

Duration: 12 months full-time or 24 months part-time (MSc); 9 months full-time or 21 months part-time (PgDip).

Content: Candidates shall be required to attend the following designated courses:

FULL TIME ROUTE

Stage 1

PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)
AY5504 Advanced Archaeological Approaches (30 credit points)

In addition students will take further 30 credit points from the following courses, but no more than 30 credit points in non-archaeology courses, including those take in Stage 1:

AY5501 Northern People and Cultures (30 credit points)
AY5505 The World of Vikings (30 credit points)
AY5512 The Archaeology of Death (30 credit points)
AY5513 Eurasian Archaeology (30 credit points)
GG5540 Current Applications of GIS (15 credit points)
GG5565 Introduction to GIS Tools, Techniques, Cartography and Geovisualisation (15 credit points)
GG5567 Advanced Spatial Analysis and Programming (15 credit points)

Stage 2

AY5904 Dissertation in Archaeology (0 credit points) (this course will continue in Stage 3 with the code AY5007)

Stage 3

AY5002 Theory and Method in Research (30 credit points)
AY5007 Dissertation in Archaeology (60 credit points)

In addition students will take further 30 credit points from the following courses (note, only a maximum of 30 credits can be taken in non-archaeology courses across Stages 1 and 2):

AY5001 Northern Worlds (30 credit points)
AY5005 Viking Archaeology (30 credit points)
AY5010 Managing the Past (30 credit points)
AY5011 Ancient Biomolecules (30 credit points)
ED503E Developing a Theory of Practice: Learning and Museums (30 credit points)
GG5065 Introduction to GIS Tools, Techniques, Cartography and Geovisualisation (15 credit points) (cannot be selected if GG5565 was selected in Stage 1)

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PART TIME ROUTE

Year 1

- PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)
- AY5504 Advanced Archaeological Approaches (30 credit points)
- AY5904 Dissertation in Archaeology (0 credit points)

Year 2

- AY5002 Theory and Method in Research (30 credit points)
- AY5904 Dissertation in Archaeology (0 credit points) (this course will continue in Year 3 with the code AY5007)

Students can select 30 credit points from the following courses running January to May, but no more than 30 credit points in non-archaeology courses, including those already taken in the first session of Year 2:

- AY5501 Northern People and Cultures (30 credit points)
- AY5505 The World of Vikings (30 credit points)
- AY5512 The Archaeology of Death (30 credit points)
- AY5513 Eurasian Archaeology (30 credit points)
- GG5540 Current Applications of GIS (15 credit points)
- GG5565 Introduction to GIS Tools, Techniques
- GG5567 Advanced Spatial Analysis and Programming (15 credit points)

Year 3

- AY5007 Dissertation in Archaeology (60 credit points)

Students can take 30 credit points from the following courses running September to December (note, only a maximum of 30 credits can be taken in non-archaeology courses across Year 2)

- AY5001 Northern Worlds (30 credit points)
- AY5005 Viking Archaeology (30 credit points)
- AY5010 Managing the Past (30 credit points)
- AY5011 Ancient Biomolecules (30 credit points)
- ED503E Developing a Theory of Practice: Learning and Museums (30 credit points)
- GG5065 Introduction to GIS Tools, Techniques, Cartography and Geovisualisation (15 credit points) (cannot be selected if GG5565 was selected in Year 1)

Assessment: By in course assessment through the presentation of project and written material, as prescribed for each course, and by submission of a dissertation. The degree of MSc will not be awarded to a candidate who fails to achieve a CGS mark of D3 or above in the dissertation, irrespective of their marks in other courses.