

Master's in Industrial Design

LUND UNIVERSITY, SWEDEN

- Master of Fine Arts in Design, Industrial Design
- 2 years, full-time, 120 ECTS credits
- School of Industrial Design, Faculty of Engineering
- Lund Campus
- Application deadline: January 2021
- Programme start: August 2021

Programme overview

The Master's programme in Industrial Design focuses on three themes: Living and Behaviour, Form and Technology, or Man and Nature. The programme consists of individual industrial design projects, workshops and additional theoretical courses.

You will participate in and contribute to the creation of knowledge within the field of design. By organising exhibitions, seminars and workshops, you will communicate your work and participate in the public debate. The School of Industrial Design offers you a creative environment with excellent workshop facilities. As part of a full-scale university, we can offer great opportunities for a multidisciplinary approach through cooperation with other faculties. Students will become authorities in their chosen subject, whether in their conceptually creative, strategic or technical capacity. Above all, the Master's programme in Industrial Design encourages the in-depth debate and deliberation of the discipline.

Programme modules/courses

COURSES AND NUMBER OF ECTS CREDITS: Introduction (5), Industrial Design Project I (15), Aesthetics (5), CAD Evolution (5), Industrial Design Project II (20), Production and Materials (5), Philosophy of Mind and Design (5), Industrial Design Project III (20), Design Management (5), Research Methods in Industrial Design (5), Master's degree project (30).

Career prospects

On completion of the Master's degree in Industrial Design, you will be well-prepared to continue these discussions in whatever capacity you choose to work, be it designer, entrepreneur, design coordinator, manager or researcher, in the public or private sectors, in a team or as an individual. Graduates of the Master's programme in Industrial Design go on to successful careers and can be found working at brands such as Google, Ikea, Sony, Tetra Pak, Husqvarna, Haglöfs, Electrolux, H&M and many more. The Master's programme in Industrial Design also provides an excellent platform from which to continue studies at PhD level.

Entry requirements and how to apply ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A Bachelor's degree with relevance to the applied education. A digital portfolio of the applicant's own work in the field that clearly proves that the applicant has good potential to benefit from the programme. English Level 6 (equivalent to IELTS 6.5, TOEFL 90). See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on English proficiency.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1. Apply online: Go to www.lunduniversity.lu.se/industrial-design. Click on "Apply" and follow the instructions for the online application at the Swedish national application website www.universityadmissions.se. Rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.
- 2. Submit your supporting documents:
- General supporting documents: Check what documents you need to submit (i.e. official transcripts, degree diploma/proof of expected graduation, translations, proof of English, passport) and how you need to submit them at www.universityadmissions.se
- **Programme-specific supporting documents**: When applying for the the Master's in Industrial Design, you also need



"The Industrial Design programme here is very open to different ways of pursuing design. At the same time, it gives a solid base for professional activity. It teaches you to make your ideas more concrete, to argue for them and most importantly to analyse how they respond to the surroundings and ongoing changes. It is also a very diverse programme, which is expressed both in the variety of courses but also in the teaching approach which enables and encourages you to go your own path and develop an individual take on a subject."

Pola Salicka from Poland





to submit a portfolio, a portfolio summary page, a statement of purpose and a CV when you apply to this programme. Please note that these programme-specific documents should be submitted *directly* to the programme (*not* to University Admissions in Sweden). More information can be found on the programme webpage.

3. Pay the application fee (when applicable).

SELECTION CRITERIA/ADDITIONAL INFO

The selection is based on the submitted portfolio and statement of purpose.

TUITION FEES

There are no tuition fees for EU/EEA citizens. For non-EU/EEA citizens, the tuition fee for this programme is SEK 210 000 per year. See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on tuition fees.

About the Faculty of Engineering

The Faculty of Engineering, LTH, is as a place for dreams and discoveries. We inspire creative development of technology, architecture and design and teach some of Sweden's most attractive Master's programmes, all built on a broad research base. LTH is among the leading engineering faculties in Europe with close to 10 000 undergraduate students.

Over 1 000 researchers at LTH work hard to improve the quality of life for people and promote a more careful use of the Earth's resources. Our vision is: Together we explore and create – for the benefit of the world. A world record in 5G technology, solar cell-driven water purification, early cancer diagnosis, nanotechnology for more efficient solar panels, and a health-promoting oat drink are some of the innovations developed at LTH.

About the School of Industrial Design

The School of Industrial Design is continuously developing collaboration with others, focusing on ongoing changes in society, business and research.

With a cross-disciplinary approach and professional interaction, you will benefit from Lund University's strong position in

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Programme webpage www.lunduniversity.lu.se/industrial-design Programme Director Anna Persson, mfa.design@lth.lu.se Scandinavia and its international focus. Industrial designers from all over the world give guest lectures or host workshops. The programme teaches you the skills to help navigate the limitless field of design and to enable you to make the right decisions, communicate solutions and stand for results and actions. In projects, workshops, competitions and exhibitions, students train 'hard' and 'soft' skills alike. The programme-related partnerships with companies, institutions and other universities allow you to develop your creativity and personality – independently and in cooperation with others.

About Lund University

Lund University was founded in 1666 and is repeatedly ranked among the world's top 100 universities. The University has 40 000 students and more than 8 000 staff based in Lund, Helsingborg and Malmö. We are united in our efforts to understand, explain and improve our world and the human condition.

Lund is the most popular study location in Sweden. The University offers one of the broadest ranges of degree programmes and courses in Scandinavia, based on cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research. Because of its wide disciplinary range, interdisciplinary collaborations and engagement with wider society, Lund University is particularly well equipped to meet complex societal challenges. With partner universities in around 70 countries, the University's profile is distinctly international.

Lund University has an annual turnover of more than EUR 830 million, of which two-thirds go to research in our nine faculties, enabling us to offer one of the strongest and broadest ranges of research in Scandinavia.

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