MEDICAL IMAGING (MSc/PgDip)

Duration: 12 months full-time or 24-36 months part-time (MSc); 9 months full-time (PgDip); 4 months full-time (PgCert).

Content: The programme of taught courses will comprise lectures, tutorials, practical classes and small group demonstrations. The topics covered include: Computing, Electronics, Radiation physics, Radiodiagnosis, Nuclear medicine, Radiation protection, Nuclear magnetic resonance, Ultrasound, Physiology and Cell biochemistry, Safety.

Candidates shall be required to attend the following designated programme of courses:

Stage 1

- PD5006 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)
- BP5003 Biomedical and Professional Topics in Healthcare Science (15 credit points)
- BP5005 Imaging in Medicine (15 credit points)
- BP5010 Introduction to Computer and Image Processing (15 credit points)
- BP5011 Radiation in Medical Imaging (15 credit points)

Stage 2

Core courses

- MP5501 Comparative Imaging (15 credit points)
- BP5505 Medical Image Processing & Analysis (15 credit points)
- PU5526 Systematic Reviewing (15 credit points)

Plus one Elective Chosen From

- BP5502 Nuclear Medicine & PET (15 credit points)
- BP5503 Magnetic Resonance Imaging (15 credit points)
- BP5506 Diagnostic Radiology & Radiation Protection (15 credit points)

Stage 3

BP5901 MSc Project (60 credit points)

Assessment: By written examinations and by coursework, which comprises practical work, written essays and oral presentations, or a combination of these, as prescribed for each course. All students progressing in the MSc stream take a project and submit a thesis on their project work. Topics of projects are linked to the programme being followed by the student. Assessment is by evaluation of the thesis, by a Student Presentation or Poster.