

KEY PROGRAMME INFORMATION

Originating institution(s) Bournemouth University	Faculty responsible for the programme Faculty of Science and Technology
Apprenticeship Standard Product Design and Development Engineer (ST0027 v1.0) Manufacturing Engineer (ST0025 v1.0)	Assessment Plan v1.0 Integrated EPA – PDDE v1.1 Integrated EPA - ME

End Point Assessment type	Main training provider	Approved sub-contractors
Non-Integrated	University Centre Newbury	NA

Type of apprenticeship

Integrated

Final award(s), title(s) and credit

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical Engineering) - Level 6 credits

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering) – Level 6 credits

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering)- Level 6 credits

Intermediate award(s), title(s) and credits

N/A

UCAS Programme Code(s) (where applicable and if known)	HECoS (Higher Education Classification of Subjects) Code and balanced or	LARS (Learning Aims Reference) code
N/A	major/minor load.	12 – PDDE
	100184 (Major) 100213 (Minor)	11- ME

External reference points

UK Quality Code for Higher Education:

Part A: Setting and Maintaining Academic Standards;

Chapter A1: UK and European reference points for academic standards (October 2013) - incorporates the Frameworks for Higher Education Qualifications of UK Degree-Awarding Bodies (Qualification Frameworks), Foundation Degree qualification benchmark, Master's Degree Characteristics and Subject Benchmark Statements;

Subject benchmark statements - Engineering (2023);

UK Standard for Professional Engineering Competence: Engineering Technician, Incorporated Engineer and Chartered Engineer Standard (UK-SPEC) fourth edition from the Engineering Council UK (August 2020):

UK Standard for Professional Engineering Competence: The Accreditation of Higher Education Programmes fourth edition from the Engineering Council UK (Aug 2020).

Professional, Statutory and Regulatory Body (PSRB) links

Accreditation will be sought from the Institution of Engineering Designers (IED) to meet further learning for Incorporated Engineer (IEng).

Graduates from a top-up degree that has been accredited must also have completed an accredited first qualification (eg foundation degree or HND) to be considered to hold an accredited degree.

Locations of off-the-job training delivery

University Centre Newbury

Mode(s) of delivery

Day Release

Typical duration (include any requirements stated in Apprenticeship Standard)

Typical duration: 5 Years (including levels 4, 5 and 6) – 1 year within the scope of this document Length of Gateway Period: 4 years (including levels 4,5 and 6) - 1 year within the scope of this document

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Date of first intake September 2025	Expected start dates September
Maximum apprentice numbers N/A	
Partner(s) University Centre Newbury	Partnership model Franchise
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PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Apprentices undertake one of the following pathways depending on their specialisation at Level 5/HND:

For the Product Design and Development Engineer Apprenticeship:

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering)

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical Engineering)

For the Manufacturing Engineer Apprenticeship:

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering)

Programme Award and Title: BEng (Hons) Engineering Design

Year 1 (Top-up) /Level 6

Unit Name	Core/ Option	No. of Credits	Assessment Element Weightings			Expected Contact	Unit Version	HECoS Code (plus balanced or
			Exam 1	Cwk 1	Cwk 2	hours per unit	No.	major/ minor load)
Advanced Engineering (UCN)	Core	20		100%		25	1.0	100184
Innovation and Professional Practice (UCN)	Core	20	30%	70%		25	1.0	101221
Computational Engineering (UCN)	Core	20		100%		25	1.0	100160
Mechatronics (UCN)	Core	20		40%	60%	25	1.0	100170
BEng Project (UCN)	Core	40		50%	50%	30	1.0	100184

End Point Assessment

This award covers non-integrated apprenticeships.

The end-point assessment (EPA) for the non-integrated apprenticeship is carried out by an external End Point Assessment Organisation and the degree apprentices must pass both the BEng Project (UCN) and EPA to gain the exit qualification.

The EPA period starts once the employer and UCN/BU are satisfied that the apprentice is demonstrating the knowledge, skills and behaviours of the apprenticeship standard, and all of the pre-requisite gateway requirements for EPA as defined in the assessment plan and apprenticeship funding rules have been met. Mappings to KSBs can be found in Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours Mapping.

Progression requirements: Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Mechanical) programme at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University.

Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Electrical and Electronic) programmes at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University.

Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Manufacturing) programme at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University

Exit qualification: Either BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering)

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering)

or

BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical Engineering), depending on the discipline specialisation.

Please provide details of the Gateway and End Point Assessment requirements here:

Product Design and Development Engineer (ST0027) V1.0- Non- integrated

There are two assessment components, which are managed by the End-Point Assessment Organisation. These are: The Case Studies Presentation (Method 1) must be completed before the Occupational Professional Discussion (Method 2).

The end point assessment consists of two methods:

Assessment Component	Weight ing	Conducted by whom	Grading Outcomes (For apprentices that complete their apprenticeship from September 2020)
Method 1. Case Studies	50%	End-Point Assessment	1. Fail
Presentation covering work-		Organisation	2. Pass
based project/tasks (50+/- 5			3. Distinction
minutes duration) followed by 25			
+/- minutes question and answer			
Method 2. Occupational	50%	End-Point Assessment	1. Fail
Professional Discussion		Organisation	2. Pass
(90 +/- 5 minutes)			3. Distinction
Apprentices produce an occupational competence report that sets out how they have achieved occupational competence in each of the following Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours (KSBs): K1, K2, K3, K4, S1, S2, S6, S7, S8, B1, B2, B6, B10, B11, B12 and B13. The occupational competence report for each of the KSBs should not exceed 250 words, 4000 words for the total report			

For Manufacturing Engineer (ST0025 V1.1)- Non-integrated EPA

The end point assessment method for Manufacturing Engineer consists of two methods:

Method 1: Case studies presentation

Method 2: Occupational professional discussion

Assessment Component	Weight ing	Conducted by whom	Grading Outcomes (For apprentices that complete their apprenticeship from September 2020)
Method 1. Case Studies	50%	End-Point Assessment	1. Fail
Presentation covering work-		Organisation	2. Pass
based project/tasks (50+/- 5			3. Distinction
minutes duration) followed by 25			
+/- minutes question and answer			
Method 2. Occupational	50%	End-Point Assessment	1. Fail
Professional Discussion		Organisation	2. Pass
(90 +/- 5 minutes)			3. Distinction

Apprentices produce an		
occupational competence report		
that sets out how they have		
achieved occupational		
competence in each of the		
following Knowledge, Skills		
and Behaviours (KSBs): K1, K2,		
K3, K7, S1, S3, S4, B1, B2, B6,		
B10, B11, B12 and B13. The		
occupational competence		
report for each of the KSBs		
should not exceed 250 words,		
4000 words for the total report.		

AIMS OF THE DOCUMENT

The aims of this document are to:

- define the structure of the programme;
- specify the programme award titles;
- identify programme and level learning outcomes;
- articulate the regulations governing the awards defined within the document.

AIMS OF THE PROGRAMME

This programme aims to develop creative, innovative and resourceful graduates, who:

- have a set of modern professional engineering skills at the forefront of the discipline informed by research and industry.
- have the ability to independently select appropriate strategies to successfully plan and execute an
 engineering project underpinned by relevant research literature and adapt them in unfamiliar situations
 to produce innovative designs, systems, components or processes to fulfil new needs effectively.
- have the ability and confidence to apply their knowledge and skills to complex/unfamiliar mechanical
 engineering problems individually or in a group, demonstrating effective leadership and the ability to
 manage relationships in project teams, and communicating effectively with both those working in the
 field of engineering and with the wider public.
- have the ability to apply and integrate knowledge and understanding of other engineering disciplines to support study of the mechanical engineering discipline.
- have a mastery of a range of project management techniques demonstrating analytical and critical thinking with respect to the planning of engineering design and development projects.
- have a working knowledge and understanding of business-related issues, encompassing finance, development, marketing, and legal issues.
- have a broad understanding of business and management processes, security risks, and the application of business law and intellectual property.
- have comprehensive knowledge and understanding of a wide range of existing and emerging theories, technologies and processes and demonstrate professional competence and critical awareness when selecting and applying them for design and analysis.
- recognise that the impacts of their decisions may be global and long-lasting and are able to apply the principles of ethics as well as sustainability through the UNSD Goals.
- are equipped to work with stakeholders and social and cultural structures, both within and outside of their normal community of practice, recognising the benefits and importance of equality, diversity and inclusion, and that the impacts of their decisions may be global and long-lasting.

The BEng (Hons) Engineering Design programme will develop high calibre engineers who are able to function both as an engineer and a technology leader in industries such as aerospace, electronic, automotive, alternative energy, oil and gas, and similar high-tech industries.

Key to the exploitation of emerging technologies is understanding their behaviour, performance and limitations. The ability to model and simulate the performance of new technologies is paramount where design optimisation is required.

Advanced modelling and simulation techniques can also be harnessed to shorten design time and reduce market entry costs. This is essential where emerging technologies are exploited as existing methodologies may prohibit lengthy development programmes.

Understanding how emerging technologies can be harnessed through enterprise is essential for an innovative market. Therefore, sound business knowledge is required as well as identifying avenues for research funding and strategic collaboration.

The main emphasis of the programme will be in studying solid-state mechanics, manufacturing, electronic design and/or modern/non-traditional engineering technologies and their integration. An aligned individual project together with up-to-date engineering skills will ensure the graduate can not only understand the technologies but apply them.

The programme seeks to develop global citizens who understand how the world works economically, politically, socially, culturally, technologically and environmentally. They will be able to balance the demands of industry against ethical practice and social and environmental impacts identified in the UNSD Goals. Students will develop team-working skills and understand the importance and benefit of equality, diversity and inclusion.

The apprentices who joined at level 4 at UCN or level 5 at HND and have completed HND either in Mechanical, Electrical and Electronic or Manufacturing Engineering pathways will join the top-up programme. UCN will be managing the apprenticeships and Bournemouth University will be the degree awarding organisation for the 1-year top-up BEng (Hons) Engineering Design.

The Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours for the apprenticeship standards mainly the Product Design and Development Engineer (ST0027 v1.0) and Manufacturing Engineer (ST0025 v1.0) have been mapped for the L6 Degree Top-Up programme. The mapping of level 4 to 5 programmes of study is outside the scope of this programme specification.

Programmes differentiate through the candidate's progression route and project selection:

- Those progressing from UCN HND Engineering (Mechanical) or equivalent will normally complete a
 project in the Mechanical discipline and graduate with a BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical
 Engineering).
- Candidates progressing from UCN HND Engineering (Manufacturing) or equivalent will normally complete a project in the Manufacturing discipline and graduate with a BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering).
- Candidates progressing from UCN HND Engineering (Electrical and Electronic) or equivalent will
 normally complete a project in the Electrical and Electronic discipline and graduate with a BEng (Hons)
 Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering).

ALIGNMENT WITH THE UNIVERSITY'S STRATEGIC PLAN

The BEng (Hons) Engineering Design programme is informed by and aligned with Bournemouth University's 2025 strategic plan and the fusion of excellent teaching, world-class research and professional practice that is at the heart of the institution's visions and values. Students are supported by academics with a wealth of industry experience, many of whom are actively engaged with national professional engineering institutions. Academics delivering the programme are actively engaged in cutting edge research and consultancy projects, while students are encouraged to participate in a range of co- creation and co-publication projects. The programme's innovative pedagogic approach offers students the opportunity to learn by engaging in a series of practical, industry focused projects. These projects are aimed at equipping students with the full range of skills necessary to succeed in an innovative engineering environment, are informed by the academic team's own industrial experience as well as by a network of industry contacts, who may also contribute directly to the programme by delivering guest lectures and providing opportunities for industrial visits.

LEARNING HOURS AND ASSESSMENT

Bournemouth University taught programmes are composed of units of study, which are assigned a credit value indicating the amount of learning undertaken. The minimum credit value of a unit is normally 20 credits, above which credit values normally increase at 20-point intervals. 20 credits is the equivalent of 200 study hours required of the student, including lectures, seminars, assessment and independent study. 20 University credits are equivalent to 10 European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) credits.

The assessment workload for a unit should consider the total time devoted to study, including the assessment workload (i.e. formative and summative assessment) and the taught elements and independent study workload (i.e. lectures, seminars, preparatory work, practical activities, reading, critical reflection).

Assessment per 20 credit unit should normally consist of 3,000 words or equivalent. Dissertations and Level 6 and 7 Final Projects are distinct from other assessment types. The word count for these assignments is 5,000 words per 20 credits, recognising that undertaking an in-depth piece of original research as the capstone to a degree is pedagogically sound.

STAFF DELIVERING THE PROGRAMME

Students will usually be taught by a combination of senior academic staff with others who have relevant expertise including – where appropriate according to the content of the unit – academic staff, qualified professional engineers and demonstrators/technicians..

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND BEHAVIOURS MAPPING SCHEDULE

1. Product Design and Development Engineer [V1.0, Non-integrated EPA]

The mapping of KSBs with the Engineering Design (Mechanical or Electrical and Electronic Engineering) is presented below. The mapping at level 4 and 5 are outside the scope of this programme specification.

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B10: Adaptability: Able to adjust to different conditions, technologies, situations and environments.				X	
B11: Self-Motivation: A 'self-starter', who always wants to give their best, sets themselves challenging targets, can make their own decisions.			X		X
B12: Willingness to learn: Wants to drive their continuous professional development	Х		Х		
B13: Commitment: Able to commit to the beliefs, goals and standards of their own employer and to the wider industry and its professional standards.	x	X	X	X	

2. Manufacturing Engineer [V1.1, 26/02/2024] Non-Integrated

The mapping of KSBs with the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering) top-degree is presented below. The mapping at level 4 and 5 are outside the scope of this programme specification.

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KSB Reference	Professional	Advanced Engineering (UCN)	CN)	2	CN)
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K1: Mathematics and science for engineers		X		X	ا
K2: Materials and manufacture		X		X	
K3: 3D Computer Aided Design and Computer Aided Engineering		X		X	
K4: How to run and manage business led projects		^	V	^	
K5: Engineering operations and business management			X		
K6: Manufacturing processes	-	v	Х		X
K7: Product improvement and engineering project management	X	X	v		_
S1: Comply with statutory and organisational safety requirements and demonstrate a	X		Х		
responsible and disciplined approach to risk mitigation, avoidance and management. S2: Undertake project management and schedule of engineering activities	X	Х	~	X	V
S3: Secure and manage appropriate resources	Х		X	X	X
<u> </u>			Х		
S4: Manage budgets	X		X		
S5: Implement engineering processes	X		X	Х	X
S6: Monitor and evaluate engineering processes	X		X		
B1: Safety mindset. The importance of complying with statutory and organisational health, safety and risk management requirements and the implications if these are not adhered to	x		x		X
B2: Strong work ethic: Has a positive attitude, motivated by engineering; dependable, ethical, responsible and reliable.	x		x		X
B3: Logical approach: Able to structure a plan and develop activities following a logical thought process, but also able to quickly "think on feet" when working through them.			X		
B4: Problem solving orientation: Identifies issues quickly, enjoys solving complex problems and applies appropriate solutions. Has a strong desire to push to ensure the true root cause of any problem is found and a solution identified which prevents further recurrence.			X		X
B5: Quality focus: Follows rules, procedures and principles in ensuring work completed is fit for purpose and pays attention to detail / error checks throughout activities.	X				
B6: Personal responsibility and resilience : Motivated to succeed accountable and persistent to complete task.			X		X
B7: Clear communicator: Uses a variety of appropriate communication methods to give/receive information accurately, and in a timely and positive manner.	X		X		
B8: Team player: Not only plays own part but able to work and communicate clearly and effectively within a team and interacts/ helps others when required. In doing so applies these skills in a respectful professional manner.		Х			Х
B9: Applies Lean Manufacturing Principles: Demonstrates continuous improvement in driving effectiveness and efficiency				X	1
B10: Adaptability: Able to adjust to different conditions, technologies, situations and environments.				X	
B11: Self-Motivation: A 'self-starter', who always wants to give their best, sets themselves challenging targets, can make their own decisions.			X		х
B12: Willingness to learn: Wants to drive their continuous professional development	х		Х		
B13: Commitment: Able to commit to the beliefs, goals and standards of their own employer and to the wider industry and its professional standards.	X	X	X	x	

INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES - AND HOW THE PROGRAMME ENABLES APPRENTICES TO ACHIEVE AND DEMONSTRATE THE INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES

PROGRAMME (LEVEL 6) INTENDED PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

This	Subject knowledge and understanding sprogramme provides opportunities for apprentices to elop and demonstrate knowledge and understanding of:	The following learning and teaching and assessment strategies and methods enable apprentices to achieve and to demonstrate the programme learning outcomes:			
A1	modern engineering technologies and processes for potential application in industry at a professional engineer level;	Learning and teaching strategies and methods (referring to numbered Intended Learning Outcomes):			
A2	the appropriate analytical and/or computer tools for efficiently and effectively predicting performance inservice;	 independent research (for project) (A1-A4); lectures (A1-A5); 			
A3	the planning, implementation and presentation of an individual project;	 seminars (A1–A5); practical tutorials (A2, A4); directed reading (A1, A4, A5); use of the VLE (A1-A5). 			
A4	business situations with respect to strengths and weaknesses, opportunities and threats and develop ways and means to counteract or exploit such aspects.	Assessment strategies and methods (referring to numbered Intended			
A5	the importance and benefit of equality, diversity and inclusion, as well as being able to balance the demands of industry against social and environmental impacts identified in the UNSD Goals.	 Learning Outcomes): individual project (A1-A4); examination (A1); coursework (A1-A5). 			
	ntellectual skills s programme provides opportunities for apprentices to:	The following learning and teaching and assessment strategies and methods enable apprentices to achieve and to demonstrate the programme outcomes:			
B1	approach and implement engineering in a methodical and disciplined manner;	Learning and teaching strategies and methods:			
B2	evaluate and synthesise information from a number of sources in order to gain a coherent understanding of engineering theory and practice;	 independent research (for project) (B1- B6); group exercises (B2, B4); practical tutorials (B6); 			
В3	evaluate critically, and apply scientific knowledge and skills in the development and implementation of practical solutions to complex engineering problems;	 directed reading (B2, B6); use of the VLE (B1-B6). 			
В4	plan and implement engineering design projects individually and in a group;	Assessment strategies and methods: • individual project (B1-B6);			
В5	demonstrate a level and type of education to allow the pursuit of postgraduate research in a related discipline;	examination (B2);coursework (B1–B6)			
В6	critically evaluate modern engineering technologies research and future trends.				

C: Practical skills The following learning and teaching and assessment strategies and methods enable apprentices to achieve and to This programme provides opportunities for apprentices to: demonstrate the programme learning outcomes: C1 identify, understand and employ the appropriate Learning and teaching strategies and analytical models to solve complex engineering design methods: problems; individual project (C2, C3,C5,C6); C2 use highly specialised manual and/or computer-based practical tutorials (C2, C3, C5); methods for engineering communication and seminars (C4); presentation; use of the VLE (C1-C6). C3 be able to employ efficiently advanced modelling, simulation and analysis packages in engineering Assessment strategies and methods: design; individual project (C2,C3,C5, C6); C4 critically review and select engineering materials and coursework (C1-C6); material processing methods for the design of examination (C1). components: C5 identify and safely use appropriate laboratory methods; **C6** use modern engineering technologies and tools to establish innovative non-routine engineering solutions and adapt engineering designs D: Transferable skills The following learning and teaching and assessment strategies and methods enable apprentices to achieve and to This programme provides opportunities for apprentices to: demonstrate the programme learning outcomes: Learning and teaching strategies and communicate effectively and confidently by oral, written and visual means to technical and non-technical audiences; methods: **D2** work effectively in collaboration with others, including lectures (D1); staff and students; individual project (D1, D3-D7); practical tutorials (D3, D7); D3 demonstrate creativity in problem solving and the seminars (D1); application of knowledge across discipline areas; group exercises (D1, D2, D6); **D4** identify and work towards targets for personal, career, use of the VLE (D1 - D7). and academic development **D5** be independent and reflective learners; Assessment strategies and methods: **D6** use IT including the Web, spreadsheets, presentation individual projects (D1, D3-D7); and word processing; examination (D7); coursework (D1-D7). **D7** solve numerical and statistical problems using appropriate techniques.

ADMISSION REGULATIONS

The regulations for this programme are the University's Standard Undergraduate Admission Regulations (https://intranetsp.bournemouth.ac.uk/pandptest/3a-undergraduate-admissions-regulations.pdf) with the following exceptions:

Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Mechanical) programme at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Mechanical Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University.

Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Electrical and Electronic) programmes at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Electrical and Electronic Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University.

Students who have successfully completed the HND in Engineering (Manufacturing) programme at University Centre Newbury with a Pass will be eligible to apply for entry with advanced standing to the Level 6 of the BEng (Hons) Engineering Design (Manufacturing Engineering) programme at Bournemouth University and credited with 120 credits at Level 4 and 120 credits at Level 5.

Additionally, other applicants to Level 6 for the BEng Engineering Design (all pathways) programme require a FdSc, FdEng or HND with Pass in a relevant engineering discipline accredited to EngTech, partial IEng or IEng.

Mature applicants without the above qualifications will also be considered for entry by interview and submission of an up-to-date relevant CV.

PROGRESSION ROUTES

Partnership arrangements provide formally approved progression routes through which students are eligible to apply for a place on a programme leading to a BU award.

Please find information on Global Partnerships here: Global partnerships | Bournemouth University

ASSESSMENT REGULATIONS

The regulations for this programme are the University's <u>Standard Undergraduate Assessment Regulations (6A)</u> with the following approved exceptions to clauses 7.1 and 7.2 which align the programme with the requirements of The Engineering Council, Accreditation of Higher Education Programmes (AHEP):

COMPENSATION (Section 7)

Compensation may only be applied for up to 20 credits at level 6 and cannot be applied to individual or group project units.

WORK BASED LEARNING (WBL) AND PLACEMENT ELEMENTS

This course is offered to the students/apprentices who are in relevant employment in the engineering industry. All units offer informal opportunity for reflection on current practice at the work place and further their learning in addition to the taught sessions in the programme.

All students, undertake a number of industry related case studies/projects. These can be carried out within a company or developed within the college/university environment. In both cases the projects involve direct contact with the customer and as such are 'live' projects. When a project is carried, students will normally design and develop a project specified by a company.

Site visits, presentations by and discussions with industry representatives will also ensure that a "real world" understanding of project management is achieved.

Reflective logs are used to facilitate students' learning and encourage the transferability of knowledge between study and the workplace. The units are designed to encourage the students to review what they do at work in light of the UK Standard for Professional Engineering Competence (UK-SPEC), fulfilling the competence and commitment requirements for registration as an Incorporated Engineer (IEng).

All students, undertake an industry related Project at level 6. This can be carried out within a company or developed within the academic environment. In both cases the projects involve direct contact with the customer.

Programme Skills Matrix - BEng (Hons) Engineering Design

Units		Programme Intended Learning Outcomes																							
		A 1	A 2	A 3	A 4	A 5		B 2	B 3	B 4		B 6	C	C 2	C 3	C 4	C 5	C 6	D 1	D 2	D 3	D 4	D 5	D 6	D 7
L E V E L	Advanced Engineering (UCN) (20)	х	X	J		Ŭ	x	X	Х	-	Х	х	x	_	Х	Х	х	х	x	x	Х	-	х	Х	x
	BEng Project (UCN) (40)	Х	х	х	Х	х	х	Х	х		Х			Х	х		Х	Х	х		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Innovation and Professional Practice (UCN) (20)			х	Х	х				х	х								х	х	х	х	х	х	
	Computational Engineering (UCN) (20)	х	х				х		х		Х		х	х	х	х		х	х		х		х	х	х
	Mechatronics (UCN) (20)	Х	Х				Х		Х		Х		Х		Х		Х		Х						Х