

## Accredited University Degrees in Construction

### Introduction

There are a wide range of construction-related degrees available at universities across the UK and many of the courses are accredited by a professional body or other recognised industry organisation.

This means that the specific degree course offered by a university has been assessed and approved as meeting the required industry and professional standards.

Where available, it is **strongly recommended** that accredited degree courses are considered above non-accredited courses. Whilst a non-accredited course may provide the same level of knowledge, it may not be recognised by employers or professional bodies as a step towards professional qualifications.

### Benefits of Studying an Accredited Course

- **Career Boost** – Employers are more likely to offer graduate opportunities and higher salaries and there may be a greater chance of promotion
- **Chartered** – It may accelerate the process of becoming chartered, enabling you to use recognised letters after your name, such as CEng or MCIQB, demonstrating your professional status
- **Support** – By establishing a link with the relevant professional body, you can benefit from free or low-cost student membership and a network of support, guidance and training

### Helpful Information

- **Entry requirements** – Universities set their own [entry requirements](#) which vary depending on the course and the university. Make sure you have enough [UCAS points](#) to apply for your chosen course
- **Full/part time university** – Apply through UCAS by registering on the [UCAS Hub](#). Make sure you check application [dates and deadlines](#) and follow the [UCAS step-by-step guide](#)
- **University ranking guides** – Guides such as [The Complete University Guide](#), [The Guardian University Guide](#) and [The Times UK University Rankings](#) rank universities to help give prospective students an idea of how they compare

## Accredited Courses

Use the links below to check that the course is accredited at your chosen university in the year you begin your studies.

Occupation	Find Accredited Degree Courses	Associated Professional Body
<a href="#">Architect</a>	<a href="#">Architects Registration Board (ARB)</a>	<a href="#">Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA)</a>
<a href="#">Architectural Technologist</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists (CIAT)</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists (CIAT)</a>
<a href="#">Building Surveyor</a>	<a href="#">Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS)</a>	<a href="#">Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS)</a>
<a href="#">Building Services Engineering</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers (CIBSE)</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers (CIBSE)</a>
<a href="#">Civil Engineer</a>	<a href="#">Joint Board of Moderators (JBM)</a>	<a href="#">Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE)</a>
<a href="#">Construction Manager</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)</a>	<a href="#">Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)</a>
<a href="#">Electrical Engineer</a>	<a href="#">Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET)</a>	<a href="#">Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET)</a>
<a href="#">Quantity Surveyor</a>	<a href="#">Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS)</a>	<a href="#">Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS)</a>
<a href="#">Structural Engineer</a>	<a href="#">Joint Board of Moderators (JBM)</a>	<a href="#">The Institution of Structural Engineers (IStructE)</a>
<a href="#">Town Planner</a>	<a href="#">Royal Town Planning Institute (RTPI)</a>	<a href="#">Royal Town Planning Institute (RTPI)</a>