

Academic Year 2025/26

MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Code: 5154 F

MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (with Study Abroad)
Code: 5487 F (18 months)

MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (Dual Award)
Code: 5154N (24-30 months)
Code: 5154I (12 months)

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *A core module is a module which a student must pass.*
- (iii) *A core module for PSRB accreditation is a module a student is required to obtain accreditation*
- (iv) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (v) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1. Programme structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in full-time mode only.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 1 year starting in September.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Core for PSRB Accreditation</i>	<i>Core for learning outcomes</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NBS8118	Purchasing and Supply Chain Management	20	20			7			Core	
NBS8221	Operations Management	20	20			7				
NBS8222	International Logistics	10		10		7				
NBS8229	Quality Management, Tools and Techniques	20		20		7				
NBS8300	Dissertation in Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management	60			60	7				

NBS8372	Research Methods (OLSCM)	20	10	10		7			Core	
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- (e) All candidates shall take three optional modules to a value of 30 credits from the list below, of which at least 10 credits must be from Semester 1.

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Core for PSRB Accreditation</i>	<i>Core for learning outcomes</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NBS8135	Introduction to Financial Reporting	10	10			7				
NBS8234	Project Management	10	10			7				
NBS8295	Data Analytics for Managers	10		10		7				
NBS8324*	Supply Chain and Logistics Modelling and Control	10	10			7				
NBS8325*	Digital Logistics and Supply Chain Management	10		10		7				
NBS8341	Strategic Service Management	10		10		7				
NBS8342*	Sustainable Supply Chain Management	10		10		7				
NBS8643	Operations Analytics	10		10		7				
NBS8645	Ecommerce Infrastructure	10	10			7				
NBS8665	Artificial Intelligence In Business	10		10		7				
ISO8006	Supply Chain Resilience and Risk Management	10		10		7				

**Students must select and pass NBS8324, NBS8325, and NBS8342 in order to be eligible to apply for MCIPS Accreditation. Please refer to the Accredited University Programme Statement for the programme for further information. This is available from your School.*

2. Semester of Exchange

- Candidates who have successfully passed all taught elements of Year 1 at the first or second attempt may take part in a semester of study abroad at one of the School's exchange partner institutions. Such candidates shall transfer to (5487) MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (with Study Abroad).

- b. Permission to undertake a period of study abroad is subject to the approval of the Degree Programme Director. It is the responsibility of the individual students to make sure they meet the visa requirements of the country in which they plan to undertake a period of study. Travel and study abroad will be guided by the institutional policy and governmental policy at the time.
- c. International students undertaking this option must be aware that the University will withdraw UK student (Tier 4) visas for the time spent overseas.
- d. During the period of study abroad, students are required to take the following module:

Code	Descriptive Title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Level	Type	Mode
NBS8000	Business School PGT Mobility	0	0	0	7		

3. Dual Award – Outgoing students

- a. Candidates who have successfully passed all taught elements of Year 1 at the first or second attempt may, if selected through an application process, take part in a Dual Award at a participating NUBS partner institution, undertaking an additional year of study. Such candidates shall transfer to (5154N) MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (Dual Award).
- b. Permission to undertake a second year of study abroad is subject to the approval of the Degree Programme Director. It is the responsibility of the individual students to make sure they meet the visa requirements of the country in which they plan to undertake a second year of study. Travel and study abroad will be guided by the institutional policy and governmental policy at the time.
- c. International students undertaking this option must be aware that the University will withdraw UK student (Tier 4) visas for the time spent overseas.
- d. During the period spent studying at the partner institution, students are required to register for the following module at Newcastle University:

Code	Descriptive Title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Level	Type	Mode
NBS7000	Business School Dual Award	0	0	0	7		

4. Dual Award – Incoming students

- Selected students from participating partner institutions will be registered on (5154I) MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (Dual Award).

- Students registered to this programme are not entitled to participate in a Semester Exchange opportunity, following completion of the degree programme.

5. Assessment Methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

3. Progress

Before proceeding to the dissertation, candidates are normally expected:

- (i) to pass the taught modules*
- (ii) to have their ethics form and, where relevant, the travel and fieldwork risk assessment forms signed off by their supervisor.

** Candidates can fail 20 credits of non-core modules and still proceed in accordance with the postgraduate taught examination conventions.*

4. Degree Title

Upon successful completion of the programme, the degree title awarded will be (5154) MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management. Candidates who choose to take part in the Study Abroad shall be transferred onto the 18-month version of the programme and graduate with (5487) MSc Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management (with Study Abroad).

Candidates who choose to take part in the Dual Award shall be transferred onto the 24-30 month version of the program and upon successful completion of their second degree, will graduate with;

Outgoing Students:

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Additionally, outgoing students will receive a separate certificate which details the partner institution they studied with as well as the degree certificate from the partner institution.

Incoming students:

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