

- 1 2 3 Awarding Institution Teaching Institution

Queen Margaret University Queen Margaret University

16. Criteria for admission

The standard minimum levels of entry for the MSc in Global Health are one of the following:

An honours degree in a related subject area A professional qualification in a related area recognised for professional body membership and equivalent in academic terms to an honours degree A qualification in a related area from a professional institution and not

less than 3 years professional experience at a level approved by the Admissions committee.

17. Support for students and their learning

- 1) All students will be supported by a personal academic tutor and a dissertation supervisor who may be different
- 2) All students receive a student handbook
- Student representatives are selected for both September and January starting students; staff-student consultative committees are held once per semester and representatives attend course committee meetings
- 4) A series of academic practice sessions have been established to support

sessions start during the induction week and carry on over the first 4 weeks of semester 1; a module descriptor outlines the range of issues covered

- 5) Three academic practice sessions are held in Semester 2 for students commencing study in January
- 6) Introductory session to IT are offered to students requiring support in the first 3 weeks of Semester 1 and where need to January entrants
- 7) Introduction to library procedures and database searching in Semester 1 (for September students) and semester 2 (for January students); more advanced search procedures offered during dissertation preparation in Semester 2.
- 8) The Centre for Academic Practice runs relevant workshops for postgraduate students throughout the academic year (Eg. SPSS, reference manager)
- 9) Students have access to student learning services, library and IT support
- 10) Students have access to careers, counselling and disability advice services.

18. Quality Assurance arrangements

QMU website for more detail: <u>http://www.qmu.ac.uk/quality/</u>