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# Master's in Medical Science

LUND UNIVERSITY, SWEDEN

- Master of Medical Science with a major in:  
Audiology, Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Radiography, Speech and Language Pathology, or Reproductive, Perinatal and Sexual Health (Midwifery)
- 2 years, full-time, 120 ECTS credits
- Faculty of Medicine
- Lund Campus
- Application deadline: January 2021
- Programme start: August 2021

## Programme overview

The Master's Programme in Medical Science gives students with a background in audiology, nursing, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, radiography, speech and language pathology or reproductive, perinatal and sexual health (midwifery) the possibility to achieve a Master of Medical Science degree.

The programme is structured, with each course building upon the previous one. Electives are available in the second and fourth semester of the programme. All courses include both classroom and online elements. The amount of classroom-based sessions varies from course to course ranging from a couple of sessions to weekly meetings. During your studies, you will acquire the knowledge and skills required to work in a global health care and research context, through student-centred teaching and learning activities in a research-intensive academic environment. All teachers are also active in research.

## Programme modules/courses

The courses in the programme provide a framework of theories and models specific for the course topic, from which the students can deepen their knowledge and skills related to their own main field. The overall course overview for the programme is:

**Semester 1:** Medical Science (7.5 credits), Evidence-based practice I (7.5 credits), Health and health promotion (7.5 credits), Qualitative research methodology (7.5 credits)

**Semester 2:** Biostatistics (7.5 credits), Assessment and evaluation (7.5 credits), E-health and digital solutions (7.5 credits), Elective course (7.5 credits)

**Semester 3:** Evidence-based practice II (7.5 credits), Complex interventions (7.5 credits), Leadership and innovation (7.5 credits), Independent degree project (7.5 credits of 30)

**Semester 4:** Independent degree project (22.5 credits of 30), Elective course (7.5 credits).

## Career prospects

You will be qualified to work independently and in leading functions within research and development, both in a university context and in the public and private sectors. A completed Master's programme can, if approved by a relevant authenticating body, be included as part of a PhD programme.

## Entry requirements and how to apply

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A Bachelor's degree of 180 credits or equivalent within the fields of audiology, nursing, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, radiography, speech and language pathology or reproductive, perinatal and sexual health (midwifery). English Level 6 (equivalent to IELTS 6.5, TOEFL 90). See [www.lunduniversity.lu.se](http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se) for details on English proficiency levels.

### HOW TO APPLY

1. **Apply online:** Go to [www.lunduniversity.lu.se/medicine](http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/medicine). Click on "Apply" and follow the instructions for the online application at the Swedish national application website [www.universityadmissions.se](http://www.universityadmissions.se).

Rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.



"My programme offered me a world of endless opportunities to learn and develop physically, intellectually and socially. My learning techniques and outcomes have greatly improved after my interaction with intelligent coursemates from different disciplines and professions all over the world. Evidence based practice has become more meaningful and a way of life which is worth choosing."

Miriam Boateng Duah from Ghana





## 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](http://www.universityadmissions.se).
- **Programme-specific supporting documents:** When applying for the MSc in Medical Sciences, you must also fill in and submit your Medical Science Profile Portfolio, including a motivation letter, with your application. Instructions on how to fill in the Medical Science Portfolio and further information are available on the programme webpage.

## 3. Pay the application fee (when applicable).

### SELECTION CRITERIA/ADDITIONAL INFO

The selection is based on academic qualifications and on the Medical Science Profile Portfolio.

### TUITION FEES

There are no tuition fees for EU/EEA citizens. For non-EU/EEA citizens, the tuition fee for this programme is SEK 140 000 per year. See [www.lunduniversity.lu.se](http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se) for details on tuition fees.

## About the Faculty of Medicine

The Faculty of Medicine is one of nine faculties at Lund University and offers a wealth of research, postgraduate and educational programmes in medicine, public health, biomedicine and health sciences, to name a few.

The Faculty encompasses 2 800 full-time undergraduate students enrolled in 8 degree programmes, as well as 1 000 postgraduate students and 2 000 employees. Research spans across a broad area from basic experimental research to applied research, in order to answer questions related to clinical practice, the health sciences and society.

## 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.

The establishment of the world-leading facilities MAX IV and ESS will have a major impact on future scientific and industrial development in both materials science and life science. MAX IV is the leading synchrotron radiation facility in the world, while the European research facility ESS will be the world's most powerful neutron source when it opens for research in 2023. Adjacent to these facilities, Science Village Scandinavia is also being developed into a meeting place and testing environment for research, education and entrepreneurship.

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