# MSC (INFORMATION SYSTEMS RESEARCH PRACTICE) 

## Overview

NFQ Level 9, Major Award

## Exit Award only

Candidates on the PhD (Business Information Systems) (https://ucc-iepublic.courseleaf.com/programmes/phdbis/) who pass Parts I and II (90 credits), but do not progress to or fail to complete Part III will be eligible for the award of MSc (Information Systems Research Practice).

## Programme Requirements

For information about modules, module choice, options and credit weightings, please go to Programme Requirements (p. 1).

## Programme Requirements

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| Part I |  |  |
| Students take $\mathbf{6 0}$ | credits as follows: |  |
| Core Modules |  | 5 |
| BU7005 | Qualitative Research Methods | 5 |
| BU7006 | Quantitative Research Methods | 5 |
| BU7007 | Action Design Research | 10 |
| IS7010 | Foundations of IS Research | 10 |
| IS7012 | IS Research Practicum 1 | 15 |
| IS7014 | IS Research Practicum 2 | 5 |
| IS7017 | IS Research Seminar Series | 5 |
| IS7018 | Research Skills 1 |  |
| Part II |  | 20 |
| Students take 30 | credits as follows: | 5 |
| Core Modules |  | 5 |
| IS7016 | IS Research Practicum 3 | 90 |
| IS7022 | Research Skills 2 |  |
| IS7023 | Research Ethics, Integrity and Data Management | 5 |
| Total Credits |  |  |

## Examinations

Full details and regulations governing Examinations for each programme will be contained in the Marks and Standards Book and for each module in the Book of Modules.

## Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for MSc (Information Systems Research Practice) (NFQ Level 9, Major Award)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Communicate and work effectively to a high professional standard;
- Demonstrate advanced analytical and problem-solving skills associated with effective practice;
- Engage in advanced application of frameworks and techniques in organisational settings;
- Make an original and significant contribution to the Information Systems body of knowledge.

