



So you're in or want to work in project management? Ready to take your career to the next level, or perhaps try a new role? If the answer is yes - then this postgraduate degree accredited by the Association for Project Management (APM), is right up your street.

By the end of it, you'll be able to deliver global projects using gold standard techniques.

This course is delivered in one of our Study Centres over two years, with one three-hour evening session every 2 weeks.

Modules are:

Project Management Techniques

You'll start this module by breaking down the different types of project management, learning solid methods to monitor and control projects from start to finish. We cover the ins and outs of most business projects: managing budgets, resolving complex issues and coordinating the work of others on a project team.

Management of Projects

This module gives you all the models and methods you need to take charge of projects. You'll learn what it takes to be an effective leader, how to match people to tasks, organise schedules, make sense of costs and budgets, assess risks and maintain quality. You'll also learn how to work out if an investment is likely to be a good one or not.

Project Analytics

Data helps us drive project management decisions; as well as monitor, control and maintain a project throughout its life. This module shows you the context in which these facts and statistics are used to measure how a project is performing. By the end of it all you'll be confident in using analysis to drive decision-making.



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Data Handling and Decision Making

Modern businesses have access to more data than ever. People armed with the skills to handle that data - and who can use it to make informed business decisions - add real value to their workplace.

This module focuses on teaching you how to do an analysis of the data environment in an organisation, and crucially once you have that data, how you handle it and what you can do with it - whether that is to make the business more efficient, or lead it in a fresh direction.

The key is not just to interpret and understand the data, but to make knowledge driven decisions. We test this through a case study-driven task that allows students to apply what they have learnt to a real business scenario.



Sustainability in Theory and Practice

Sustainability is the most important challenge of our time - and this module brings it in line with project management. You'll be exploring the challenges of sustainability and coming up with strategies to solve these problems.

Quality Management

This module will encourage and support you to understand the key theories and practice of delivering a quality product. Appreciating the importance of quality in both tangible and intangible products will

allow you to champion this philosophy in your current or future role. The module will introduce the core principles of quality management and show you the tools and systems you can apply to a real working situation, as well as understanding the ways to measure quality. The assignment will give you the opportunity to put it all into practice, proving you can take these ideas and apply them to specific business needs and objectives.





Research Project

The research project is a vital part of achieving Master's level - and it is your chance to undertake research into an area of your choosing, related to the programme theme.

We'll support you through the first stage with six weeks of sessions to help you create your research proposal - and you can choose from a conventional dissertation or an academic article and presentation. You will develop your critical abilities and produce a piece of work that's relevant in practice and meets the academic standards needed at Master's level, and just as importantly, add value to your organisation and career.

Course duration and hours of study

This course is delivered in one of our Study Centres over two years, with one three-hour evening session every 2 weeks. As well as the classes, you'll have access to our unique online learning platform. There, you will be able to reinforce your learning through a lively combination of discussion forums, guided group work, podcasts, narrated presentations and online lectures.

You can find out more information on the course page, visit www.arden.ac.uk. Alternatively, please call our admissions team on:

0800 268 7737 for more details.



Entry requirements

To be eligible for this course you must normally have:

A UK honours degree at a minimum of second class (2.2) or equivalent.

For students whose prior learning was not taught in English:

IELTS 6.5 or equivalent.

If you don't have academic qualifications

We're more than happy to consider, and positively encourage, an application from you if you have substantial management experience (typically 5 years) and can show us that you have the motivation to study the programme.

