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The University of Manchester

postgraduate open day

Wednesday, 28 November 2012



programme of events

Welcome to The University of Manchester

The University of Manchester is one of Britain's most famous civic universities with a rich heritage of cutting-edge innovation and enterprise stretching back more than 180 years.

Wherever you see a number in this guide in brackets (36), this indicates the corresponding building number on the campus map, which is on page 12. You can also download the iManchester app for iPhone or Android, which includes a searchable campus map. Search for 'iManchester' on your app store.

Registration

Foyer of University Place (37), all day

When you first arrive for the day, please come to the foyer of University Place to register. If you registered in advance, you will need to bring the registration number that was emailed to you. If you have not registered in advance, you will be asked to complete a short form.

Student Experience Exhibition

Foyer of University Place (37), 10am – 3pm

Staff from various student support services will be on hand to answer your questions. Exhibitors will include representatives from: Student Finance and Support, Careers Service, Accommodation Office, University of Manchester Library, Sport Manchester, Students' Union, and Manchester Doctoral College (and associated Doctoral Training Centres).

Central Talks –

Theatre A, University Place (37) for PG taught; Theatre A, University Place (37) then Theatre 1, Crawford House (33) for PG research.
10am – 1.30pm.

A series of short talks covering various subjects relating to postgraduate study in general and study here at The University of Manchester more specifically. For details of timings and location, please see page 3.

Academic School Events

various locations, 12 noon onwards

In the afternoon, activities will be held in each of the Academic Schools. These events will give you the opportunity to gain detailed information about your proposed course(s) of study, and meet with current students and programme directors. Activities will include presentations, short talks and informal discussion sessions. Details of these events are outlined from page 4 onwards.

Grad Café

Committee Rooms Whitworth Building (51),
12.30 – 4.30pm

These informal sessions will give you chance to speak to current students who are following a PG taught / PG research course in the faculty within which your proposed area of study lies, over free tea/coffee and biscuits.

Guided Tours / Drop-in visits

various locations and times

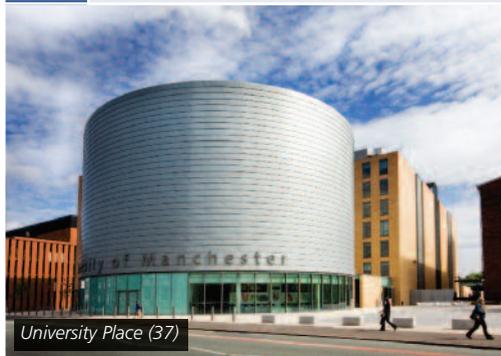
Throughout the day there will be the opportunity to tour the University Campus, University of Manchester Library, and postgraduate accommodation. You can also drop in and visit the Careers Service and sports facilities. Further details are on page 2.

Guided Tours



Campus Tours

Times	11.30am	12.30pm	1.30pm	2.30pm
Venue	Please meet in the square next to University Place (37). The tours will last around 30 minutes and will be led by current students.			



Accommodation Tours

Times	1.30pm	3.30pm
Venue	Please meet in the lobby of the George Kenyon Building (93). The tours will last around 20 minutes and will be led by a current student.	



University of Manchester Library Tours

Times	12noon	1pm	2pm
Venue	Please meet in the foyer of the Library (55), just inside the main entrance. The tours will last around 20 minutes and will be led by Library staff		



Drop-in Visits

Sports Facilities

Times	10am – 4pm
Venue	various locations

The University of Manchester has excellent sports facilities on campus and encourages students to participate in sport at various levels. Please feel free to drop in and visit our three main sports facilities: the Sugden Centre (22) and Aquatics Centre (next to 26), both on the main campus, and the Armitage Centre on Moseley Road (not on map – Fallowfield residential campus).



The Careers Service

Times	10am – 4.30pm
Venue	Crawford House (31)

Please feel free to drop in and look around the Careers Resource Centre any time. Entry is via the ground floor East Entrance of Crawford House.

The Careers Service helps students and graduates interested in improving their employability, by supporting them in finding part-time jobs, volunteering opportunities and work experience, as well as advising them in finding graduate jobs or going on to further study.

Services include: an extensive website, one of the largest university careers libraries in the UK, one-to-one advice and guidance appointments with consultants with expertise in a wide range of careers, opportunities for application feedback and practising interview skills and psychometric tests, vacancy advertising, mentoring programmes, information events, careers fairs and recruiter presentations.



Timetable of Central Talks



Plenary sessions – PG taught and PG research

Lecture Theatre A, University Place (37)

Times	Talk
10am	An Introduction to The University of Manchester Mike Gibbons, Director of Student Recruitment and International Development
10.30am	The Manchester Doctoral College Professor Matthew Lambon-Ralph
11am	Support services available to students i) Careers Service Elizabeth Wilkinson, Head of Postgraduate Career Development
11.15am	ii) Accommodation Paul Uncles, Head of Accommodation Administration Services

PG taught sessions

Lecture Theatre A, University Place (37)

Times	Talk
11.30am	Life as a PGT student Short talks from current/recent Humanities and Science students
12.10pm	Why undertake a PGT degree? Elizabeth Wilkinson, Head of Postgraduate Career Development
12.40pm	Funding opportunities for PGT students Chris Rea, Business Services Manager, Graduate Prospects

PG research sessions

Theatre 1, Crawford House (33)

Times	Talk
11:45am	Life as a PGR student Short talks from current Humanities and Science students, and a student studying in a Doctoral Training Centre
12:25pm	Why undertake a PGR degree? Professor Pete Bower, Institute of Population Health
12:40pm	Funding for research degrees James Power, Postgraduate Recruitment and Funding Officer, Faculty of Medical and Human Sciences
1pm	Researcher development for research students Dr Jim Boran, Researcher Development Manager, Faculty of Engineering and Physical Sciences

School events

School or Discipline area	Time	Event	Location
Archaeology	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject Presentation for PG taught applicants. Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	G4, Stephen Joseph Studio (66)
Art Gallery and Museum Studies	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject Presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	3.209, University Place (37)
School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	1.15 – 2.15pm	Talk for both MA and PhD applicants: talk will cover all subjects, and will cover all aspects including funding	G22, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)
	2 – 4pm	School stand for PG taught enquiries	Second floor, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)
	1 – 4pm	Research Directors will be available to speak to PhD applicants for all subjects.	Outside room G22, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)
Art History and Visual Studies	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants to include a meeting of the Manchester Art Group, in which visitors can participate Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	3.08, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)
Arts Management	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	4.10, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)
Chemical Engineering and Analytical Science	3.30pm	Meet academic staff and admissions tutors, and tour of facilities	Reception, James Chadwick Building (89)
Chemistry	1pm	Talk on postgraduate study	GE.05, Chemistry Building (61)
	1.30pm	Poster presentation	
	3pm	Tour of facilities	
Classics and Ancient History	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	A101, Samuel Alexander Building (67)



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Computer Science	2.30pm	Welcome followed by comprehensive overview of our MSc/PhD programmes Demonstration and the opportunity to meet academics – refreshments provided.	School of Computer Science, Kilburn Building (39)
Creative Writing	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	A3.6, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
Dentistry	1 – 4pm	Drop in session with course administrators and admissions staff	School of Dentistry, Coupland 3 Building (47), first floor
Drama	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	SU15, Martin Harris Centre (42)
Earth, Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences	2pm	Presentation on postgraduate programmes; tour and discussion of research facilities and the opportunity to meet current students	G.03 Williamson Building (52)
Economics	2.30 – 3.30pm	Presentation by programme directors Also see School of Social Sciences	1.008, Roscoe Building (53)
Education	2 – 2.30pm	Q&A Session on PGCE Secondary Education with programme director	C3.30, C Block third floor, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
	2 – 4pm	Academic staff will be on hand to answer questions on the following courses: MA Critical Learning Disability Studies, MA Education (International), MA TESOL, and MEd Psychology of Education	C3.20, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
	3 – 3.30pm	Q&A session on PGCE Primary Education with Professional Studies Course Leader	C3.30, C Block third floor, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
Electrical and Electronic Engineering*	2 – 4pm	Drop in session with Academic and Administrative staff	B29, Sackville Street Building (1)
English and American Studies	2.30 – 3.20pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	G22, Mansfield Cooper Building (65)

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School events

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Environment and Development (incorporating Architecture, Geography, Institute for Development Policy and Practice (IDPM) and Planning)	12 – 5pm	Welcome and information desk	Foyer, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	12 – 1pm	Postgraduate Research presentation (Covering Postgraduate research in Architecture, Geography, International Development and Planning and Environmental Management)	Second Floor Rhine Room, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	1 – 2pm	International Development: Social Development courses presentation (Covering MA Development Management, MA Social Policy and Social Development, MA Poverty, Conflict and Reconstruction, MSc Economics and Management of Rural Development, MSc Environment and Development, MSc Poverty and Development, MA Development Studies (Research Training) and MA Politics and Governance)	G32 Humanities Bridgeford Street (35)
	1 – 2pm	Planning and Environmental Management Presentation (All Planning and Environmental Management PG taught programmes)	G16, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	1 – 2pm	International Development: Management, Governance and Development Presentation (Covering MSc Human Resource Development, MSc Human Resource Management, MSc Management and Implementation of Development Projects and MSc Organisational Change and Development, MSc Human Resource Management and Development via Distance Learning)	G17, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	2 – 3pm	Development Economics and Policy Presentation (Covering MSc Globalisation and Development, MA Public Policy and Management, MSc Development Finance, MSc Industry, Trade and Development & MSc Competition, Regulation and Development)	G17, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	2 – 3pm	Geography Presentation (Covering all Geography PGT taught courses)	G35/36, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	2 – 3pm	Development Informatics Presentation (Covering MSc ICTS for Development, MSc Management and Information Systems and MSc Management and Information Systems by distance learning)	1.075 Arthur Lewis Building (36)



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History	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	A113, Samuel Alexander Building (67)
Humanitarian and Conflict Response Institute	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	A2.7, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
Linguistics and English Language	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	2.16, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
Law	1 – 3pm	Postgraduate taught programme representatives available for informal discussion Postgraduate research programme representatives available for informal discussion	3.51B, third floor, School of Law, Williamson Building (52)
Life Sciences	1:30 – 2pm	Welcome – PG research/PG taught opportunities talk with the Associate Dean for PG Research	Michael Smith Building Foyer (71)
	2 – 3pm	Guided tours of the Faculty buildings and facilities	
	2 – 3:30pm	Information desks outlining PG taught and PG research opportunities; current students, admissions staff, programme directors and PhD supervisors available to answer questions and for informal discussions	
Manchester Business School	1 – 3pm	Course desks for PG taught, PG research and MBA programmes and the opportunity to talk to staff and students	The Atrium, MBS East (26)
	2pm	Presentations: Accounting and Finance	B10, MBS East
	2pm	People, Management and Organisations	B3, MBS East
	2pm	MSc Healthcare Management	B1, MBS East
	2pm	MSc Management	B4, MBS East
	2pm	Research programmes	B2, MBS East
	2.30pm	Comparative and International Business	B10, MBS East
	2.30pm	Marketing, Operations and Corporate Communications	B3, MBS East
	2.30pm	Innovation Management and Policy	B1, MBS East
	2.30pm	Careers	B2, MBS East
	2.30pm	MSc Business Administration (MBA): Opportunities for British 'Young Potential Leaders'	B5, MBS East
	3 – 4pm	Tour of MBS Facilities	

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Materials	2pm	Presentations and meetings with programme directors, and tour of facilities	D20, Materials Science Centre (25)
Mathematics	1.30pm	Registration followed by an Introduction to Postgraduate Study in Mathematics at Manchester	Frank Adams Room, first floor, Alan Turing Building (46)
	2.20pm	Introduction to the Postgraduate Programme Directors followed by refreshments on Atrium Bridge with the opportunity for informal discussion of our programmes with academics and current students	
	3.45pm	Tour of the Alan Turing Building	
Mechanical, Aerospace and Civil Engineering*		Information and welcome to take place all afternoon	Foyer, George Begg Building (17)
	2 – 4pm	Poster display of current student projects, and the opportunity to meet students and discuss their projects	
	2.30 – 3pm	Introduction to Postgraduate programmes in the School	
	3 – 4pm	Tours of labs with current students / Q&A session	
Medicine Manchester Medical School and Institutes of: Brain Behaviour & Mental Health Cancer Sciences Cardiovascular Sciences Human Development Inflammation & Repair Population Health	1 – 4pm	Information desks for enquiries about taught and research programmes within the School of Medicine	Room 1.221 Stopford Building (79)
	1.30 – 2.30pm	Academic and admissions staff will be available to answer queries and offer one to one advice	
	2pm	Opportunity to meet with current PG taught and PG research students	
	2.20pm	Presentation and Q&A session with MRes programme directors and current students	
		Tour of the MRes lab facilities and buildings	
Modern Languages	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	2.6, Ellen Wilkinson Building (77)
Music	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	SU14, Martin Harris Building (42)

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Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work	12 noon – 4pm	Welcome and information desk; admissions and academic staff available	Atrium, Jean McFarlane Building (92)
	1 – 2pm	Presentation on the MA Social Work	6.207, University Place (37)
Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	2 – 4pm	School Admissions staff available to provide application advice and informal discussion	Graduate Office 2.019F, second floor, Stopford Building (79)
Philosophy	2.30 – 3.30pm	Presentation by programme directors Also see School of Social Sciences	4.050, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
Physics and Astronomy	12 – 2pm	Welcome and Information Desk	Schuster Building (54)
	2pm onwards	Presentation by Director of Postgraduate Studies	
	2.20pm	Nanoscience DTC PhD	
	3pm	Alumni talk	
	3.20pm	Nuclear EngD by EngD Programme Manager	
	3.45pm	MSc in Nuclear Science and Technology	
	3 – 5pm	Representative from each research group available to meet potential students Foyer, Schuster Building (54)	
Politics, including Political Economy	2 – 3pm	Presentation by programme directors (Also see School of Social Sciences)	G.34, Humanities Bridgeford Street (35)
Psychological Sciences	1– 4pm	Information desk	G1, Coupland 1 Building (43)
	2 – 3.30pm	School of Psychological Sciences Subject Presentation (including MRes Psychology, MSc Cognitive Brain Imaging, MSc Clinical and Health Psychology and PhD programmes)	1.218, University Place (37)

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Religions and Theology	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	W3.13, Samuel Alexander Building (67)
Social Anthropology, including Visual Anthropology	2pm	MA Social Anthropology, MA Anthropological Research and PhD Social Anthropology	G.020, Granada Centre for Visual Anthropology, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
	3.15pm	MA Visual Anthropology Also see School of Social Sciences	
School of Social Sciences	2 – 3.30pm	Student Information Desk	Ground floor foyer, Arthur Lewis Building (36)
Social Statistics and Social Change (see also School of Social Sciences)	2 – 3pm	Presentation by programme directors	G.35, Humanities Bridgeford Street (35)
Sociology (see also School of Social Sciences)	2.30 – 3pm	Presentation by programme directors	4.031, Arthur Lewis Building (36) Please report to reception on fourth floor
Translation, Interpreting & Intercultural Communication	2.30 – 3.30pm	Subject presentation for PG taught applicants Also see School of Arts, Languages and Cultures	A114, Samuel Alexander Building (67)

More Information



All the activities outlined in this programme are designed to give you a flavour of the exciting opportunities on offer here at The University of Manchester. We recommend that you take the time to participate in as many of them as possible, and hope that you have an enjoyable and informative day. Should you need any further assistance or information during the day, please make your way to University Place, where staff will be happy to help.

Student Helpers

On the day, look out for the Student Helpers dressed in purple around campus, who will be glad to help you.

Visitors with Disabilities or Special Requirements

The campus is generally accessible for those with mobility difficulties, although there are a few areas where problems may occur. If you have any additional support needs as a result of a disability, medical condition or specific learning difficulty we will try to provide you with whatever assistance you require.

Please talk to a member of staff on the 'Ask Me' desk in University Place (37).

Meals and Refreshments

There is a wide range of food available in and around campus, but here are a few suggestions:

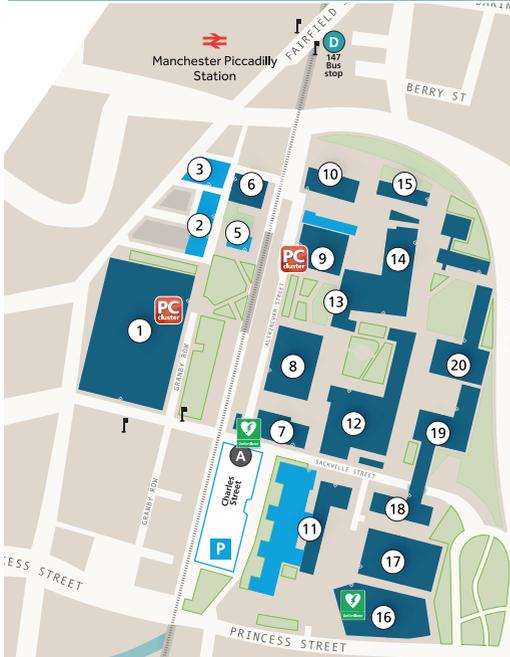
- Eros Café and EATS Restaurant
Foyer of University Place (37)
- Chancellors at Christie's Bistro
Christie Building (58)
- Biko's Café Students' Union (68)
- Kro Bar Opposite the Students' Union (68)
- Café Muse Manchester Museum (44)

In an Emergency

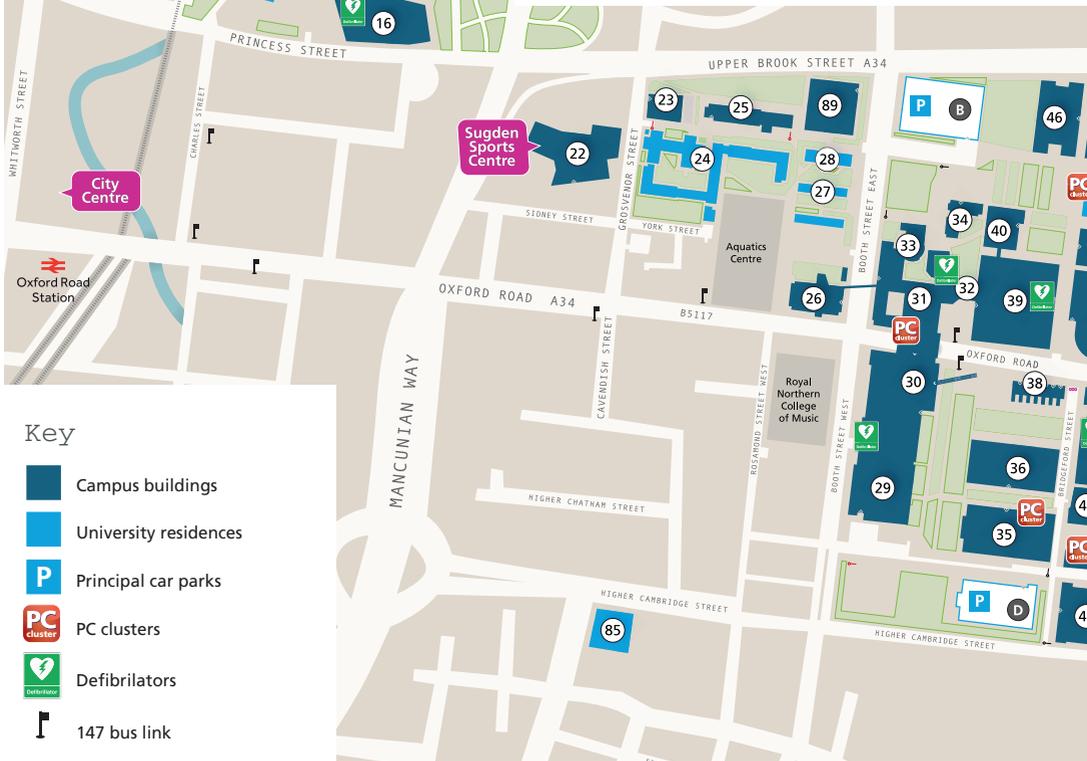
Contact the nearest member of University staff. First aid cover is provided by the University's Security Services, telephone (internal) 69966, (external) 0161 306 9966. In the event of a fire alarm, you are requested to vacate the building you are in immediately, by the nearest exit. Do not use the lifts and remain outside until informed by a member of staff that you may re-enter.



Map



- 63 Alan Gilbert Learning Commons
- 46 Alan Turing Building
- 76 AQA
- 36 Arthur Lewis Building
- 75 AV Hill Building
- 73 Avila House RC Chaplaincy
- 9 Barnes Wallis Building
- 49 Beyer Building
- 27 Bowden Court
- 56 Burlington Rooms
- 88 Carys Bannister Building
- 5 Chandos Hall
- 89 Chemical Engineering and Analytical Sciences
- 61 Chemistry Building
- 58 Christie Building
- 86 Core Technology Facility
- 43 Coupland Building 1
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- 31 Crawford House
- 33 Crawford House Lecture Theatres
- 87 Denmark Building
- 41 Dental School and Hospital
- 30 Devonshire House
- 70 Dover Street Building
- 62 Dryden Street Nursery
- 6 Echoes Day Nursery
- 77 Ellen Wilkinson Building
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- 3 Fairfield Hall
- 20 Ferranti Building
- 17 George Begg Building
- 93 George Kenyon Building and Hall of Residence
- 24 Grosvenor Halls of Residences

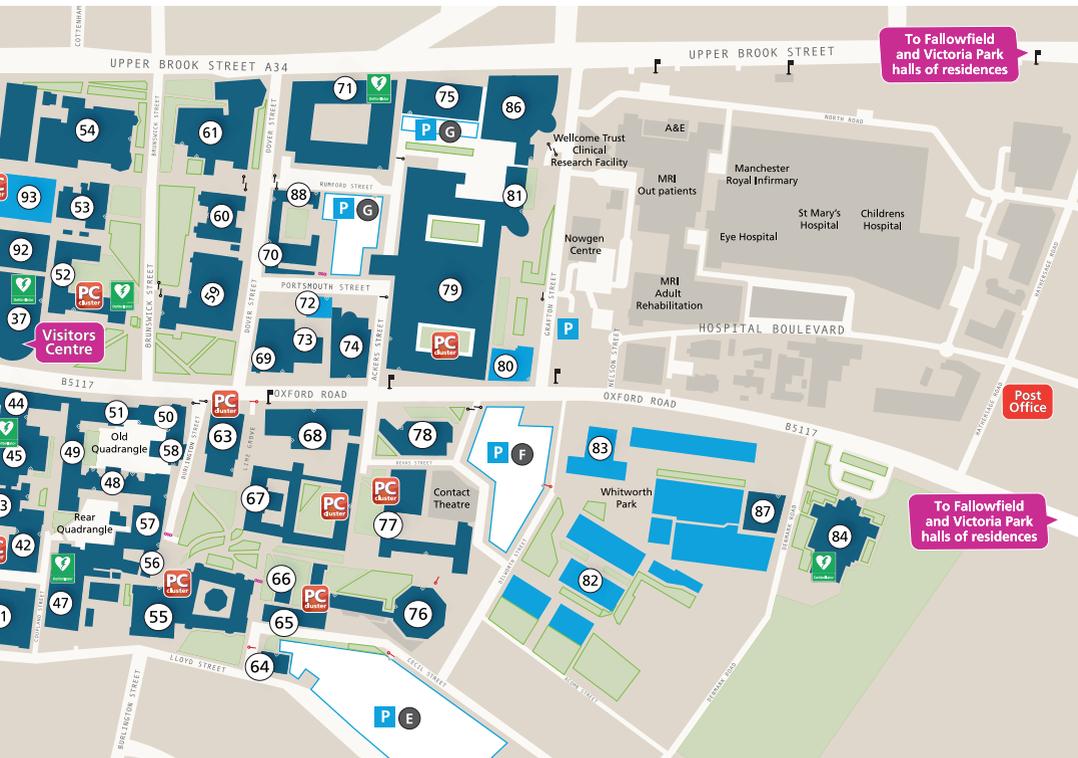


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-  Campus buildings
-  University residences
-  Principal car parks
-  PC clusters
-  Defibrillators
-  147 bus link



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| 83 Grove House | 16 Manchester Interdisciplinary Biocentre | 53 Roscoe Building | 11 The Manchester Conference Centre |
| 29 Harold Hankins Building | 44 Manchester Museum | 45 Rutherford Building | 81 The Manchester Incubator Building |
| 74 Holy Name Church | 65 Mansfield Cooper Building | 1 Sackville Street Building | 14 The Mill |
| 80 Horniman House | 42 Martin Harris Centre for Music and Drama | 67 Samuel Alexander Building | 37 University Place |
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| 40 Information Technology Building | 91 McDougall Centre | 54 Schuster Building | 11 Weston Hall |
| 89 James Chadwick Building | 71 Michael Smith Building | 59 Simon Building | 84 Whitworth Art Gallery |
| 92 Jean McFarlane Building | 10 Moffat Building | 32 St Peter's House/Chaplaincy | 51 Whitworth Building |
| 16 John Garside Building | 15 Morton Laboratory | 13 Staff House Sackville Street | 50 Whitworth Hall |
| 48 John Owens Building | 23 Oddfellows Hall | 66 Stephen Joseph Studio | 82 Whitworth Park Halls of Residence |
| 39 Kilburn Building | 85 Opal Hall | 79 Stopford Building | 69 William Kay House |
| 2 Lambert Hall | 7 Paper Science Building | 57 Student Services Centre | 52 Williamson Building |
| 63 Learning Commons | 12 Pariser Building | 9 Students' Union (North) | 9 Wright Robinson Hall |
| 55 Main Library | 30 Precinct Shopping Centre | 68 Students' Union Oxford Road | 60 Zochonis Building |
| 26 Manchester Business School East | 34 Prospect House | 22 Sudgen Sports Centre | |
| 29 Manchester Business School West | 8 Renold Building | 78 The Academy | |
| | 28 Ronson Hall | | |



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