



Double Degree News June 2026

Dear ,

Welcome to your June newsletter. The focus topics are **Careers, visa information and enrolment**. Remember you can access other offer holder information on our [website](#).

You may also want to keep up to date with our latest News and Events [page](#).

Don't hesitate to contact the Dual Degree team if you have any questions at grad.dual.degree@lse.ac.uk.

Paying your tuition fees

As incoming Double Degree students you may pay your tuition fees using the different payment methods mentioned on our [fee pages](#) by clicking in the 'Make a payment' tab. Should you have any further questions with regard to tuition fees please contact our [fees office](#).

The fees for 2025/26 starters can be found [here](#) under the heading 'Double Degree and Two Year Programmes'.

Meeting your conditions

All students should have met their offer conditions by now, accepted their offer and submitted the Financial Undertaking form. You can check this when you log in to your [Graduate Applicant Portal](#). If there are still outstanding conditions to be met please contact us as soon as possible at grad.dual.degree@lse.ac.uk.



LSE Careers

Whether you already know where you want to go or you'd like to explore your options, LSE Careers is here to help you connect with your future – from working with you to understand your motivations, to providing opportunities for you to meet employers across a range of sectors.

Whatever your level of study, wherever you're joining LSE from, and whether or not you have previous work experience, we can support you to plan and take your next steps. We also offer bespoke support for Disabled students and PhD students, with careers consultants who specialise in these areas.

Start planning your next steps

If you're looking for tips on how to begin your career planning, or perhaps for some ideas of resources that might be useful to you right now, [visit the career planning section of our website](#).

Not quite sure where to start? [Book a one-to-one careers discussion appointment](#) with one of our friendly careers consultants to explore your options.

Get experience and make connections

Whether you're looking to develop your skills, find out whether you enjoy working in a particular sector, or make new connections within your industry, regularly [check CareerHub](#) for our upcoming events and opportunities. We run several sector-specific careers fairs and employer networking events throughout the year, as well as

Interested in starting your own business? [Visit LSE Generate](#), LSE's hub of entrepreneurship.

Find a job and apply

From job search strategy workshops, to [online tools](#) and [resources](#), we offer lots of opportunities for you to kickstart and refine your job search. You can view and apply for a range of career opportunities both in the UK and around the world via our [CareerHub jobs board](#).

While you're applying for roles, you might also like to [book an appointment with a careers consultant](#) to review your CV or cover letter, or to practice your interview technique. Each year we also run several mock assessment centre sessions to help you hone your skills and understand what to expect at the real thing.

[Discover more about what LSE graduates have gone on to do](#).

How to contact us

Message us: [Live chat](#)

Email: careers@lse.ac.uk

Visit us on the 5th floor of the Saw Swee Hock Student Centre.

Where to go to find out more about LSE Careers

Website: lse.ac.uk/careers

Blog: blogs.lse.ac.uk/careers

CareerHub: careers.lse.ac.uk

Twitter: [@LSECareers](https://twitter.com/LSECareers)

LinkedIn: [LSE-Careers](https://www.linkedin.com/company/lse-careers)

offering opportunities for you to talk to LSE alumni through 'Meet an alum' events or using [LSE's AI-powered 'Ask an Alum' tool](#). Another way to gain experience and build your network is through volunteering. [Visit the LSE Volunteer Centre website](#) for support with volunteering.

Facebook: [/LSECareers](#)
Instagram: [@LSECareers](#)
TikTok: [@LSECareers](#)



Visa Information

This guidance is for students on one of our double/joint degree programmes. The advice varies depending on whether you will be spending your first or second year at LSE. Check that the question applies to your individual circumstances.

Will I be eligible for the Graduate Route if year two of my double-degree is based overseas?

You will not be eligible for the Graduate Route if year two of your degree is overseas. LSE only sponsors you on a Student visa for year one of your degree. To be eligible for the Graduate Route you must apply from within the UK from a valid Student visa.

[Other options are available.](#)

I am attending LSE in the second year of my degree. Who will issue my CAS and when can I apply for my visa?

If you are spending the second year of your degree at LSE, you will need to request a CAS number from LSE's Student Advice and Engagement team using the [online form](#).

Your CAS will not be issued until your student record for the 2026/27 academic year has been created in the summer.

Your first point of contact for your CAS is the Student Advice and Engagement Team in the Student Services Centre. Graduate Admissions have no involvement in the issuing of your CAS and you should not contact them to expedite your case nor can they set an expectation on when you will receive it. There are many processes which belong to the Student Services Centre that need to be completed prior to issuing your CAS, many of which relate to LSE's student body as a whole and not just double-degree students.

If your record is correct both from an admissions perspective and for the next academic year, you should receive your CAS in sufficient time for you to apply and arrive at LSE as expected.

It is not possible to issue a CAS with an earlier start date to enable you to come to the UK sooner.



Where can I find advice on applying for a Student visa?

The Student Advice and Engagement Team has detailed advice on applying for a Student visa on the following web page:

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/current-students/immigration-advice/applying-for-a-Student-visa>

You should refer to the section for Taught Masters and Diploma students for information on your level of study. LSHTM sponsored students should refer to the advice provided by LSHTM.

When can I apply for my visa?

You can apply up to six months in advance of your official programme start date if you are applying from overseas. However, this doesn't mean you will be able to come to the UK sooner as it will still be issued in line with the immigration rules. Further details can be found in our guidance.

You can apply up to a maximum of three months in advance if you are submitting your application in the UK.

Where can I apply for my Student visa?

You can only apply for a Student visa in a country you are legally living in e.g. you have the right of residence. This could either be your home country or the country where you have studied for the first year of your degree.

I plan to do research in the UK during the summer. Can I come as a tourist and apply from the UK or will LSE expedite my CAS?

You cannot apply for a Student visa in the UK if you have entered as a tourist. You would not be permitted to enrol on your degree programme and your visa application would be refused. You would have to return home to apply for a Student visa, which may affect your ability to join your programme.

LSE is unable to expedite CAS numbers due to personal plans.

I'm an EU/EEA national who planned to commute to LSE for my classes. Can I study at LSE on a tourist visa (Standard Visitor visa)?

You will be unable to enrol for your degree at LSE on a Standard Visitor visa. Therefore, you should obtain a Student visa to join your programme, although the intention of this visa is that you remain in the UK whilst holding it. Also, you cannot work or switch into a work permit in the UK on a Standard Visitor visa.

Even though you can apply using the UK Immigration ID Check App, you must apply outside the UK from your country of nationality or a country where you are legally resident.

What happens if I interrupt my studies?

If you are an EU/EEA national, you may be able to apply using the UK: Immigration ID Check app rather than having to attend an appointment at a visa application centre. However, you must still apply using the app from your country of nationality or a country where you are legally resident. You can find out more in our info sheet.

We are aware that some students may undertake research in a third country over the summer. You should plan to be able to apply for your Student visa for LSE in a country where you can submit a valid application.

If you interrupt your studies, the Student Advice and Engagement Team will be required to report this to the Home Office. This will lead to the curtailment of your Student visa. More information can be found on our [web pages](#) about changes to your programme of study.

Who can I contact for further information?

- MSc HPPF students must speak to LSHTM because they are your Student visa sponsors.
- All other students should speak to the [Student Advice and Engagement Team](#) about their visa.
- For more information view our [FAQs](#)



Enrolment

You will receive an email notification when it is time to enrol online for your programme.

Please keep an eye out for this email and also check your spam/junk folder in case it has been filtered there.

You will be sent the email notification to pre-enrol online once your progression has been confirmed and for LSHTM students, once your offer is unconditional.

You should ensure that you pre-enrol online as early as possible and by no later than 24 October 2026. Upon completing pre-enrolment you will receive a Pre-enrolment Pass that you can use on campus for temporary access when you first arrive.

More information about campus enrolment including, which documents to bring and the campus enrolment schedule can be found [here](#).



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