Master of Engineering (MEng)

Admission requirements

To be considered for admission to the MEng (Research) and MEng (Structured) programmes, you must:

- hold at least a BEng, a BScHons, another relevant four-year bachelor's degree, an MTech, or a PGDip (Eng); *or*
- hold other academic degree qualifications and appropriate experience that have been approved by the Faculty Board. The relevant department's chairperson must make a recommendation regarding such qualification and experience to the Faculty Board.

Also refer to the postgraduate admission model in Figure 3.1 in Section 3.2 near the beginning of this chapter.

Selection

Irrespective of the admission requirements above, you must be selected for the MEng programme by the home department of the relevant field of study.

Application procedure

You must apply in writing to the Registrar for admission as a master's student. Provide the following information:

- details of qualifications already obtained and appropriate experience gained,
- certified copies of the relevant certificates,
- the field of study of the PGDip (Eng) that you want to follow.

To obtain further details about the application procedure, please send an e-mail to the address at "Postgraduate enquiries" under the relevant home department in Section 1.1.2.

Duration and period of enrolment

Table 3.1 in Section 3.4.1 above shows the minimum, normal and maximum time available to you to complete the MEng (Structured) and the MEng (Research) as a full-time or part-time student. Note that the MEng (Structured) takes at least 12 months to complete if you are a fulltime student, that is from February in the first year to January in the second year. Module scheduling constraints, however, often lead to full-time students only completing the programme at the end of the second year. Many full time MEng (Research) students complete the programme in two academic years by starting in February of the first year and receiving the degree in March of the third year.