

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

STRATHCLYDE INSTITUTE OF PHARMACY AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY PLUS POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE

Doctor of Philosophy for Research plus Postgraduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching in Higher Education

For regulations relating to admissions, duration of study, examinations, progress, final assessment, award and research elements of this degree, please refer to the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Research Degree Regulations](#).

For regulations relating to taught (compulsory/optional) modules, please refer to the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Admission

1. The [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Research Degree Regulations](#) shall apply.

Credit Transfer and RPL

2. Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Research Degree Regulations](#), the Board of Study may grant exemption of up to twelve months of full-time study and an equivalent time in part-time study on the basis of professional experience and performance on an appropriate postgraduate Masters programme.

Mode of Study

3. The programme is available by full-time study.

Place of Study

4. The doctoral research project may take place within University of Strathclyde or at the place of employment approved by the Board of Study.
5. The postgraduate certificate and doctoral research will normally take place within the University of Strathclyde.

Curriculum

6. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:

In addition to their doctoral research students will undertake the following modules over their four years of study.

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
X9894	Teaching, learning and assessment within the disciplines	5	20
X9895	Course (re)design	5	20
X9898	Supervising Post Graduate Research	5	20

7. All students shall undertake a doctoral research project.

Examination, Progress and Final Assessment

8. Candidates are required to pass all modules and to perform to the satisfaction of the Board of Examiners in the PG Certificate in Education.

Award

9. **Degree of PhD plus PG Cert in Learning and Teaching in Higher Education:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, a candidate must have performed to the satisfaction of the Examining Committee as defined in the [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Research Degree Regulations](#) and have been awarded the 60 credits for the PG Certificate in Learning and Teaching in Higher Education.
10. These modules are taken in addition to those associated with the Researcher Professional Development programme.