide you with an academic education focussing on the technology, design, project management, manufacture and health and safety pertaining to the relevant industries.
- The ability to relate practical real life problem based learning and to then to apply new technologies and techniques to solve present and future problems, in an international arena.
- Awareness of the economic, social and ecological implications of engineering decisions and to encourage a sense of responsibility to society;

For students that progress to the MEng Level 7, a higher appreciation is required as outlined in UK-SPEC especially regarding leadership and team work. At this level you expected to have a more comprehensive understanding of science and mathematics, a greater degree of critical awareness of current societal problems, ability to collect data and undertake engineering analysis to solve complex issues, able to generate innovate and sustainable designs and have a higher generic skills ability as outlined in AHEP3.

The very nature of the integrated Masters degree prepares you as a graduate on your way to become future leaders in the industry and deliver new designs and new products contributing to solving societal problems.



## Important Course Accreditation Information

Students completing an IET accredited degree are deemed to have met part or all of the academic requirements for registration as a Chartered or Incorporated Engineer and are in a strong position to move on to achieve professional engineering status after a period of initial professional development in industry.

## BEng Accreditation Information

In order for you to achieve professional accreditation, you must have, on top of your academic qualifications, a minimum of 4 years relevant industrial engineering experience at the appropriate level.

Our current BEng courses are accredited at Partial CEng level, meaning that provided you have the relevant industrial experience, you may be eligible to apply for Incorporated Engineer Level.

Should you wish to apply for CEng Engineer level, there will be requirement for further learning at PG level, for example, an accredited MSc in the relevant subject. Our MSc courses are accredited at full CEng level.

## MEng Accreditation Information

The accredited MEng will meet, in part, the exemplifying academic benchmark requirements for registration as a Chartered Engineer. Accredited MEng graduates who also have a BEng (Hons) accredited for CEng will be able to show that they have satisfied the educational base for CEng registration.

It should be noted that graduates from an accredited MEng programme that do not also have an appropriately accredited Honours degree, will not be regarded as having the exemplifying qualifications for professional registration as a Chartered Engineer with the Engineering Council; and will need to have their qualifications individually assessed through the Individual Case Procedure if they wish to progress to CEng.



7	Course Awards				
7a	Final Award for the Electronic Engineering course	Level	Credits Awarded		
	For BEng (Hons): Bachelor of Engineering with Honours Electronic Engineering Bachelor of Engineering with Honours Electronic Engineering with Sandwich year	6	360 360		
	For MEng: Integrated Master of Engineering Electronic Engineering Integrated Master of Engineering Electronic Engineering with Sandwich Year	7 7	480 480		
7b	Exit Awards and Credits Awarded for the Electronic Engineering course				
	Certificate of Higher Education Electronic Engineering Diploma of Higher Education Electronic Engineering Bachelor of Engineering Electronic Engineering	4 5 6	120 240 300		

8	Derogation from the University Regulations
	<ol> <li>For modules with more than one item of assessment, students must achieve a minimum of 30% (undergraduate) or 40% (postgraduate) in each item of assessment in order to pass the module</li> <li>Compensation of marginal failure in up to 20 credits is permitted at each level</li> <li>Condonement of failed modules is not permitted</li> <li>Students on an Integrated Masters course must achieve an overall average of 50% or above at the end of Level 5 to remain on the Integrated Masters course.</li> </ol>

9 Delivery Patterns				
Mode(s) of Study	Location	Duration of Study	Code	
BEng (Hons) Full Time	City Centre	3 years	US0717	
BEng (Hons) Sandwich	City Centre	4 years	US0717S	
BEng (Hons) Part Time	City Centre	5 years	US0718	
MEng Full Time	City Centre	4 years	UM0020	
MEng Sandwich	City Centre	5 years	UM0020S	

# 10 Entry Requirements

The admission requirements for this course are stated on the course page of the BCU website at <a href="https://www.bcu.ac.uk/">https://www.bcu.ac.uk/</a> or may be found by searching for the course entry profile located on the UCAS website.



	11 Course Learning Outcomes							
The	The following table shows how the UK SPEC Learning Outcomes mapped against the 5 University's Key Themes.							
UK S	Pursuing Excellence Knowledge Knowledge Interdisciplinary Employability Driven Internationalisation						Internationalisation	
	A. Knowledge & Understanding							
A1		tend a sound theoretical approach in enabling the description of new and advancing technology in the c Engineering	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
A2		eative and innovative development of electronic nology and continuous improvement systems.		$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		
		evelopment of processes, systems, services and products						
B1	Identify potentia	al projects and opportunities.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		
B2		riate research, and undertake design and development olutions within the design and development field.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		
В3	Manage implem effectiveness.	entation of design solutions, and evaluate their	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		
	C. Responsibility	, management and leadership		_				
C1	Plan for effective	e project implementation.	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		
C2	Plan, budget, or	ganise, direct and control tasks, people and resources.		$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		
C3	Lead teams and needs.	develop staff to meet changing technical and managerial	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
C4	Bring about conf	tinuous improvement through quality management.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
	D. Communication	on and interpersonal skills						
D1	Communicate in	English with others at all levels.	$\boxtimes$			$\boxtimes$		
D2	Present and disc	uss proposals.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		
D3	Demonstrate pe	rsonal and social skills.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		
	E. Professional C	ommitment						
E1	Comply with rele	evant codes of conduct.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
E2	Manage and app	oly safe systems of work.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		
E3	Undertake engir development.	neering activities in a way that contributes to sustainable	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
E4	'	cord CPD necessary to maintain and enhance own area of practice	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		
E5	Exercise respons	sibilities in an ethical manner.	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	



The Course Learning Outcomes are articulated per each level in terms of:

- Knowledge and understanding;
- Intellectual skills;
- Practical/subject specific skills;
- Transferable skills.

At Level 4 you will illustrate your succession from familiarity and working understanding to a wider appreciation, application and deeper understanding at Level 5. At Level 6 you will illustrate your ability to independently apply knowledge, skills and understanding, with a focus on active and reflective practice and clear evidence of synthesis and integration of the various skills and knowledge acquired throughout the course. The Level 6 learning outcomes are designed for you to propose and carry out individual study courses in design and research that fully explore your analytical, creative and innovative problem solving potential. Your achievement of learning outcomes is an incremental and progressive by its nature as your advance through course of study, hence only Level 6 learning outcomes are listed below, demonstrating a threshold level of performance expected of all Honours graduates. At Level 7, a higher appreciation is required especially regarding leadership and team work. At this level you expected to have a more comprehensive understanding of science and mathematics, a greater degree of critical awareness of current societal problems, ability to collect data and undertake engineering analysis to solve complex issues, able to generate innovate and sustainable designs and have a higher generic skills abilities.

Appendix 1 shows the precise Level 4, 5, 6 and 7 modules alignment with the learning outcomes that is to be considered in terms of the overall progression through all levels of study.

## **Knowledge and understanding:**

#### Level 4

On successful completion of the course you must be able to demonstrate:

- Appropriate mathematical techniques, including algebra, trigonometry, calculus, statistics and probability
- The principle of electronic engineering and their application in simple engineering science
- Understand, apply and evaluate engineering science and engineering analysis procedure to solve the engineering problems.
- Safe working practices, risk assessment;

### Level 5

- Apply in depth Knowledge and understanding of essential facts, concepts, theories and principles of engineering, and its underpinning science and mathematics.
- A knowledge of a range of industrial computer-based design and modelling systems and their applications to modern electrical, electronic and communications systems.
- Understand the current business environment and its impact on Control and Instrumentation, including the ability to justify financial expenditure.

#### Level 6

- Project management, business management, environmental issue and ethics as applied to professional engineering.
- Critically discuss and comment upon particular aspects of current research, or equivalent advanced scholarship in this discipline
- A systematic understanding of key aspects of electrical, electronic and communications engineering including the acquisition of coherent and detailed knowledge, at least some of which



is at, or informed by, the forefront of practice in electrical/electronic and communication engineering.

 Ability to deploy accurately established techniques of analysis and enquiry within the engineering discipline including solving of specific problems

## Level 7

On successful completion of the course you must be able to demonstrate:

- The scientific principles of Electronic Engineering to an advanced level.
- Further mathematical and computer models relevant to the Electronic engineer to a comprehensive level and an appreciation of their limitations.
- Management and business practices and their limitations as applied to strategic and tactical issues as appropriate for Chartered Engineers.

### **Intellectual Abilities:**

#### Level 4

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Apply appropriate quantitative science and engineering tools to the analysis of problems.
- Demonstrate creative and innovative ability in the synthesis of solutions and in formulating designs.
- Comprehend the broad picture and thus work with an appropriate level of detail.
- Investigate simple electronic problem with appropriate mathematical methods.

#### Level 5

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Identify and evaluate relevant practices within an appropriate professional and ethical framework
- Provide in depth analysis on information and "experiences" to formulate independent judgments and articulate through reflection, review and evaluation.
- Apply and formulate reasoned responses to the critical judgment of others and demonstrate a creative approach to complex problem solving.
- Demonstrate the application of professional development planning, review and action planning.

#### Level 6

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Critical analysis of working practices to ensure safety, carry out risk assessment and apply appropriate safety management techniques
- Identify and critically evaluate relevant practices within an appropriate professional and ethical framework
- Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data in order to make judgements and to frame appropriate questions to identify / achieve a solution to a problem.
- Apply the methods and techniques that you have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply your knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out engineering projects.

## Level 7

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Use fundamental knowledge to investigate new technologies.
- Apply advanced mathematical and computer based models for solving complex problems in engineering, and the ability to assess the limitations of particular cases.



- Extract data pertinent to an unfamiliar problem, and effect solutions using computer based engineering tools when appropriate.
- Debate contemporary issues in Electronic Engineering
- Critically discuss the importance of Electronic Engineering on a global scale

## **Practical / Subject Specific skills:**

#### Level 4

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Possess practical engineering skills acquired through, for example, work carried out in laboratories and workshops; in industry through supervised work experience; in individual and group project work; in design work; and in the development and use of computer software in design, analysis and control.
- Provide evidence of group working and of participation in projects.
- Apply safe working procedures, health &safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques.
- Communicate effectively by written, visual and oral means.

#### Level 5

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Apply advanced engineering techniques taking account of industrial and commercial constraints
- Demonstrate technical competence in a range of skills to an appropriate professional standard including Computer Integrated Control and Instrumentation.
- Solve problems working with limited or contradictory information.
- Effectively communicate and develop lifelong learning skills at an advanced level

#### Level 6

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Apply project planning techniques and scheduling methods including communication of information, ideas, problems and solutions to both specialist and non-specialist audiences
- Deploy accurately established techniques of analysis and enquiry within the Engineering discipline. You will also be able to show an appreciation of the uncertainty, ambiguity and limits of knowledge within this discipline.
- Manage empirically-research based project under appropriate supervision and recognise of its theoretical, practical and methodology
- Summarise, accurately, the arguments presented in a range of complex works within and about engineering specific subject.

#### Level 7

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

- Use wide knowledge and comprehensive understanding of design processes and methodologies and apply and adapt them in unfamiliar situations.
- Generate ground-breaking designs for products, systems, or components
- Evaluate the impact of regulatory, commercial and environmental constraints on processes and products.

## General transferable skills:

On successful completion of the course you must be able to:

Have developed transferable skills that will be of value in a wide range of situations. These are
exemplified by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority Higher Level Key Skills and include
problem solving, communication, and working with others, as well as the effective use of general
IT [information technology] facilities and information retrieval skills.



- Demonstrate evidence of planning, self-learning and improving performance, as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD [continuing professional development].
- Communicate effectively with other people using oral, written and graphic means
- Apply safe working procedures, health & safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques
- Have ability and competence in a range of skills on the current CAD and IT equipment in an effective and productive manner.
- Show initiative, work independently and able to work as member of a team to develop collaborative skills
- Display resourceful solutions including use of advanced engineering tools to the limitations of current Electronic Engineering practice and discuss them in a major technical report.



12 Course Requirements: BEng / MEng

## 12a Level 4:

In order to complete this course a student must successfully complete all the following CORE modules (totalling 120 credits):

Module Code	Module Name	Credit Value
ENG4091	Engineering Principles 1	20
ENG4124	Mathematical Modelling 1	20
ENG4093	Engineering Practice	20
ENG4094	Engineering Principles 2	20
ENG4125	Mathematical Modelling 2	20
ENG4096	Integrated Engineering Project	20

#### Level 5:

In order to complete this course a student must successfully complete all the following CORE modules (totalling 120 credits):

Module Code	Module Name	Credit Value
ENCEOOS	Mathamatica for Circula and Customa	20
ENG5093	Mathematics for Signals and Systems	20
ENG5092	Analogue and Digital Electronics	20
ENG5094	Engineering Electronic Systems	20
ENG5097	Leading Engineering Endeavour	20
ENG5095	Microcontroller System Design and	20
	Programming	
ENG5096	Electronics Project	20

### Level 6:

In order to complete this course a student must successfully complete all the following CORE modules (totalling 120 credits):

Module Code	Module Name	Credit Value
ENG6066	Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis	20
ENG6067	Embedded Systems and Control	20
ENG6068	Communication Systems and Networks	20
ENG6069	High Frequency and Power electronics	20
ENG6200	Individual Honours Project	40



## Level 7:

In order to complete this course a student must successfully complete all the following CORE modules (totalling 120 credits):

Module Code	Module Name	Credit Value
ENG7158	Digital Microelectronics and Hardware Description Languages	20
ENG7148	Control Engineering	20
ENG7157	Analogue Microelectronics and Integrated Circuit Architecture	20
ENG7154	Applied Digital Signal Processing	20
ENG7207	Group Integrated Master's Project	40



# 12b Structure Diagram

## **Course Module Grid Full-Time Electronic Engineering**

Level 4					
Engineering Practice (ENG4093)	Engineering Principles 1 (ENG4091)	Mathematical Modelling 1 (ENG4124)	Sem 1		
Integrated Engineering Project (ENG4096)	Engineering Principles 2 (ENG4094)	Mathematical Modelling 2 (ENG4125)	Sem 2		
Level 5					
Analogue and Digital Electronics (ENG5092)	Mathematics for Signals and Systems (ENG5093)	Engineering Electronic Systems (ENG5094)	Sem 1		
Leading Engineering Endeavour (ENG5097)	Microcontroller System Design & Programming (ENG5095)	Electronics Project (ENG5096)	Sem 2		
Optional					
Sandwich Year / Industrial Placement					
Level 6					
Individual Honours Project (ENG6200)	Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis (ENG6066)	Embedded Systems and Control (ENG6067)	Sem 1		
(ENG6200)	Communications Systems and Networks (ENG6068)	High Frequency and Power electronics (ENG6069)	Sem 2		
Level 7					
Group Integrated Master's Project (ENG7207)	Control Engineering (ENG7148)	Digital Microelectronics and Hardware Description Languages (ENG7158)	Sem 1		
Froject (ENG/20/)	Analogue Electronics and IC Architecture (ENG7157)	Applied Digital Signal Processing (ENG7154)	Sem 2		

## Course Routes:

----- BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering
----- MEng Electronic Engineering Route



# Part-Time Delivery - Electronic Engineering

Year 1		
Engineering Principles 1 (ENG4091)	Mathematical Modelling 1 (ENG4124)	Sem 1
Engineering Principles 2 (ENG4094)		Sem 2
Year 2		
Engineering Practice (ENG4093)		Sem 1
Integrated Engineering Project (ENG4096)	Mathematical Modelling 2 (ENG4125)	Sem 2
Year 3		
Analogue and Digital Electronics (ENG5092)	Mathematics for Signals and Systems (ENG5093)	Sem 1
Microcontroller Systems Design & Programming (ENG5095)	Leading Engineering Endeavour (ENG5097)	Sem 2
Year 4		
Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis (ENG6066)	Engineering Electronic Systems (ENG5094)	Sem 1
Communications Systems and Networks (ENG6068)	Electronics Project (ENG5096)	Sem 2
Year 5		
Individual Hangura Project (ENC6200)	Embedded Systems and Control (ENG6067)	Sem 1
Individual Honours Project (ENG6200)	High Frequency and Power Electronics (ENG6069)	Sem 2



# Top-Up Part-Time Delivery - Electronic Engineering

Year 1 – Year 3		
	rior Learning (APL) Indation Degree, etc.)	
Year 4		
Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis (ENG6066)	Embedded Systems and Control (ENG6067)	Sem 1
Communications Systems and Networks (ENG6068)	High Frequency and Power Electronics (ENG6069)	Sem 2
Year 5		
Individual Honours Project (ENG6200)		Sem 1
		Sem 2



### 13 Overall Student Workload and Balance of Assessment

Overall student *workload* consists of class contact hours, independent learning and assessment activity, with each credit taken equating to a total study time of around 10 hours. While actual contact hours may depend on the optional modules selected, the following information gives an indication of how much time students will need to allocate to different activities at each level of the course.

- Scheduled Learning includes lectures, practical classes and workshops, contact time specified in timetable
- *Directed Learning* includes placements, work-based learning, external visits, on-line activity, Graduate+, peer learning
- Private Study includes preparation for exams

The *balance of assessment* by mode of assessment (e.g. coursework, exam and in-person) depends to some extent on the optional modules chosen by students. The approximate percentage of the course assessed by coursework, exam and in-person is shown below.

#### Level 4

### **Workload**

## % time spent in timetabled teaching and learning activity

Activity	Number of Hours
Scheduled Learning	432
Directed Learning	0
Private Study	768
Total Hours	1200

## **Balance of Assessment**

Assessment Mode	Percentage
Coursework	55%
Exam	33%
In-Person	12%

#### Level 5

## **Workload**

## % time spent in timetabled teaching and learning activity

Activity	Number of Hours
Scheduled Learning	312
Directed Learning	0
Private Study	888
Total Hours	1200

## **Balance of Assessment**

Assessment Mode	Percentage
Coursework	50%
Exam	32%
In-Person	18%



## Level 6

## **Workload**

# % time spent in timetabled teaching and learning activity

Activity	Number of Hours
Scheduled Learning	210
Directed Learning	12
Private Study	978
Total Hours	1200

## **Balance of Assessment**

Assessment Mode	Percentage
Coursework	50%
Exam	42%
In-Person	8%

## Level 7

# **Workload**

% time spent in timetabled teaching and learning activity

70 time spent in timetables teaching and realiting delivity				
Activity	Number of Hours			
Scheduled Learning	156			
Directed Learning	18			
Private Study	1026			
Total Hours	1200			

# **Balance of Assessment**

Assessment Mode	Percentage
Coursework	48%
Exam	40%
In-Person	12%



# **Appendix 1**

# **Curriculum Mapping**

**Course Learning Outcomes Vs Specific Modules** 



LEVEL 4		_			2	ect
General Learning Outcome	Engineering Principles 1	Mathematical Modelling '	Engineering Practice	Engineering Principles 2	Mathematical Modelling 3	Integrated Engineering project
Knowledge and Understanding		•	•	•		
The principle of electronic engineering and their application in simple engineering science	✓		✓	✓		✓
Apply and use appropriate mathematical techniques, including algebra, trigonometry, calculus and probability.		✓			✓	
Understand, apply and evaluate engineering science and engineering analysis procedure to solve the engineering problems.	✓		✓	✓		✓
Safe working practices, risk assessment			✓			✓
Intellectual Abilities					ı	ı
Apply appropriate quantitative science and engineering tools to the analysis of problems.	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Demonstrate creative and innovative ability in the synthesis of solutions and in formulating designs			✓			✓
Comprehend the broad picture and thus work with an appropriate level of detail.		✓			✓	✓
Investigate simple electronic problem with appropriate mathematical methods.		<b>√</b>	✓		✓	✓
Practical / Subject Specific skills		1				<u> </u>
Possess practical engineering skills acquired through, for example, work carried out in laboratories and workshops; in industry through supervised work experience; in individual and group project work; in design work; and in the development and use of computer software in design, analysis and control.		<b>√</b>				✓
Provide evidence of group working and of participation in a major project is expected. However, individual professional bodies may require particular approaches to this requirement.		<b>√</b>				<b>√</b>
Apply safe working procedures, health &safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques.		✓				<b>√</b>
Communicate effectively by written, visual and oral means	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓



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LEVEL 4	_	_		2	2	oject
General Learning Outcome	Engineering Principles	Mathematical Modelling	Engineering Practice	Engineering Principles	Mathematical Modelling	Integrated Engineering project
General transferable skills						
Have developed transferable skills that will be of value in a wide range of situations. These are exemplified by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority Higher Level Key Skills and include problem solving, communication, and working with others, as well as the effective use of general IT [information technology] facilities and information retrieval skills.		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>		<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Demonstrate evidence of planning, self-learning and improving performance, as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD [continuing professional development].			✓			<b>\</b>
Communicate effectively with other people using oral, written and graphic means			✓			<b>√</b>
Apply safe working procedures, health & safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques			<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>
Ability to use competent in a range of skills on the current CAD and IT equipment in an effective and productive manner.			<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Show initiative, work independently and able to work as member of a team to develop collaborative skills		<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>
Display resourceful solutions including use of advanced engineering tools to the limitations of current Electronic Engineering practice and discuss them in a major technical report.	<b>√</b>			<b>√</b>		



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General Learning Outcome	Mathematics for Signals and Systems	Analogue and Digital Electronics	Engineering Electronic Systems	Microcontroller System Design and Programming	Electronics Project	Leading Engineering Endeavours			
Knowledge and Understanding									
Apply in depth Knowledge and understanding of essential facts, concepts, theories and principles of engineering, and its underpinning science and mathematics.	~	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>					
A knowledge of a range of industrial computer-based design and modelling systems and their applications to modern electrical, electronic and communications systems.	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>				
Understand the current business environment and its impact on Control and Instrumentation, including the ability to justify financial expenditure.					✓	<b>✓</b>			
Intellectual Abilities									
Identify and evaluate relevant practices within an appropriate professional and ethical framework			<b>✓</b>		✓	✓			
Provide in depth analysis on information and "experiences" to formulate independent judgments and articulate through reflection, review and evaluation.						<b>✓</b>			
Apply and formulate reasoned responses to the critical judgment of others and demonstrate a creative approach to complex problem solving.					~	1			
Demonstrate the application of professional development planning, review and action planning.			✓		✓	✓			
Practical / Subject Specific skills		I		_	1				
Apply advanced engineering techniques taking account of industrial and commercial constraints			<b>✓</b>		✓	✓			
Demonstrate technical competence in a range of skills to an appropriate professional standard including Computer Integrated Control and Instrumentation.	~	<b>√</b>	~	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>				
Solve problems working with limited or contradictory information.						✓			
Effectively communicate and develop lifelong learning skills at an advanced level			✓		<b>√</b>	✓			



LEVEL 5	Mathematics for Signals and Systems	als and	als and	tal	onic	Design g	t	
General Learning Outcome		Analogue and Digital Electronics	Engineering Electronic Systems	Microcontroller System Design and Programming	Electronics Project	Leading Engineering Endeavours		
General transferable skills								
Have developed transferable skills that will be of value in a wide range of situations. These are exemplified by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority Higher Level Key Skills and include problem solving, communication, and working with others, as well as the effective use of general IT [information technology] facilities and information retrieval skills.			<b>✓</b>		~	<b>✓</b>		
Demonstrate evidence of planning, self-learning and improving performance, as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD [continuing professional development].			<b>✓</b>		✓	✓		
Communicate effectively with other people using oral, written and graphic means			✓		✓	✓		
Apply safe working procedures, health & safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques			<b>√</b>		<b>✓</b>			
Ability to use competent in a range of skills on the current CAD and IT equipment in an effective and productive manner.	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓			
Show initiative, work independently and able to work as member of a team to develop collaborative skills			<b>✓</b>		✓	✓		
Display resourceful solutions including use of advanced engineering tools to the limitations of current Electronic Engineering practice and discuss them in a major technical report.			<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>			



LEVEL 6	Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis	Digital Filters and Spectral Analysis	and /sis	and /sis	and /sis	and /sis	and ⁄sis	ns and	ystems k	, and nics	dividual
General Learning Outcome			Embedded Systems and Control	Communication Systems and Network	High Frequency and Power electronics	Undergraduate Individual Honours Project					
Knowledge and Understanding											
Project management, business management, environmental issue and ethics as applied to professional engineering.					<b>√</b>						
Critically discuss and comment upon particular aspects of current research, or equivalent advanced scholarship in this discipline					<b>√</b>						
A systematic understanding of key aspects of electrical, electronic and communications engineering including the acquisition of coherent and detailed knowledge, at least some of which is at, or informed by, the forefront of practice in electrical/electronic and communication engineering.	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>							
Ability to deploy accurately established techniques of analysis and enquiry within the engineering discipline including solving of specific problems	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>						
Intellectual Abilities											
Critical analysis of working practices to ensure safety, carry out risk assessment and apply appropriate safety management techniques		<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>						
Identify and critically evaluate relevant practices within an appropriate professional and ethical framework					<b>✓</b>						
Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data in order to make judgements and to frame appropriate questions to identify / achieve a solution to a problem.					<b>√</b>						
Apply the methods and techniques that you have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply your knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out engineering projects.	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>						
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General Learning Outcome					Embedded Systems Control	Communication Systems and Network	High Frequency and Power electronics	Undergraduate Individual Honours Project		
Practical / Subject Specific skills				1	-1					
Apply project planning techniques and scheduling methods including communication of information, ideas, problems and solutions to both specialist and non-specialist audiences		<b>✓</b>			<b>✓</b>					
Deploy accurately established techniques of analysis and enquiry within the Engineering discipline. You will also be able to show an appreciation of the uncertainty, ambiguity and limits of knowledge within this discipline.	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>√</b>						
Manage empirically-research based project under appropriate supervision and recognise of its theoretical, practical and methodology					✓					
Summarise, accurately, the arguments presented in a range of complex works within and about engineering specific subject.	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>					
General transferable skills			1	1	-1					
Have developed transferable skills that will be of value in a wide range of situations. These are exemplified by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority Higher Level Key Skills and include problem solving, communication, and working with others, as well as the effective use of general IT [information technology] facilities and information retrieval skills.	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>					
Demonstrate evidence of planning, self-learning and improving performance, as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD [continuing professional development].					<b>✓</b>					
Communicate effectively with other people using oral, written and graphic means		✓			✓					
Apply safe working procedures, health & safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques		~			<b>✓</b>					
Ability to use competent in a range of skills on the current CAD and IT equipment in an effective and productive manner.	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>					
Show initiative, work independently and able to work as member of a team to develop collaborative skills	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓					
Display resourceful solutions including use of advanced engineering tools to the limitations of current Electronic Engineering practice and discuss them in a major technical report.					<b>√</b>					



General Learning Outcome	Digital Microelectronics and Hardware Description Languages	Control Engineering	Analogue Microelectronics and Integrated Circuit Architecture	Applied Digital Signal Processing	Group Integrated Masters Project
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Knowledge and Understanding					
The scientific principles of Electronic Engineering to an advanced level.	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓
Further mathematical and computer models relevant to the Electronic engineer to a comprehensive level and an appreciation of their limitations.	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	~
Management and business practices and their limitations as applied to strategic and tactical issues as appropriate for Chartered Engineers.					~
Intellectual Abilities					
Use fundamental knowledge to investigate new technologies.		✓			✓
Apply advanced mathematical and computer based models for solving complex problems in engineering, and the ability to assess the limitations of particular cases.		✓		✓	<b>√</b>
Extract data pertinent to an unfamiliar problem, and effect solutions using computer based engineering tools when appropriate.		<b>✓</b>			1
Debate contemporary issues in Electronic Engineering					✓
Critically discuss the importance of Electronic Engineering on a global scale					✓
Practical / Subject Specific skills					
Use wide knowledge and comprehensive understanding of design processes and methodologies and apply and adapt them in unfamiliar situations.		<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>
Generate ground-breaking designs for products, systems, or components		✓			
Evaluate the impact of regulatory, commercial and environmental constraints on processes and products.					<b>✓</b>



LEVEL 7	Digital Microelectronics and Hardware Description Languages	nics ption	bu	onics	nal	sters
General Learning Outcome		Control Engineering	Analogue Microelectronics and Integrated Circuit Architecture	Applied Digital Signal Processing	Group Integrated Masters Project	
General transferable skills						
Have developed transferable skills that will be of value in a wide range of situations. These are exemplified by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority Higher Level Key Skills and include problem solving, communication, and working with others, as well as the effective use of general IT [information technology] facilities and information retrieval skills.		<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>	
Demonstrate evidence of planning, self-learning and improving performance, as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD [continuing professional development].					<b>✓</b>	
Communicate effectively with other people using oral, written and graphic means	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	
Apply safe working procedures, health & safety legislation, risk assessment and risk management techniques	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	
Ability to use competent in a range of skills on the current CAD and IT equipment in an effective and productive manner.	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	1	✓	
Show initiative, work independently and able to work as member of a team to develop collaborative skills	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	1	<b>✓</b>	
Display resourceful solutions including use of advanced engineering tools to the limitations of current Electronic Engineering practice and discuss them in a major technical report.		✓			<b>✓</b>	