



Programme Structures and Modules 2024 – 25

HUMAN EVOLUTION– PGT LEVEL

NOTE: All optional modules are subject to availability and it may be necessary to remove modules due to changes in staffing and research leave. Where modules are withdrawn following registration, students will be notified as far in advance as possible and suitable alternative modules offered.

HUMAN EVOLUTION (MSC/HUEV)

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| Year: | 1 (full-time) | | | | | |
| Module Title | Code | Credits | Level | Type | Semester | Pathways |
| Early Technologies and Experimental Archaeology | ALGY763 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Palaeoanthropology | ALGY751 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Advanced Osteology and Skeletal Pathology | ALGY753 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Ancient DNA and Proteomics | ALGY752 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
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| Research Methods | ALGY755 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |
| Archaeological Field Skills | ALGY754 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |
| Human Variation and Adaptation | ALGY750 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |
| Deciphering Symbols | ALGY761 | 15 | 7 | Optional | 2 | |
| Dental Anthropology | ALGY756 | 15 | 7 | Optional | 2 | |
| Dissertation | ALGY600 | 60 | 7 | Required | 3 | |
| <p>Students take 60 credits of required modules in semester one.</p> <p>Students take 45 credits of required modules and 15 credits of optional modules in semester two.</p> <p>The dissertation will be taken over the summer vacation period.</p> | | | | | | |

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| Year: | 1 (part-time) | | | | | |
| Module Title | Code | Credits | Level | Type | Semester | Pathways |
| Palaeoanthropology | ALGY751 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |

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|---------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|----------|--|
| Ancient DNA and Proteomics | ALGY752 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Archaeological Field Skills | ALGY754 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |
| Human Variation and Adaptation | ALGY750 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |

Students take 30 credits of required modules in semester one and a further 30 credits of required modules in semester two.

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| Year: | 2 (part-time) |
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| Module Title | Code | Credits | Level | Type | Semester | Pathways |
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| Early Technologies and Experimental Archaeology | ALGY763 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Advanced Osteology and Skeletal Pathology | ALGY753 | 15 | 7 | Required | 1 | |
| Research Methods | ALGY755 | 15 | 7 | Required | 2 | |
| Dental Anthropology | ALGY756 | 15 | 7 | Optional | 2 | |
| Deciphering Symbols | ALGY761 | 15 | 7 | Optional | 2 | |
| Dissertation | ALGY600 | 60 | 7 | Required | 3 | |

Students take 30 credits of required modules in semester one.

Students take 15 credits of required modules and 15 credits of optional modules in semester two.

The dissertation will be taken over the summer vacation period.