

**ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SINCE 1858** 

2009

Study in the Caribbean
Graduate from the University of London
Find out more at our Open Days – June 2009



# Fact file

- In 1858 the University of London became the first British university to allow students to sit for degrees regardless of where they studied.
- Between 1949-1969 University College of the West Indies awarded University of London degrees.
- Former students and alumni include six

  Nobel Prize winners, notably Derek Walcott,
- winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1992, and The Honourable Arthur N. R. Robinson, former President of Trinidad and Tobago.
- Over 4,900 students are studying in the Caribbean for a University of London degree.
- 45,000 students are studying in 180 countries, on more than 100 programmes.

# Welcome to the University of London External System Open Days in the Caribbean

Join our prestigious alumni by studying for a University of London degree wherever you live. You can become part of our learning community of over 4,900 students in the Caribbean.

Studying for a University of London degree by External study is the cost-effective and a convenient way to achieve an internationally recognized qualification.

Come and meet University of London academic and admission staff at our education fairs and find out how External study can:

### Fit your lifestyle

You can pace your studies to fit around family and work commitments. You can gain additional support for your studies from local colleges on a full- or part-time basis.

#### ■ Fit your location

You can study anywhere and choose to sit your examinations in any region of the world. We have a comprehensive network of examination centres across 180 countries. In the Caribbean region you can sit exams in Trinidad and Tobago, Antiqua and Barbuda, the Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda and Jamaica.

#### ■ Fit your finances

Your overall costs will be substantially lower than if you come to London to study full time. Moreover, you do not need to give up your job as the majority of students in the Caribbean continue working while they study.

If you live in Trinidad and Tobago, you can apply for financial assistance through the Government Assistance for Tuition Expenses Programme (GATE) to cover the cost of tuition at local institutions registered with the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago.

Typical costs to study for a degree though the University of London External System are given below. Please note that if you choose to attend a local college you will pay additional fees to those listed below.

Subject	Cost	Cost in local currency
MBA	£10,150	\$TT 89,524.90 \$JMD 1,314,532.02
LLM	£6,390	\$TT 56,363.71 \$JMD 827,416.60
BSc	£3,013	\$TT27,600.02 \$JMD 389,985.35

#### Profile: Sheldon Branche

'The primary reason for choosing the University of London External System was its flexibility for people already in a career or interested in changing careers, to study part-time with a reputable and outstanding institution.'



Sheldon is a Bachelor of Laws (LLB) graduate, he is currently an Attorney-at-Law

# How do I study?

You may study independently or attend classes on a full-time or part-time basis at a local teaching institution. For all programmes you will be sent an introductory package of study materials including past examination papers, and on many programmes you will have access to online study resources.

You will be assessed mainly by unseen written examinations which you can take locally.

#### **Entrance requirements**

For all programmes you must satisfy both the general entrance requirements as well as the course-specific requirements. Please see the individual prospectuses for full details or visit our website: www.londonexternal.ac.uk

# Undergraduate study

Our Access route and diplomas provide an entrance route to our undergraduate degrees for those who do not meet the entrance requirements. Our general entrance requirements are given in terms of UK GCSE/ GCE'O' level and 'A' level passes. The local equivalent entrance requirements are:

- The Caribbean Advanced Proficiency Examination (CAPE) (equivalent to GCE 'A' levels): full award of 6 units including 2 double-unit courses satisfies the full general entrance requirement for our undergraduate degree programmes.
- The equivalents for GCSE/CGE 'O' levels are: The Caribbean Secondary Education Certificate (grades I, II and III at the General Proficiency level), in and after June 1998 and the Caribbean Secondary Education



Certificate (grades I and II at the General Proficiency level), up to and including January 1998.

The Qualifications for Entrance section in our prospectus lists further qualifications from the West Indies which we also accept.

The deadline for receipt in London of application forms for undergraduate programmes is 17 September 2009, but we recommend that you apply as early as possible for your programme.

For the Diploma in Law you will need to apply direct to an institution which has 'Permission to teach' the programme, and they will have different application deadlines. Please see table on pages 6-7 for information on which institutions in the Caribbean teach for the Diploma in Law.

# Postgraduate study

For entrance requirements for postgraduate courses, please see the relevant individual prospectus. Please note that application deadline dates vary for postgraduate programmes.

# Come and meet us

Find out about studying in Trinidad and Tobago or Jamaica for a University of London degree and meet our staff at one of the following events:

## Friday 26 June, 12.30-18.00

■ The Atrium Long Circular Mall 51-53 Long Circular Road St. James, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago

## Saturday 27 June, 12.00-17.00

San Fernando Room Crowne Plaza Wrightson Rd & London St Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago

# At the Crowne Plaza you will have the opportunity to:

- Ask our panel of successful alumni about their experience of studying with us. Panels will run at 2.00pm and 3.30pm.
- Drop by any time to meet our academic and admission staff.
- Get help with your application.
- Bring along your completed application form, and we will advise on your likely eligibility for your chosen course. (Your eligibility will only be confirmed when you have submitted your completed application form and application fee direct to the Admissions Office in London.)
- Get your certificates (exam results) verified. If you bring along the originals and photocopies of your certificates, we will verify that the photocopies are true copies of

the originals. We will bring the photocopies back to the Admissions Office in London to support your completed application form and fee when we receive them

#### Tuesday 30 June, 12.00-17.00

■ Terra Nova All Suite Hotel 17 Waterloo Road Kingston 10, Jamaica

#### Hear from our alumni

The following alumni will be at the

## Crowne Plaza, Port of Spain, on 27 June

to answer any questions you may have about their experience of studying with the University of London External System.

#### Deborah Ragoonath-Rajkumar

Bachelor of Laws (LLB) Current occupation: Director, Tax Services Department, PricewaterhouseCoopers

#### Debra Coryat-Patton

Bachelor of Law (LLB) Current occupation: Political Officer, U.S. Department of State

#### Diane Julian

BSc Information Systems and Management, MSc Environmental Management Current occupation: Pharmacist, National Oil Company

#### Marlon Herry

**BSc Information Systems and Management** Current occupation: Business Analyst

# Institutions supporting students studying for University of London programmes in Trinidad and Jamaica

	Access route to degrees in Economics, Management, Finance and Social Sciences	Diploma in Computing and Information Systems	BSc in Computing and Information Systems	BSc Information Systems and Management
Trinidad and Tobago				
School of Business and Computer Science  53-54 Sagan Drive, Champs Fleurs  Tel: 001 868 622 1993 Fax: 001 868 622 9666  27-31 Fran Street, Cocoyea Village  Tel: 00 1 868 652 2388 Fax: 00 1 868 657 9704  Email: sbcs@carib-link.net, www.sbcstnt.com	V	V	V	V
Institute of Law and Academic Studies  7 Endeavour Road, Chaguanas  Tel: 001 868 672 8642 Fax: 001 868 672 8642  Email: ilas2@hotmail.com, www.ilastt.com				
K. Beckles & Associates, Law Tutors  12 Flament Street, Port of Spain Tel: 001 868 636 4192 Fax: 00 1 868 624 6793 Email: kbeckleslaws@yahoo.com				
Institute of Tertiary Tutors  # 4-6 Chancery Lane, San Fernando  Tel: 001 868 653 3945 Fax: 00 1 868 3945  Email: ceoitt@tstt.net.tt / queries@itt123.com  www.itt123.com	V		V	~
Academy of Tertiary Studies 34 Southern Main Road, Curepe Tel: 00 1 868 663 9495 Email: queries@atstnt.com, www.atstnt.com				~
College of Legal Studies  37 Eleanor Street, Chaguanas Tel: 00 1 868 687 6422 Email: thelegaleagle05@yahoo.com				
Jamaica				
University College of the Caribbean  17 Worthington Avenue, Kingston 5  Tel: 001 876 929 2830 Fax: 001 876 968 1926  Email: intlprogrammes@uccjm.com, www.uccjm.com				
Institute of Law and Economics  Townhouse #4, UTech, 237 Old Hope Road, Kingston 6  Tel: 001 876 977 6232 Fax: 001 876 977 4959  Email: info@ilejamaica.org, www.ilejamaica.org				
Caribbean Legal Practice Institute ■ 8 Dominica Drive, Kingston 5 Tel: 00 1 876 754 1976 Fax: 00 1 876 764 9643 Email: cariblegal@cwjamaica.com, www.clpiinstitute.com				

Please see below for a list of all institutions in Trinidad and Tobago and Jamaica and the courses for which they offer support. Please note that the University of London does not inspect or endorse any institutions or have any formal relationship with them, with the exception of

those that teach for the Diplomas in Computing and Information Systems, or Law. Listing by the University of London of an institution in Trinidad and Tobago does not indicate registration with the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago (ACTT).

BSc Management	BSc Banking and Finance	BSc Business	BSc Business Administration	BSc Management	BSc Geography and Environment	Diploma in Law	LLB	LLM	Postgraduate programmes in
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# Study programmes for 2009

The University of London offers a wide range of subjects for study at a distance; from full degree programmes to certificates and short courses. For further information please visit: www.londonexternal.ac.uk

### Undergraduate

- Accounting Accounting and **Finance**
- Accounting with Law Banking Banking and Finance Business ■ Business Administration ■ English
- Classical Studies Computing and Information Systems ■ Common Law
- Creative Computing Development

- Development and **Economics**
- Divinity Economics Economics and Finance
- Economics and Management ■ Finance French

French and German

Geography and Environment German

Economic Policy

Research

Environmental

Management

Educational and Social

- German and Italian
- History Information Systems Information Systems
- and Management International Relations
- Italian Italian and French Law
- Management Management with Law
- Mathematics Mathematics and **Economics**

- Philosophy
- Politics Politics and
  - International Relations
- Social Sciences
- Sociology
- Sociology with Law Spanish and Latin
- **American Studies**
- Theology

# **Postgraduate**

Agribusiness for Development Agricultural Economics Applied Educational Leadership and Management **Economics** Banking Biodiversity Conservation and

**Education** 

■ Clinical Trials

- Epidemiology Applied Environmental ■ Finance Finance and Financial Law Management Citizenship and History
  - Financial Sector Management Human Resource Management Infectious Diseases ■ Information Security

- International Business International
- International Management (China) International Primary
- Health Care I aw

Management

- Livestock Health and Production Managing Rural Development
- Organizational Psychology ■ Policy Studies

- Poverty Reduction:
- Policy and Practice ■ Public Financial Management
- Public Health ■ Public Management
- Public Policy and Management
- Quantitative Finance
- Sustainable Development Veterinary
  - Epidemiology and Public Health

All programmes offered through the External System are designed by academics at the University of London's constituent Colleges. Assessment is the responsibility of academics at these Colleges. Currently these include: Birkbeck, Goldsmiths, Heythrop College, Institute of Education, King's College London, The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, Queen Mary, Royal Holloway, Royal Veterinary College, School of Oriental and African Studies, and UCL (University College London).

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