

BSc (Hons) Computing; BSc (Hons) Computing with Work Experience

2020-21 Addenda to Programme Specification

Awarding Institution:

University of London (Interim Exit Awards made by Goldsmiths' College)

Teaching Institution: Goldsmiths, University of London

Name of Final Award and Programme Title:

BSc (Hons) Computing

BSc (Hons) Computing with Work Experience

Name of Interim Exit Award(s):

Certificate of Higher Education in Computing

Diploma of Higher Education in Computing

FHEQ Level of Award: Level 6

Programme accredited by: Not applicable

Home Department: Computing

Department(s) which will also be involved in teaching part of the programme:

Institute for Creative and Cultural Entrepreneurship (ICCE); Institute of Management Studies

(IMS)

Overview of programme changes

Goldsmiths has needed to make changes to the way in which its programmes will be taught in 2020-21 in response to the ongoing global Covid-19 pandemic. This means that all programmes will be taught through a mix of online and in-person teaching sessions in 2020-21.

In some instances changes have also been made to assessment formats where necessary.

This addenda summarises approved changes that will be in place for 2020-21. Further programme information is provided in the published programme specification.



How you will learn and how you will be assessed

Academic year of study 1 for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Introduction to	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Programming	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Front End Web	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
	Update 12 October 2020: This text	
	replaces the text above. This module is	
	delivered in the autumn term via weekly	
	online lecture (also recorded in most	
	cases for students to access later), and	
	weekly 'review seminar' delivered online	
	(with room access to students for peer	
	learning). One-to-one or small group	
	online contact with lecturer(s) within	
	'virtual contact hours'. Bookable facilities	
	for unsupervised work.	
How Computers	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Work	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Designing Digital	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Interactions	most cases for students to access later),	



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	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Business Enterprise	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
in the Digital Era	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Introduction to	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Computing	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Computing Project 1	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Perspectives on	Title changed to 'Perspectives on Capital:	No change
Capital Financial,	Cultural, Social, Financial, Critical'. 10	
Physical, Human	pre-recorded lectures uploaded to the	
and Social	VLE. 8 seminars online and 2 tutorials on-	
	campus. VLE forum discussion.	



Academic year of study 2 for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Java for Industry	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Dynamic Web	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Applications	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Computing Project 2	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
	most cases for students to access later),	
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Information Security	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	Exam (50%) changed to take
	most cases for students to access later),	home/online exam (50%)
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Networks and	Optional module not available during 2020-	. •
Protocols	and Opportunities available instead, as par	t of an annually approved list.
Spreadsheet	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Modelling for	most cases for students to access later),	
Business	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	



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	small group online contact with lecturer(s) within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable facilities for unsupervised work.	
Interaction Design	Optional module now compulsory for 2020-21. Weekly online lecture (also recorded in most cases for students to access later), and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus and online (students allocated on rotation to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or small group online contact with lecturer(s) within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable facilities for unsupervised work.	No change
Extended Java	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in most cases for students to access later), and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus and online (students allocated on rotation to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or small group online contact with lecturer(s) within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable facilities for unsupervised work.	No change

Academic year of study 3 for BSc Computing with Work Experience for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Work Placement	Students on placement, working remotely	No change
	online and/or onsite. The amount of face-	
	to-face onsite working is dependent on	
	the host organisation and safe-working	
	practices being in place.	

Academic year of study 3 for BSc Computing (and 4 for BSc Computing with Work Experience) for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Optional modules	Optional modules from an annually approved list	
Digital Venture	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	Exam (50%) changed to take
Creation	most cases for students to access later),	home/online exam (50%)
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	



Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Final Project in	One-to-one supervision either on-campus	No change
Computing	or online virtual meeting, as is mutually	
	convenient for student and supervisor.	
	One-to-one or small group online contact	
	with lecturer(s) within 'virtual contact	
	hours'. Bookable facilities for	
	unsupervised work.	