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“ The Manchester International Summer School made Manchester the best city in the world for all of us. ”
Edyna Qousersha,
University of Indonesia

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Join the Manchester International Summer School (MISS) in July 2019 for a three-week course which allows you to explore British culture and history, and discover contemporary Manchester and its region.

Two hundred years ago the modern world began in Manchester. In this city, entrepreneurs and workers created the economic and political structures of modernity. Simultaneously, political thinkers, social reformers, artists and writers sought to understand the significance of those changes. What happened in Manchester between 1750 and 1850 changed the world. MISS is your chance to explore and understand Manchester's significance as a world-historical city.

MISS is a multi-disciplinary course which explores British culture and history through the prism of Manchester and its region. You will gain knowledge of:

- how industrialisation changed everything – from how we work and where we live, to what we do in our leisure time.
- which ideas and social movements Manchester exported to the world.
- how Manchester's architecture reflects its history and how visual artists responded to the new industrial order.
- how what happened in Manchester impacted on the Bronte sisters in Haworth.

“ My three weeks in Manchester have taught me so much. I've learned from my tutors, my classmates and the museums and galleries we've visited. ”
Xia Xue, Fudan University

Academic Study

Over the three weeks you can choose from a selection of classes. Some classes may change for 2019, but this should give you an idea of what to expect:

- *From Romanticism to Modernism*
- *The 'Real' Downton Abbey*
- *The Brontës*
- *The Beatles*
- *Worlds of Sport*
- *Medicine, Modernity and Manchester*
- *Manchester – Melting Pot of Faiths*
- *Imagine: People Building Peace*
- *Back to the Future: Manchester and Techno-Science*

Field Trips

Each week you will have a one-day field trip relating to your chosen unit. These trips include visits to places of historical and cultural interest such as Quarry Bank Mill, Lyme Park, Haworth, Liverpool and Manchester United's Stadium.

Social Activities

You will be invited to a tour of Manchester city centre and a traditional afternoon tea during the summer programme.

Our student ambassadors also organise additional social activities in Manchester to keep you entertained, such as shopping trips and museum visits.

Accommodation and Airport Transport

You will be staying in university accommodation in the city centre of Manchester and be close to the shopping district, the train stations and local amenities.

You will be met at the airport and we will arrange transport for your departure on specified dates.

We look forward to welcoming you to The University of Manchester and to our exciting city in July 2019.

Applications are open from Wednesday 2 January to Friday 12 April 2019.

To find out more information and how to apply:
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