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# UU Admissions

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# Review of Admissions 2020

- Pre Lockdown
  - On time Application numbers up, slightly
  - New Games Design, Screen Production, Sport, Health Sciences
  - HPAT test complete, Interviews started (Social Work, Nursing, Community Youth Work)
- Post Lockdown
  - Immediate move to online interviews
  - Firm choices (Computing, Architecture)
  - Online processing (qualification and ID checks)
  - Unconditional offer making (July 2020)
  - Results Day followed by CAGs
  - Clearing (applications up, accepted applications significantly up)
  - Departure of Head of Admissions

# Admissions 2021 so far

- Application numbers
  - Significant uplift in applications for September 2021 entry
  - Games Design, Criminology, Law (BT), Engineering (incl Civil), S&ES, Accounting & Finance & Economics, Marine Science, HEALTH!!
  - Graduate Entry Medicine (70) & Paramedic Science (40)
- Additional selection
  - HPAT 2021 & GAMSAT (plus MMIs)
  - Interviews (Nursing, Social Work, CYW, Paramedic Science)
  - Belfast School of Art Portfolio (incl Architecture)

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## Admissions 2021 – what next?

- Nursing – interviews currently ongoing; majority to be submitted 1 March 2021 @ 23.59
- Social Work – majority interviewed, final batch next week
- Paramedic Science – personal statements scored, interview invites to be issued soon
- HPAT – currently being marked by Acer
- Health related offer making – when??
- School of Art offers to be issued in early March



Hi Ronan,

I am pleased to advise that you have received an unconditional offer for a place on Physiotherapy (B160) at Ulster University.

Please login to [UCAS Track](#) to track any changes to your offer. Your UCAS Personal ID is 1987263540.

Before enrolling onto Physiotherapy in September, if you haven't already done so, you will need to send us a copy of all qualifications you have received and declared on your UCAS application, e.g. GCSEs and A Levels or equivalent.

#### Fees and Funding

Details on Tuition Fees can be found [here](#). Student Finance may be available depending on your circumstances. Contact [Student Finance NI](#) for more information.

#### Make your choice

Once you have heard back from all your choices you need to choose one firm (first) choice and one insurance (second) choice. You must then decline any other offers you may have.

#### Important dates

The deadline for decisions will be linked to the last offer you received from UCAS. Please note if you do not reply within the time frame set and advised to you by UCAS, your offer will be declined by default so it is important to be aware of the decision dates. Details are provided below:

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## Admissions 2021 – beyond offer making

- Firm or Insurance at Ulster – what to expect next
- Early unconditional offer making?
- Results Day – week beginning 10 August (England)
- Clearing 2021
- Accept your place!
- Belfast Campus and Welcome Week

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Hi Ronan,

UCAS Personal ID - 1987263540

I am delighted that you have made Physiotherapy (B160) at Ulster a firm choice and we really hope to see you here in September. In these uncertain times, please let me assure you that the University is working closely with government, UCAS and the wide range of awarding bodies to ensure fairness in the grades that are awarded in lieu of GCSE, A level and other Level 3 examinations. Please keep an eye on your emails as we will be providing further updates as and when we get them.

#### What do I need to do now?

Ulster University is required to verify qualifications you have declared on your UCAS application. If you are taking A Levels or Pearson BTECs, UCAS will provide us with these at the same time you get them, so there is no need for you to worry about letting us know these results.

UCAS, however, do not have GCSE results, so can you please send in a copy of your GCSE results via [this form](#).

#### Photographic Identification - Important Information

The University is also required to authenticate the identification of all students prior to enrolment to enable to release of student finance. It is likely that there will be no on-campus delivery in Semester 1 of 2020/21 so in order to facilitate this ID check, can you also upload a copy of photographic I.D. (e.g. Passport or driving licence) to the form above at the same time as sending us your GCSE results. A photograph or scan will be sufficient.



Course Title: Physiotherapy  
Student Number: 1987263540

Dear Ronan,

Congratulations! We have confirmed your offer to study Physiotherapy (B160) at Ulster in September 2020.

#### What do I need to do now?

In order to secure your place at Ulster, please click on one of the following links:

[ACCEPT MY PLACE](#)

[DECLINE MY PLACE](#)

#### Verification of Identification and Qualifications

Ulster University is required to verify the identification of all of its students to enable student finance to be released. **If you haven't already done so, can you please upload a scanned copy of some photographic ID (passport or driving license for example) via [this form](#).**

#### Student accommodation at Ulster

Close to campus, safe, and competitively-priced, with support on hand whenever you need it, the student accommodation experience is designed to help you settle into university life and build friendships for life. If you require accommodation, more information is available at [ulster.ac.uk/accommodation](http://ulster.ac.uk/accommodation).



Hi Ronan,

Thank you for letting us know that you are taking up your offer to join Physiotherapy at Ulster University.

Please click the link below to find your joining instructions.

#### [JOINING INSTRUCTIONS](#)

This will bring you into a website which will provide you with more information on what you have to do next.

**Your student ID (B number) is B00351341.**

You will need this when uploading a photograph for your student card and for enrolling online. Your date of birth you input should be in DDMMYY format.

Please ensure you read all the information on the website carefully. This page will continue to be updated as we move towards the beginning of the academic year. Further information will be sent to you when the pages are updated to include details of your course inductions and how the learning will take place as we progress throughout the academic year.

Kind regards  
Ulster University

# Admissions 2022

- There's no going back??
  - HPAT 2022 (on campus, online or not at all?)
  - Interviews (on campus, online (Sonru or other))
    - Joint approach with QUB
- Transparency of acceptable qualifications (and equivalence)
- Qualifications queries: [m.smith@ulster.ac.uk](mailto:m.smith@ulster.ac.uk) (Martin Smith)