

Erasmus+ TEACHER Project

An Introduction to Manchester Metropolitan University

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MMU – Modern and Traditional Combined Manchester Campus





Quality Education in the Beating Heart of the City



• Oxford Road – the Centre of student life in Manchester



... and in a Semi-rural location at Cheshire Campus



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This is another image of the North West of England, but it's an essential part of the culture and conversations!





Size, Vision and Values:

- The Manchester Metropolitan University is a UK Higher Education Institution,
- Remit to provide higher education, conduct research and engage in activities with businesses and the community. It has more than 37,000 students and employs over 5000 people.
- Focus on: Community- engagement; Ethical Behaviour;
 Professional and Practitioner Development; International Focus to promote global citizenship in our staff and students, Research-led activities and creativity and entrepreneurship;



Faculties and the Employability Focus:

- Art and Humanities
- Business and Law
- Health, Psychology and Social Care
- Science and Engineering
- Education
- Cheshire Campus
- Key focus is on skills for the workplace and higher degrees linked to practice and practitioner development.

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Early Years Department, Education Faculty, Schools Liaison Tutor Winston Churchill Fellow





Education Faculty

- Initial training of teachers, in service training (including continuing professional development)
- Early Years
- Childhood, Youth and Family
- The Faculty's <u>Education and Social Research Institute</u>(ESRI) is one of the leading UK centres for applied educational research and evaluation.
- 67% of our research was rated as 'internationally excellent' or 'world leading' in the REF 2014, with 100% of our research impact being rated 'internationally excellent' or 'world leading'.

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Lead of European and International Research and Knowledge Exchange in the Dept. of Interdisciplinary Studies PAPYRUS EU Strategic partnership Lead and Partner on 4 others, Founder of Abuse Studies degrees and discipline area.





Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, Cheshire Faculty

- Interdisciplinary learning for health, teaching, youth and community work
- Focus on professional learning in areas such as Childhood and Youth and Abuse Studies
- Highest submission of research active staff across all Departments of the University into the UK government's Research Exercise Framework (REF)
- Innovation in community work, partnership with NGO's and practitioners
- Strong EU and International focus

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MMU Ethos:

- Social Inclusion
- Communities
- Engagement and working together
- Challenging inequality and unequal power relations
- Ethical behaviour at the heart of our endeavours, it is nonnegotiable
- We are what we do and we take responsibility for that in all our actions as professional academics and researchers

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We are proud to work somewhere that Values Difference and Equality and Promotes this in all Aspects of its Vision. Thank you ©

