



# HOLMES INSTITUTE UK

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## WHAT MAKES US UNIQUE?

We strive to be London's number one Information Systems course provider by offering the highest quality programme delivered by a qualified and professional team.

We focus our energies on raising educational standards and expectations by constantly refining and often reinventing the programs and services we offer.

Every day we seek to improve upon the status quo.



# WHY CHOOSE HOLMES INSTITUTE UK?

## CAREER FOCUSSED EDUCATION

The MSc in Information Systems Programme provides the perfect blend between the business and technical side of Information Technology. The Programme has a strong focus on Cyber Security, Business Analytics and Project Management, as evidenced by the three available specialisations in the Programme. The Programme seeks to ensure students graduate with a broad range of skills and competencies required for a successful career in the Information Systems sectors.

Graduates will not only be professionally competent in the theoretical and technical aspects of Information Systems but will also have the well developed analytical and communication skills necessary to equip them for leadership positions in their professional and business lives.

## CONVENIENT LOCATION

We are situated right in the heart of London, just a few metres off Oxford Street, near to department stores, fashion outlets, restaurants, cafés and theatres. The Centre itself is equipped with excellent facilities to help ensure you gain the maximum benefit from your studies.

You'll meet fascinating people, encounter new ideas, and gain an entirely new perspective on education. We are well connected to all areas of London via public transport, which makes travelling the city very easy.

The school itself is a perfect place to study and relax; we have classes equipped with excellent teaching facilities, as well as a dedicated student common room.

## ACCREDITATION

The MSc Information Systems is validated and awarded by the University of Chichester, at Holmes Institute UK we develop and deliver the programme.

## DEDICATED STUDENT SERVICES

Learners are the primary focus of the Institute and benefit from a dedicated Student Services Team. The team will ensure that you get the most out of your time with HI:UK. The department provides services to ensure student wellbeing, provides academic supports to supplement the programme and also facilitates recreational activities and social interaction.

# PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

The MSc in Information Systems Programme provides the perfect blend between the business and technical side of Information Technology. Information Systems is a challenging field that delves into integrating Information Technology into organisational processes to meet the growing digital demands of business.

The MSc in Information Systems specifically addresses technology, governance and the strategic use of Information Technology as well as other issues arising from the application of technology to business. The MSc Programme has a strong focus on Cyber Security, Business Analytics and Project Management, as evidenced by the three available specialisations in the Programme. Students can select one of these specialisations to complement their studies and enhance their prospects.

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As part of the programme you will take a range of innovative and interesting modules. These include:



## DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

This Module discusses the different types of information systems and associated infrastructure, and the factors involved in developing, acquiring, and implementing these systems. You will gain an understanding of methods and approaches used by organisations to develop innovation programs and support IT enabled digital transformation.

## IS GOVERNANCE, RISK AND COMPLIANCE

This module provides insights into Information System and Information Technology governance, compliance, risk, and security issues facing organisations. Case studies will be utilised in reinforce the theoretical concepts.

## IS PORTFOLIO AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT (ELECTIVE)

This aim of this module is to equip students with both theoretical and practical skills in the management of projects, project portfolios and large-scale programmes. Students will learn the Project Management Institute (PMI) processes for both program and portfolio management and will be able to apply these processes in the correct context and situation.

## BUSINESS ANALYTICS

This Module will provides the knowledge and skills to understand organisational decision-making processes. You will gain an understanding of the issues and factors that influence the successful implementation of Business Analytics initiatives considering the impact of future trends in decision making, supporting tools and techniques.

## PROJECT MANAGEMENT

This module focuses on a holistic approach to project management. You will gain an understanding of the factors and processes required to successfully manage projects. Industry case studies are utilised to reinforce the application of theoretical concepts.

## BIG DATA AND PREDICTIVE ANALYSIS (ELECTIVE)

This module is designed to inform and educate students about predictive analytics and data mining techniques through an understanding of the algorithms and statistical principles underlying these techniques.

## ENTERPRISE SYSTEMS

This module provides an understanding of enterprise systems and identifies the key issues for organisations involved in acquiring and maintaining large-scale software systems. You will finish this Module with sufficient knowledge of enterprise systems so that you can appreciate the role of these systems and the functionality they offer to support a company's strategy and core business processes.

## RESEARCH TECHNIQUES AND PROPOSAL

This module supports you in identifying and preparing a dissertation proposal. The module will equip students with the academic research skills to undertake a dissertation at master's level.

## CYBER SECURITY (ELECTIVE)

This module provides students with knowledge of the current state of cyber security, including relevant legislation and standards. It will cover computer and network security, business security, security architecture and design, in addition to access control and cryptography.

## PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The aim of this module is to support you in their personal and professional development, fostering increasing self-awareness and critical reflection. You will set personal and professional goals and manage your development plans.

## DISSERTATION

The aim of this module is to develop your ability to work independently and with academic integrity on a topic aligned to your programme specialisation on a research topic individually selected under the guidance of an appropriate academic mentor with expertise in the area of research a





## ENTRY REQUIREMENT

A lower second class Honours degree (2.ii) in any subject, plus proof of English Language. We accept GCSE English Grade C or equivalent English Language exam. Please contact us for further details

## TUITION FEES

Face to Face/Blended Learning (London):  
£12,000, with scholarships of up to £4,000  
available

Online: £8,000, with scholarships of up to £2,000  
available 6.0 or equivalent.

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