

Course Information Form

This Course Information Form provides the definitive record of the designated course

Section A: General Course Information

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| Course Title | MA Mass Communications |
| Final Award | MA |
| Route Code | MAXAAAF/MAMCFAAF |
| Intermediate Qualification(s) | Postgraduate Certificate in Mass Communications Postgraduate Diploma in Mass Communications |
| Including Subject Benchmark | 7 |
| Location of Delivery | University Square Campus, Luton |
| Mode(s) and length of study | |

External Reference

HECoS code(s)

Teaching, learning and assessment strategies

The degree has been designed to equip students with an in-depth knowledge and understanding of the main debates in the field, and to enable them to apply this knowledge to the critical analysis of everyday media and communication. In doing so, it will also help you acquire the relevant practical, communicative and academic skills – such as written and oral communication skills, independent research, time management, self and peer evaluation and team-work – to pursue employment in a range of media and communication industries, as well as employment in other graduate professions.

The course is fully compliant with University regulations for assessment, mitigation, appeals and complaints. The assessment strategy is designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills that are required in a professional environment.

Assessments take a variety of forms including written work (essay, report, research proposal, dissertation) oral presentations, and practical work (empirical research).

For some assessments there will be opportunity for formative feedback on assessments-in-progress before the assessment deadline and you are encouraged to integrate formative and summative feedback into your work in order to develop as much as possible for the final assessment.

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| Admissions Criteria | https://www.beds.ac.uk/entryrequirements Approved Variations and Additions to Standard Admission N/A |
| Assessment Regulations | https://www.beds.ac.uk/about-us/our-university/academic-information Note: Be aware that our regulations change every year Approved Variations and Additions to Standard Assessment Regulations N/A |

Section C: Assessment Plan

The course is assessed as follows :

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Glossary of Terms for Assessment Type Codes

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| CW-EPO | Coursework - e-Portfolio |
| CW-ESS | Coursework - Essay |
| CW-JO | Coursework - Journal |
| CW-LR | Coursework - Literature Review |
| CW-PO | Coursework - Portfolio |
| IT-PT | Summative in-class test or phase test |
| PJ-DIS | Coursework - Dissertation Report |
| WR-I | Coursework - Individual Report |