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RESOURCE GUIDE 2

**Guide to postgraduate study in health sector
management disciplines in the United Kingdom**

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I INTRODUCTION

Dear Colleagues,

This handbook provides information on a selected sample of postgraduate courses and research attachments available in the United Kingdom, in disciplines related to the broad areas of health services management and information systems. It is particularly addressed to well qualified candidates seeking opportunities for postgraduate study in the U.K. from the Czech Republic, Slovakia and other countries in central and eastern Europe which are the focus of the European Community PHARE programme. The entries here offer potential students information to decide which courses of study they might wish to consider in more detail. Fuller information may be obtained by approaching the appropriate institutions directly.

The focus is on longer programmes of postgraduate study, often associated with the award of higher degrees not the more experiential and typically shorter management development programmes which are a common feature of the training of health sector managers in Western Europe. The programmes included are focused on the health sector and so exclude the very wide range of Masters in Business Administration programmes addressed to managers across sectors, but usually biased towards commercial and industrial management. As well as health management and information systems, programmes in the related disciplines of epidemiology, health economics, health finance and public health medicine are included. All the programmes listed are taught in English.

The guide has been prepared from the response to enquiries in March 1993. It does not aspire to be comprehensive. Information on programmes offered by other Universities can be found in their postgraduate study prospectuses.

some respect from the listed courses or who have a time constraint. This is also true of some independent institutions, like the King's Fund College itself, which has a particular interest in developing the faculty for Czech and Slovak health sector management development centres. Interested applicants are invited to apply directly to the institutions of interest to them to explore feasibility, cost and funding.

Registration for a postgraduate degree or a research attachment requires that the student's initial qualifications are of an acceptable standard, normally at least the equivalent of a second class honours degree from a university in the United Kingdom in a field appropriate to the particular course of study or research.

It is essential that students should have an adequate command of English language. Candidates applying for a place at a United Kingdom institution of higher education may be required to obtain an acceptable score in an approved English Language Test. The following English Language tests are approved by all UK universities:

1. Princeton Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

For information about this test write to:

Test of English as a Foreign Language
P. O. Box 6151
Princeton
New Jersey 08541 - 6151
USA

2. International English Language Testing System (IELTS)

Details of this test can be obtained from local British Council offices, e.g. in Praha or in Bratislava,

British Council	British Council	
Narodni 10	Panska 17	
12501 Praha 1	81101 Bratislava	or from:

The British Council,
10 Spring Gardens,
London SW1A 2BN
United Kingdom

FINANCIAL AID

It is almost impossible for an overseas student to obtain financial aid once he/she has arrived in the country where he/she intends to pursue further education. Candidates are therefore strongly advised to ensure, before leaving their home countries, that they have adequate funds available for the full duration of their studies. It is estimated that apart from academic fees, a student will need to allow approximately £6,500 to cover his/her living expenses per calendar year, that is, twelve months.

EXISTING SCHEMES:

Cambridge University Hospitality Scheme provides a grant for subsistence and book provision and free accommodation at a College in Cambridge for academics who wish to use the University's libraries and other facilities to further their research. This grant provides financial assistance for the duration of one month. The applicants must be teaching members of a University or Academy of Science Institute and be of post-doctorate status. There is no age limit. Application forms can be obtained from the British Council offices in Praha or Bratislava. This programme may be suitable for candidates wishing to pursue independent research in epidemiology.

Leverhulme Trust Post-doctorate Awards provide maintenance, external and internal travel allowances and academic fees for a 10 month research attachment to a British university. Applicants must be of post-doctoral status, be under the age of 35 and have been awarded a PhD in the last five years. This award is intended for

scholars in pure and applied sciences and medical research outside hospitals, e.g. epidemiology or public health. Further information may be obtained from local British Council offices.

T. G. Masaryk Scholarship Programme. Tenable at the University of London for a minimum period of 3 months and maximum period of 12 months, the scheme provides support for advanced and post-graduate research and study for Czech and Slovak graduates with leadership potential in their particular areas of work. Applications are invited from individuals currently working in government, the private sector, universities, or research institutes. The awards cover living expenses, academic fees and a contribution towards travel costs for short-term research attachments or for courses leading to formal qualifications such as Master of Science or Arts. Applicants for masters courses must be no more than 35 years of age. Application forms can be obtained from universities and other higher education institutions in the Czech and Slovak Republics, from the British Council in Praha or Bratislava or by contacting:

University of London
T. G. Masaryk Scholarship Programme
SSEES
Senate House
Malet Street
London WC1E 7HN

Oxford Colleges Hospitality Scheme supports Czech and Slovak scholars of appropriate distinction in their field of study to spend one month to further their research in libraries or scientific departments. The scheme provides free accommodation and subsistence but scholars must pay their own travel expenses. Application forms can be obtained from the British Council in Praha and Bratislava.

Training Awards Programme is directed at managers working in the public and private sectors in both the Czech Republic and Slovakia. The awards cover travel,

maintenance costs and academic fees. Applications should be made to the Know How Fund Unit at the British Council in Praha or Bratislava.

University of Warwick Scholarships for Eastern Europe provide support for scholars to undertake formal postgraduate courses or research programmes leading to PhD qualifications at the University of Warwick. Application forms are available at universities and other higher education institutions in the Czech Republic and Slovakia or may be obtained by writing to:

The Academic Registrar
Senate House
University of Warwick
Coventry CV4 7AL

OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING

Information about available scholarships can normally be obtained from the Ministries of Education and Health in the Czech Republic and Slovakia, from a representative of the British Council, the relevant country's Embassy or the European Community Delegation in Praha or Bratislava. Some long term and short term training may be supported through the many existing European Community programmes for example TEMPUS and PHARE. Sources of support include the British Government's Technical Cooperation Training Scheme, the World Health Organisation, one of the other specialised agencies of the United Nations such as UNICEF or ILO, and the World Bank. Some awards require nomination through the candidate's own government. Other sources which may be worth investigating are direct government assistance from the candidate's own country, his/her university, and some commercial and industrial firms.

USEFUL PUBLICATIONS:

Some publications giving useful information about awards are:

The Grant Register
Macmillan Publishers Ltd
Brunel Road
Houndmills
Basingstoke
Hants, RG21 2XS

The Directory or Grant-Making Trusts, published by Charities Aid Foundation
48 Pembury Road
Tonbridge
Kent, TN9 2JD

Study Abroad, published by
UNESCO
7 Place de Fontenoy
75700 Paris
France

II POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES BY UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT CENTRE
UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM PARK HOUSE
40 EDGBASTON PARK ROAD
BIRMINGHAM B15 2RT
UNITED KINGDOM
TEL: (44) 21 455 7511
FAX: (44) 21 456 3592

MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSocSc Health Care Policy and Management.

Course content:

A programme tailored to the needs of students wishing to specialise in health care policy and management. The programme consists of two core courses: Advanced Health Care Policy and Health Care Management, plus an option chosen from a wide range of courses. The core courses focus on health care delivery, quality assurance, need and demand for health, measurement and determinants of health and public accountability. Other areas studied include health care planning and financing, clinical budgeting, information systems and performance indicators.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates from a variety of backgrounds relevant to health care policy.

Method of assessment:

Assessment is by 3,000 and 6,000 word extended essays, plus 10,000 word dissertation.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university upper second-class honours degree. Professional qualifications and work experience may be taken into account in appropriate cases.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £5,550 approx.

SHORT COURSES:

The International Hospital Federation course for senior hospital and health service managers.

Course content:

The course offers an eight-week core programme of general management focusing on -human resources, planning and information, financial resources, performance and quality, problem solving and project management. The optional programme gives the choice of operational management, leadership or quality management.

Duration: 10 weeks; direct entry to the two-week options for those with previous management education.

Student profile:

Senior managers in any health profession.

A joint Health Services Management Centre and International Hospital Federation certificate on completion of the course.

Method of assessment:

Suitable applicants can register for a University of Birmingham Postgraduate Certificate in Health Management. Details available on request.

Entry requirements:

Applicants are senior professionals with experience of management, an excellent command of English language and are typically between 30-50 years old.

Cost:

Between £7,000 and £8,000 including all living expenses.

For further information on all the above courses and application forms, please contact:

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM
HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT CENTRE
PARK HOUSE
40 EDGBASTON PARK ROAD
BIRMINGHAM
B15 2RT
UNITED KINGDOM
TEL: (44) 21 414 3174
FAX: (44) 21 414 3176

BRUNEL UNIVERSITY

BRUNEL UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT
UXBRIDGE
MIDDLESEX UB8 3PH

TEL: (44) 895 274 000

FAX: (44) 895 812 595

MASTER OF ARTS PROGRAMME:

MA Public and Social Administration.

Course content:

The course analyses policy development, the nature of the institutions through which provisions are made, the process of service delivery and the impact of policies on particular groups of consumers and on the public. Subjects taught include financial management, auditing and efficiency, organisational concepts and health service policy and organisation.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Public or voluntary sector managers, academics and researchers with background in a variety of disciplines.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 7.5

Cost:

Academic fees £ 5,640

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSC in Financial Management in the Public Sector.

Course content:

This course provides a rigorous academic treatment of financial management in the public sector. It aims to equip students with analytical skills and knowledge relevant to a financial management career within the public sector. Specialist subject options include public sector economics; accounting, project appraisal and resource allocation; health economics; modelling financial decisions and markets.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Economists in government departments and public institutions on regional or district levels, academics and others concerned with financial management.

Methods of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree in economics or an appropriate subject with a quantitative or analytical content at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 7.5

For further information and applications forms, please contact:

**THE COURSE SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT
BRUNEL UNIVERSITY
UXBRIDGE
MIDDLESEX UB8 3PH
UNITED KINGDOM**

TEL: (44) 895 274 000

FAX: (44) 895 812 595

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
4 MILL LANE
CAMBRIDGE CB2 1RZ
UNITED KINGDOM

MASTERS OF PHILOSOPHY PROGRAMME:

M Phil Epidemiology.

Course Content:

Basic methodology, including prevalence and incidence, design and analysis of case control, cohort and intervention studies; vital and health statistics; government and central monitoring; primary prevention - aetiological studies, case control, cohort, design and analysis of intervention studies; secondary prevention - screening principles, methodological issues, practical issues, evaluation, randomized controlled trials; tertiary prevention - health services research.

The course includes a substantial biostatistic and computing component: measures of disease risk and disease exposure association; theory of inference; data management in field studies, including specialised epidemiological software.

Duration: 12 months

Method of assessment:

Written examination, course work and a thesis.

Student profile: Graduates of Medicine or relevant sciences

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine or dentistry.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600
or
IELTS 7

Cost:

Academic fees £15,149

For further information and applications forms, please contact in writing:

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE BOARD OF GRADUATE STUDIES
4 MILL LANE
CAMBRIDGE CB2 1RZ
UNITED KINGDOM

UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE

NINEWELLS HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL SCHOOL
DUNDEE DD1 9SY
SCOTLAND
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 382 623124
FAX: (44) 382 644197

MASTER'S PROGRAMME:

Master of Public Health (MPH)

Course content:

The course comprises instruction in subjects which together constitute a common core curriculum for all post graduate study in the department, namely epidemiology, statistics, research methods, behavioural sciences and health promotion, environmental and occupational health and the theory and practice of management in relation to health care systems.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, dentistry, nursing and health related sciences.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written and oral examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine or dentistry. In exceptional circumstances, non-medical degree may be acceptable.

English language test score:

TOEFL 600
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fee - £11,500

For further information and application forms, please contact:

THE SECRETARY
POSTGRADUATE OFFICE
UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE
CROSS ROW
DUNDEE DD1 4HN
SCOTLAND
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 382 23181
FAX: (44) 382 644197

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

MEDICAL SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
TEVIOT PLACE
EDINBURGH EH8 9AG
SCOTLAND
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 31 650 3227

FAX: (44) 31 667 6129

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc/Diploma Community Health.

Course content:

The aim of this course is to provide students with knowledge and skills of the public health sciences so that they are able to define, critically assess and resolve public health problems. This course is equivalent to a Master of Public Health (MPH) degree. By using the range of elective modules available, the course is equally suitable for participants with a career with emphasis on research methods (epidemiology, medical statistics and evaluation) or whose future lies in public health practice.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Medical graduates or non-medical graduates preferably with two years' relevant postgraduate experience.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine or non-medical graduates with appropriate postgraduate experience.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550

or

IELTS 6

Cost Academic fees £7,560

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc/Diploma in Health Promotion and Health Education.

Course content:

The aims of this course are to introduce the concepts underlying health promotion theory and practice, to identify the scope and purpose of health promotion including health education, prevention and health protection, to provide opportunities for critical review and analysis of current approaches in health promotion, and to enable students to acquire knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary to plan, implement and evaluate health promotion activities and research.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates with appropriate degree or professional qualification and relevant experience.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree or equivalent professional qualification.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550

or

IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £7,560

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc/Diploma Health Sciences.

Course content:

The course aims to equip candidates with the ability to analyse and evaluate selected topics which are related to human performance. This will be achieved by developing abilities to analyse critically the work of the professions allied to medicine and being able to understand the way in which the effectiveness of therapeutic interventions as well as those designed to prevent disease and promote health, are evaluated.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Members of professions allied to medicine.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree in a subject allied to medicine and at least two years post-qualification experience in an appropriate field.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550

or

IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £7,560

For further information and application forms, please contact:

POSTGRADUATE STUDIES SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH SCIENCES
UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH MEDICAL SCHOOL
TEVIOT PLACE
EDINBURGH EH8 9AG
SCOTLAND
UNITED KINGDOM
TEL: (44) 31 650 3227
FAX: (44) 31 667 6129

UNIVERSITY OF HULL

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL POLICY AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF HULL
HULL
HU6 7RX
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 482 465 779
FAX: (44) 482 466 366

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Services Research.

Course content:

The main objective of the course is to provide students with skills necessary to health services decision-making through taught courses which include research methods, management information and decision support systems, health administration, and health policy. Instruction is provided not only by academics of the University but also by health service practitioners.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates with varied professional backgrounds who are working, or intend to work, in the area of health policy either at governmental, regional or district levels, or who are academics and researchers in higher education institutions.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a research project.

Entry requirements:

Relevant university degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees - £5,500

HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT TRAINING PROGRAMME:

Diploma in Health Services Management (DipHSM)

Course content:

Designed specifically to meet the basic management training needs of public and private sector health service personnel who wish to enhance their skills and consolidate their experience, the twelve course modules are arranged into three groups: background skills and the environment of health services; the organisational context of health services management; management skills and organisational functions. Instruction is provided by University staff and health service practitioners and the programme is jointly managed by University and Health Authority representatives.

Duration: 24 months part-time

Student profile:

Applicants normally are employed in a management or supervisory position in the health care/services field e.g. as ward managers, unit managers, service co-ordinators. The standard requirement is that they should have either a degree or a professional qualification of equivalent standard.

Method of assessment:

Each of the twelve modules is assessed by a specific course assignment such as an essay, a report, a small project. Credits are awarded for each successfully completed module and these are accumulated by those wishing to qualify for the Diploma. Exceptional candidates may be exempted from certain modules by furnishing evidence for consideration for APL (Accreditation of prior learning).

Entry requirements:

Applicants must satisfy the programme's joint managers as to their fitness to undertake the course of training. Normally they should have (a) a degree or (b) a professional qualification or (c) appropriate professional experience and be currently employed in a management/supervisory position in the health services field.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £1,800

HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT TRAINING PROGRAMME:

Health Services Management Modules (Credited)

Module content:

Each of the twelve modules of the DipHSM can be taken separately as a free-standing short course or as part of the MSc Health Services Research. The following modules are available: The Environment of Health; Economics of Health; Research and Statistics for Health Service Managers; Law and the Health Services; Finances, Resource Allocation and Budgeting; Business Planning and Contracting; Managing Relations between Agencies; Human Resources and Health Care; Information Management and Audit; Managing Change; Managing People; Personal and Professional Development.

Duration: 6 to 8 weeks per module

Student profile:

People employed in a management or supervisory capacity in the health care/services field.

Method of assessment:

Each module is assessed by a specific course assignment such as an essay, a report or a small project. Credits may be awarded for each successfully completed module.

Entry requirements:

Normally candidates should have (a) a degree or (b) a professional qualification or (c) appropriate professional experience and be currently employed in a management/supervisory position in the health services field. MSc Health Services Research students may, subject to special permission from the course Director, take one or more of the modules as part of the MSc course.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £200 per module

For further information and application forms, please contact:

**COURSE DIRECTOR (PROFESSOR ANDY ALAZEWSKI)
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL POLICY AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF HULL
HULL
HU6 7RX
UNITED KINGDOM**

**TEL: (44) 482 465 779
FAX: (44) 482 466 366**

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

NUFFIELD INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH
FAIRBAIRN HOUSE
71-75 CLARENDON ROAD
LEEDS LS2 9PL
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 532 459 034
FAX: (44) 532 460 899

MASTER OF ARTS PROGRAMME:

MA Health Services Studies.

Course content:

Multidisciplinary in nature, the course is designed to generate a deep understanding of health and the services and conditions which best promote it. These objectives are pursued through the application of medical and social scientific analysis to current issues in the organisation and delivery of health care and health related activities and in critical review of these practices for future policy. The subjects studied include theories and practice of health management, health and disease and social policy.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Candidates are those already engaged in health related careers with degrees in medicine, social or behavioural sciences.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 500
or
IELTS 5.5

Cost:

Fee £5,550

For further information on this course and application forms, please contact:

INFORMATION AND ADMISSIONS OFFICE
NUFFIELD INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH
FAIRBAIRN HOUSE
71-75 CLARENDON ROAD
LEEDS LS2 9PL
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 532 459 034
FAX: (44) 532 460 899

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMME:

Master of Public Health.

Course content:

The course consists of modules concerned with politics and health, management theory and practice, epidemiology and statistics, preventive medicine and health promotion.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Students have a background in a broad range of health related disciplines and have very good numerical skills.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a second class honours degree from a British university.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 500
or
IELTS 5.5

Cost:

Fee £5,550

For further information and application forms for this programme, please contact:

**INFORMATION AND ADMISSIONS OFFICE
MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH COURSE (SCHEME A)
NUFFIELD INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH
71-75 CLARENDON ROAD
LEEDS LS2 9PL
UNITED KINGDOM**

**TEL: (44) 532 459 034
FAX: (44) 532 460 899**

LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS & POLITICAL SCIENCE
(UNIVERSITY OF LONDON)

LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE
HOUGHTON STREET
LONDON WC2 2AE
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 71 955 7106/7154/7159/7160
FAX: (44) 71 831 1684

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Planning and Financing.

Course content:

A combination of subjects from medical, epidemiological and social science programmes which enables students to develop knowledge and expertise in the disciplines required to formulate health policies and for planning, financing and managing the health sector. This course is taught jointly with the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine and includes training in epidemiology, health economics, health financing and community health.

Duration: One academic year

Student profile:

University graduates in medicine, dentistry, or an appropriate social science discipline.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a report.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university first-class or upper second-class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £8,745 session 1993/4

Applications may be eligible for financial assistance under the terms of the Masaryk Scholarship Programme.

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Analysis, Design and Management of Information Systems.

Contents:

An advanced course aimed at providing a sound understanding of the issues, approaches and tools for information systems development and operation within organisations. It presents a balance between the management and technical aspects that impact on the practice and theory of information systems.

The core curriculum focuses on information systems management, systems analysis and design, and the application of information technology in business.

Duration: One calendar year

Student profile:

Students come from a variety of backgrounds but must have a sound knowledge of information technology.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university first-class or upper second-class honours degree.

English language test results:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £6,990 session 1993/4

Applicants may be eligible for financial assistance under the terms of the Masaryk Scholarship Programme.

For further information and application forms, please contact:

**THE GRADUATE ADMISSIONS OFFICE
LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE
HOUGHTON STREET
LONDON WC2 2AE,
UNITED KINGDOM**

**TEL: (44) 71 955 7106/7154/7159/7160
FAX: (44) 71 831 1684**

LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE (UNIVERSITY OF LONDON)

LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE
KEPPEL STREET
LONDON WC1E 7HT
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 71 927 2239

FAX: (44) 71 323 0638

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Planning and Financing.

Course content:

The course focuses on the multidisciplinary skills required to work in health policy, management, planning, financing and economics of health care. Participants concentrate on issues of central concern to health care systems in transition. The health planning and financing course is compulsory and three other choices are made from courses in health economics, health services research, social science methods and epidemiology. This course is taught jointly with the London School of Economics and Political Science.

Duration: 10 months

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, nursing and related health disciplines, science, social science and economics. Many have had considerable experience in the health sector.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and a report.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university first class or upper-second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 600

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees - £ 8,385

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Promotion.

Course content:

Health promotion is concerned with disease prevention, health education and health maintenance. The course aims to provide the students with the ability to appraise the rationale of the various investment options in health promotion and the ability to evaluate their effectiveness.

Compulsory courses include health promotion, epidemiology, statistics, psychology and sociology of health, health economics and health policy. Students with no biomedical experience are required to take the subject Biology of Health and Disease.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, science or a related subject.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and project report.

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine, science or a related subject of a standard equivalent to a second class honours degree from a British university.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees - £10,500 (1993-94)

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Services Management.

Course content:

The general aim of the course is to provide an academic foundation for the understanding and practice of Health Services Management. Its objectives are:

- to develop knowledge of the scientific methods relevant to strategic management;
- to develop capacity to draw on information to analyse the pattern of diseases, assess interventions and evaluate outcomes;
- to develop capacities for health needs assessment, priorities setting, planning, purchase and provision of services in the context of primary, secondary and tertiary care.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, science or related subjects.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a project report.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British upper-second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £10,500 (1993/94)

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Public Health Medicine.

Course content:

Public health medicine is concerned with the promotion of health and prevention of disease, the assessment of health needs of communities, the provision and evaluation of services to communities and the investigation and control of environmental threats to health. The core courses include epidemiology, statistics, health promotion, health services research, social science methods and health economics. Further to these, students choose from a wide range of courses including those on organisation and management of health care, communicable and non-communicable disease control, design and management of research and health care evaluation.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Mostly UK medically qualified graduates working in academic or service departments of public health.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a project report.

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary surgery or an approved university degree in other appropriate disciplines.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees - £12,000 (1993-94) Field course fee - £ 370 (1993-94)

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Epidemiology.

Course content:

This course provides training for future epidemiological specialists in academic departments, research units or health services. The core course deals with the general methods for describing the health of populations, aetiological research, and provides the information base for planning and evaluating health policies. Optional courses explore epidemiological methods and applications in a range of special fields. These span communicable and non-communicable diseases.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, veterinary science, dentistry, medical statistics or other relevant subjects.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary science or other relevant subject and at least two years experience in the medical field.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £10,500 (1993-94)

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Medical Statistics.

Course content:

This course prepares participants for work as statisticians in medical schools, the pharmaceutical industry, medical research institutes and the health services. It provides a training in both the theory and the practice of statistics with special reference to clinical trials, epidemiology and clinical or laboratory research. Taught subjects include regression, clinical trial design, data management, epidemiology, analysis of variance, statistical consultancy, statistical programming, computing and statistical packages.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates with a mathematically-based first degree.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a project report.

Entry requirements:

University degree which is mathematically based and equivalent to a British second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £7,700 (1993-94)

For further information and applications forms, please
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LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE
KEPPEL STREET
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UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 71 927 2239
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SHORT COURSE PROGRAMMES:

Advanced Epidemiological Methods.

Course content:

The course presents the state of the art developments in statistical methodology for the design and analysis of epidemiological studies. Participants in this two week programme are given a thorough grounding both in classical methods of analysis and in the more recently developed regression techniques. Various aspects of study design are also considered. This course is aimed at those who already have a working knowledge of basic epidemiology and statistics and who wish to extend their expertise.

Duration: 2 weeks, 6-17 September 1993

Student profile: Medical doctors, epidemiologists

Cost: £1,000. Accommodation can be arranged at approximately £135 per week, bed and breakfast

Entry requirements:

Appropriate qualifications and an excellent knowledge of English.

Demography for Health and Social Policy.

Course content:

The course aims to relate demographic structure and change in Britain and other European countries to social and health policy issues. Students will become familiar with current demographic trends in industrialised countries, they will understand the demographic components of health issues and be aware of sources of demographic information, the interpretation of demographic data and their application in health and social policy.

Duration: 4 weeks, 26 April - 22 May 1993

Student profile:

Participants are those concerned with health and social policy.

Cost:

Academic fee £ 550
Living expenses: to be estimated

Entry requirements:

Appropriate qualifications and an excellent knowledge of English.

Intensive Course in Epidemiology.

Course content:

This course considers the basic principles and methods of epidemiology in the study of aetiology and patterns of disease in populations. The emphasis is on design and interpretation of epidemiological studies. Participants become familiar with the problems of collecting, analysing and interpreting data. Appropriate statistical methods are covered and practical sessions make use of relevant computer software.

Duration: 21 June - 19 July 1993

Cost:

Academic fee: £ 1,150

Entry requirements:

University degree in medicine or other appropriate discipline and an excellent command of English.

For further information on all short course programmes, please contact:

**SHORT COURSE OFFICE
LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE
KEPPEL STREET
LONDON WC1E 7HT
UNITED KINGDOM**

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PRECINCT CENTRE
OXFORD ROAD
MANCHESTER M13 9PL
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 61 275 2908

FAX: (44) 61 273 5245

MASTER OF ARTS PROGRAMME:

MA Health Services Management.

Course content:

The course offers a variety of subjects relevant to health service managers including managing health services, commissioning health care, intersectoral planning, health informatics, health policy, resource management, primary and community care, human resources, quality assurance and marketing, health financing and other systems.

Duration: 12 months full time

Student profile:

Graduates in medicine, sciences allied to medicine or relevant social sciences, management.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a dissertation.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university upper second-class degree; or recognised professional qualification and management experience.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £5,320

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UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER
STOPFORD BUILDING
OXFORD ROAD
MANCHESTER M13 9PT
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 61 275 5195

FAX: (44) 61 275 5219

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Epidemiology and Biostatistics.

Course content:

The aim of the course is to lead students to a deeper understanding of epidemiological and statistical principles and practice. Subjects taught include research methods, advanced epidemiology and statistics, cancer epidemiology, clinical epidemiology, health services research and international health. Students may also select optional modules from those offered on the MSc in Public Health and the MSc in Health Promotion (see next sections).

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates in any relevant subject, including medicine, dentistry, biological sciences, social and behavioural sciences, mathematics, operational research, management and administration.

Method of assessment:

Modular, by various methods, including essays, project reports, seen and unseen examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

Relevant university degree at a standard equivalent to a British second-class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £5,550

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Public Health.

Course content:

The course aims to give the student knowledge base of human communities, health and disease in human populations and health related interventions. Participants will develop investigative and promotional skills as well as managerial skills.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

The course is open to graduates in medicine, dentistry, mathematics, operational research, social and behavioural sciences, management and other relevant subjects.

Methods of assessment:

Modular, by various methods, including essays, project reports, seen and unseen examinations and also a thesis.

Entry requirements:

Relevant university degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £5,550

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

Diploma/MSc in Health Promotion

Course content:

The course provides an opportunity to explore health promotion as a specialist area of interest at postgraduate level. The course offers to develop a sound knowledge base of health promotion theories and concepts, to deepen the understanding of current health promotion issues at local, national and international level and to develop skills needed for effective health promotion practice.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Graduates with a relevant first degree, who can demonstrate a firm intention to pursue a career in the field of health promotion, Health Promotion specialists who wish to develop their theoretical understanding of health promotion, and practitioners in health or education-related fields (e.g. nurses, teachers, social and community workers, physiotherapists, health visitors, dentists...) who want to develop their health promotion role in their own professions.

Method of assessment:

Modular, by a variety of assessment methods, including short or long essays, project reports, seen and unseen examinations, oral presentations and vivas.

Entry requirements:

MSc - students with a first degree (2:2 or above).

Diploma - students with a first degree below 2:2 or without a degree but with professional qualifications plus at least two years experience in a relevant field.

A system operates whereby Diploma students who attain a high standard in the taught course may apply to transfer to the MSc.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580

or

IELTS 6

Cost:

1993/94 Academic fees £5,550

For further information and application forms, please contact:

**SUE SHEPHERD, COURSE ADMINISTRATOR
CENTRE FOR HEALTH PROMOTION
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UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER
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EGHAM HILL
EGHAM
SURREY TW20 OEX
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 784 434 455

FAX: (44) 784 437 520

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Sociology with Special Reference to Medicine.

Course content:

The main objectives of the course are to enable social scientists to contribute to teaching, research and administration in the medical field and to open up the medical field to sociological enquiry. The course explores teaching in theory and methods in social research as applied to medicine, medical care organisation, statistics, social factors in illness and an introduction to medicine.

Duration: One year

Student profile:

Graduates in sociology or a related subject who are or intend to be employed in the area of health services management.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examinations and a thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree at a standard equivalent to a British university first-class or upper-second class honours degree in sociology or a related subject.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550 and written submission or
IELTS 7 in the writing test and 6 in each of the other three sections

Cost:

Academic fees - £6,505

Applicants may be eligible for financial assistance under the terms of the Masaryk Scholarship Programme. For further information and application forms, please contact:

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OFFICE
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SOUTH BANK UNIVERSITY
BOROUGH ROAD
LONDON SE1 0AA
UNITED KINGDOM**

TEL: (44) 71 928 8989

FAX: (44) 71 252 6971

MASTER OF SCIENCE/Pg DIPLOMA PROGRAMME:

MSc/Pg Diploma Health Services and Hospital Management

Course content:

The course focuses on planning and managing of health services and hospitals. Subjects taught include strategic management, management theory and practice, management competencies, epidemiology and applied population studies. The programme includes a placement with a health authority and a study tour in Europe.

Duration: Diploma 10 months, MSc programme 15 months

Student profile:

Senior medical and non-medical administrators.

Method of assessment:

Course work, case study and MSc dissertation.

Entry requirements:

Either a university degree at a standard equivalent to a British University second class honours degree or a health professional qualification **AND** senior work experience in health services.

English language test score:

IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £8,656 (Diploma)

For further information and application forms, please contact:

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SINGLETON PARK
SWANSEA SA2 8PP
WALES
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 792 205 678
FAX: (44) 792 295 618

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Care Management.

Course content:

Students will be expected to follow courses in Organisation and Personnel Studies, Policy, Planning and Decision Making, Economic and Accounting Studies and Programmes in Primary Health Care. The course is specifically designed for the ambitious health care manager, in both private and public institutions.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Professional managers, clinicians, health care personnel.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a dissertation.

Entry requirements:

Relevant university degree at a standard equivalent to a British university second-class honours degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 580
or
IELTS 6

Cost:

Academic fees £4,800

For further information and application forms, please contact:

**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
INSTITUTE OF HEALTH CARE STUDIES
THE FARADAY BUILDING
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF SWANSEA
SINGLETON PARK
SWANSEA SA2 8PP
WALES
UNITED KINGDOM**

**TEL: (44) 792 295 314/295 498
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UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK

SCHOOL OF POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION
UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK
COVENTRY CV4 7AL
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 203 523 913
FAX: (44) 203 524 311

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Information Science for Health Service Management.

Course content:

The course provides postgraduate tuition in the special skills needed to determine the needs of health service management, the collection of relevant data and the conversion of those data to usable and useful information necessary for competent management. Attention is paid to operational systems and to manual and computerised systems of data collection, analysis and information production. The course also focuses on financial and manpower information systems and on information systems dealing with utilisation of health services. An important element running through the course is the production and the use of information in terms of efficacy, efficiency and cost effectiveness.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Medically qualified and non-medically qualified hospital and health service managers.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and thesis.

Entry requirements:

University degree of a standard equivalent to a British University second class degree.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550
or
IELTS 5.5

Cost:

Academic fees - £6,215

For further information and application forms, please contact:

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UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK
COVENTRY
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CENTRE FOR HEALTH ECONOMICS
UNIVERSITY OF YORK
HESLINGTON
YORK YO1 5DD
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 904 433658
FAX: (44) 904 433644

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMME:

MSc Health Economics.

Course content:

The main objective of the course is to provide training in the theoretical and practical issues of relevance to health economics, and to provide students with skills necessary to health services decision making. The course content includes the following subjects: microeconomics, macroeconomics, econometrics, cost benefit analysis, public sector management, health care management, development project appraisal, management decision analysis, aspects of epidemiology and clinical evaluation.

Duration: 12 months

Student profile:

Economists in government departments, research centres, health services on regional or district levels, academics and teachers in colleges.

Method of assessment:

Course work, written examination and a project report.

Entry requirements:

University degree in economics or a social science with a quantitative or analytical content. Non-economists may be required to attend a preliminary summer session which runs for four weeks during August and September and focuses on quantitative methods.

English language test scores:

TOEFL 550

or

IELTS 6.5

Cost:

Academic fees £7,360

For further information and application forms for this programme, please contact:

THE DIRECTOR
GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN HEALTH ECONOMICS
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS & RELATED STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF YORK
HESLINGTON
YORK YO1 5DD
UNITED KINGDOM

TEL: (44) 904 433766/433790

FAX: (44) 904 433433

SHORT COURSE PROGRAMME:

Health Economics for Central and East European Countries.

Course content:

The course aims to assist health care planners, managers and clinicians to develop and use analytical skills when dealing with problems of resource allocation in the health care sector. It focuses on the practical application of economic principles to issues of current concern to the course participants, such as: finance and budgeting, economic appraisal, human resources, information systems.

Duration: Ten weeks

Student profile:

Staff of the ministries of finance and health, academics and staff in regional or local health service administration.

Method of assessment:

Completion of the course is recognised by the award of a certificate.

Entry requirements:

Appropriate professional background and fluency in English.

Cost:

Academic fee £3000

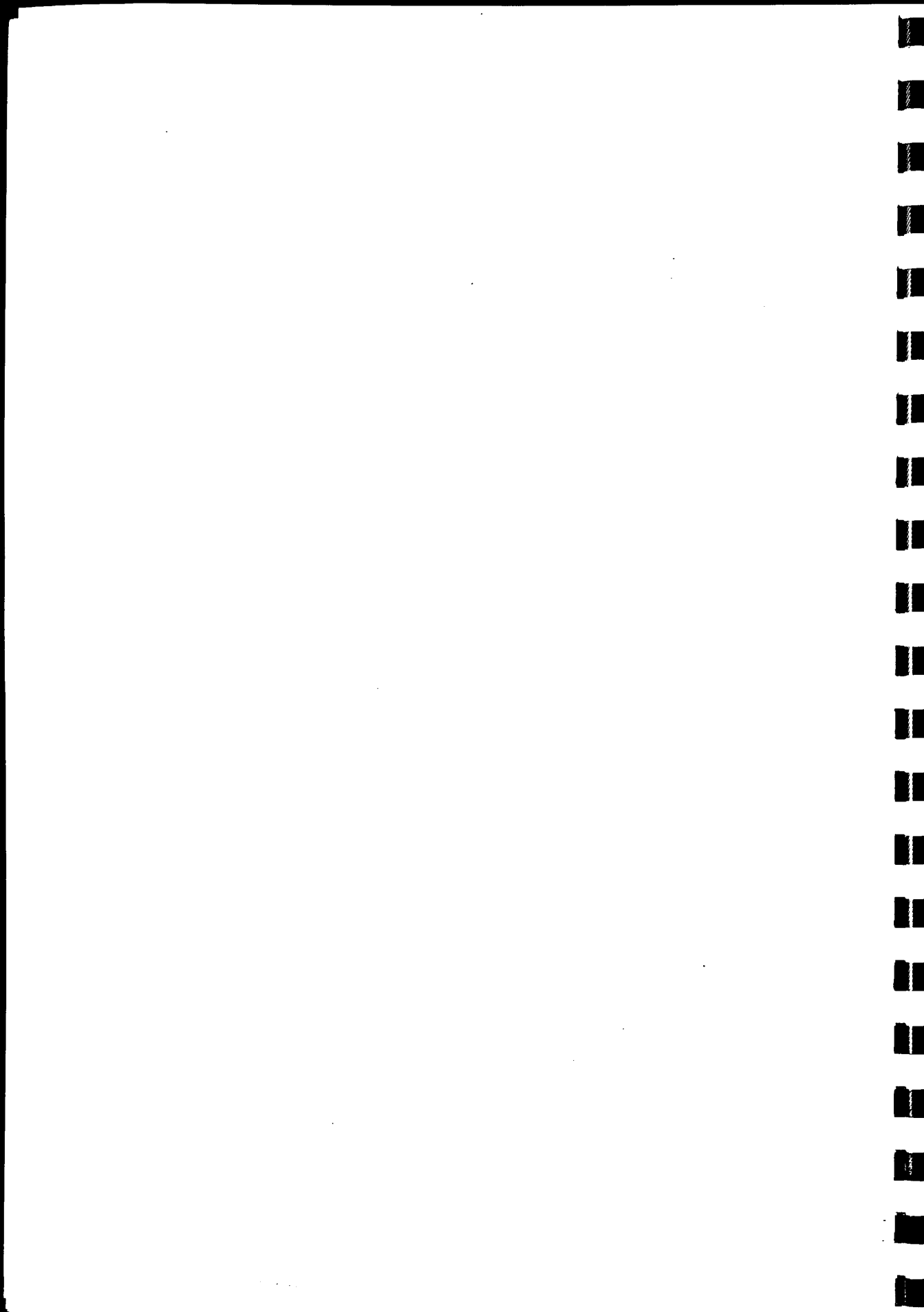
Compulsory accommodation charge £1,250

Recommended living expenses £15 per day (£1050 for 10 weeks)

For further information and application forms for this programme, please contact:

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40 Edgbaston Park Road
Birmingham
B15 2RT
UNITED KINGDOM

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2. Brunel University
Department of Government
Uxbridge
Middlesex UB8 3PH
UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 895 274 000
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3. University of Cambridge
4 Mill Lane
Cambridge CB2 1RZ
UNITED KINGDOM
4. University of Dundee
Ninewells Hospital and Medical School
Department of Epidemiology and Public Health
Dundee DD1 9SY
UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 382 632 124
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5. University of Edinburgh
Medical School
Department of Public Health Sciences
Teviot Place
Edinburgh EH8 9AG
Scotland UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 31 650 3227
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6. University of Hull
Department of Social Policy and Professional Studies
Hull
HU6 7RX
UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 482 465 779
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7. University of Leeds
Nuffield Institute for Health Service Studies
Fairbairn House
71-75 Clarendon Road
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UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 532 459 034
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London WC2A 2AE
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Keppel Street
London WC1E 7HT
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Devonshire House
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Oxford Road
Manchester M13 9PL
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Tel: (44) 61 275 2908
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Stopford Building
Oxford Road
Manchester M13 9PT
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Egham Hill
Egham
Surrey TW20 OEX
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Borough Road
London SE1 OAA
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14. University of Wales
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Singleton Park
Swansea SA2 8PP
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Fax: (44) 792 295618

15. University of Warwick
School of Postgraduate Medical Education
Coventry CV4 7AL
UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 203 523 913
Fax: (44) 203 524 311

16. University of York
Centre for Health Economics
Heslington
York YO1 5DD
UNITED KINGDOM

Tel: (44) 904 433 658
Fax: (44) 904 433 644

Note: Information on selected institutions providing
postgraduate study or training elsewhere in Europe
can be found from the offices or current handbooks
of:

- (i) The European Health Management Association
Bergemount Hall
Clonsheagh
Dublin 6
Eire
- (ii) The Association of Schools of Public Health in the
European Region
Bernard Junod
Ecole Nationale de la Sante Publique
Avenue du Professeur Leon Bernard
35043 Rennes CEDEX
France

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The health sector management project was the first investment by the European Communities PHARE programme in supporting the transformation of health services in the Czech Republic and Slovakia. Between April 1992 and April 1993 the project provided initial technical assistance in developing health sector management and information systems. Its aims have been to work with managers in the two Republics in seeking to understand the challenges of achieving radical transformation in national health systems; support these managers through on-site consultancy and a range of training opportunities; and use this experience to identify ways of strengthening the in-country capacity for management and information systems development in 1993 and beyond. The project has been undertaken by the King's Fund College, London in collaboration with the Instituto de Estudios Superiores de la Empresa, Barcelona and the South East England Institute of Public Health.

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- 1 Developing Health Sector Leadership (November 1992)
- 2 Developing Management Information Systems (March 1993)
- 3 Recommendations from the Brno Health Management Conference (March 1993)

Copies of each part of this Report are available from the International Co-operation Department in the Czech and Slovak Health Ministries or directly from David Towell at:

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