

MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH OPEN DAY PROGRAMME

2 NOVEMBER 2011

- ↘ Chemistry
- ↘ CoMPLEX (Centre for Mathematics and Physics in the Life Sciences and Experimental Biology)
- ↘ Earth Sciences
- ↘ London Centre for Nanotechnology (LCN)
- ↘ Mathematics
- ↘ Institute of Origins
- ↘ Physics and Astronomy
- ↘ Science and Technology Studies
- ↘ Space and Climate Physics
- ↘ Statistical Science



MORNING PROGRAMME AND TOURS

Event	Event Times	Venue
Registration When you arrive, hand in your e-ticket to collect a welcome pack. Please register by 10:45; the morning talks will start promptly at 11:00 in the Old Refectory	From 10:00	North Cloisters
Plenary Talks Talks will start promptly at 11:00 – please be in your seat	11:00	Old Refectory
Why London? Staff and students from the faculty provide their own perspectives on why they chose London as the location for their research.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome from Professor Richard Catlow, FRS, Dean of the Faculty of Mathematical and Physical Sciences 	11:00–11:10	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Louise Harra, UCL Space & Climate Physics / Institute of Origins 	11:10–11:20	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Carolina Lithgow-Bertelloni, UCL Earth Sciences 	11:20–11:30	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Jamie Baker, UCL Chemistry 	11:30–11:40	
Students' perspectives: Two MAPS research students give their views on studying and researching at UCL.	11:40–12:00	
<i>Break</i>	12:00–12:15	
Why UCL? Your chance to find out more about the support and professional training which UCL provides.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding options for science-related degrees 	12:15–12:25	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for research students from the UCL Graduate School 	12:25–12:35	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Options after your research degree: UCL Careers Service 	12:35–12:45	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UCL Union Postgraduate Association 	12:45–12:55	
Lunch	From 13:00	North Cloisters
Departmental Exhibition Stands Please visit departmental stands to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students.	From 13:00	South Cloisters
Tours of UCL campus UCL Student Ambassadors will take you on a short tour of the campus (approximately half an hour)	From 13:30	Meeting point, South Cloisters
Tours of the Science Library UCL Subject Librarians available for tours of the research resources available to students (approximately half an hour)	From 13:30	Meeting point, South Cloisters

AFTERNOON PROGRAMME

Subject/research area and events	Event Times	Venue
Chemistry Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Studying for a PhD in Chemistry at UCL Tour of the Chemistry / EngD facilities	12:30–16:00 14:00–14:30 14:30–15:00 15:30–16:00	South Cloisters South Wing Council Room Meet at South Wing Council Room Meet at Meeting Point, South Cloisters
Molecular Modelling and Materials Simulation EngD Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Tour of the Chemistry / EngD facilities	12:30–16:00 14:30–15:00 15:30–16:00	South Cloisters Meet at South Wing Council Room Meet at Meeting Point, South Cloisters
CoMPLEX (Centre for Mathematics and Physics in the Life Sciences and Experimental Biology) Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Studying for a PhD at CoMPLEX Tour of CoMPLEX	12:30–16:00 14:30–15:00 15:00–15:30	South Cloisters South Wing Council Room Meet at South Wing Council Room
Earth Sciences Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Studying for a PhD in Earth Sciences at UCL Tour of Earth Sciences	12:30–16:00 15:00–15:30 15:30–16:00	South Cloisters South Wing Committee Room Meet at South Wing Committee Room
London Centre for Nanotechnology (LCN) Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Doctoral study at the LCN Tour of the LCN	12:30–16:00 14:30–15:00 15:00–15:30	South Cloisters Gustave Tuck Lecture Theatre, South Wing Meet in Gustave Tuck Lecture Theatre
Mathematics Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students	12:30–16:00	South Cloisters
Institute of Origins Talk: Thinking outside of the box: interdisciplinary research Tour of the UCL Centre for Planetary Sciences	13:30–14:00 14:00–14:30	South Wing Committee Room Meet at Registration Desk, North Cloisters
Physics and Astronomy Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students	12:30–16:00	South Cloisters

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Subject/research area and events	Event Times	Venue
Science and Technology Studies Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Studying for a PhD in Science and Technology Studies at UCL	12:30–16:00 14:00–14:30	South Cloisters South Wing Committee Room
Space and Climate Physics Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students Talk: Launching a career in space science	12:30–16:00 14:30–15:00	South Cloisters South Wing Committee Room
Statistical Science Please visit stand to discuss your interests with staff and current PhD students	12:30–16:00	South Cloisters

Also available in the exhibition area in the South Cloisters:

UCL Advances

UCL Advances is UCL's centre for entrepreneurship and business interaction. Visit the stand to discover more about the training, networking and support opportunities available for students.

For further information, see www.ucl.ac.uk/advances

UCL Careers Service

In addition to the careers talk as part of the morning programme, visit the UCL Careers Service stand to find out more about:

- the kinds of employment which may be open to you
- the support and advice available to all students
- the kinds of employment taken up by UCL alumni.

For further information, see www.ucl.ac.uk/careers

Volunteering Services Unit

Interested in becoming involved in the community, and learning some valuable skills along the way? The Volunteering Services Unit, a joint venture between UCL and the UCL Union, has a host of opportunities available – visit the stand to find out more.

For further information, see <http://ucl.org/volunteers>