Foundation Degree in Combined Professional Studies

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available by going online to the Open University ‘Essential Documents’ website at www.open.ac.uk/essential-documents.

Award letters
FD (Open)

Entry requirements
None

Maximum duration of study
12 years

Credit requirement
240

Stage 1 (120 credits)
30 credits from the specified compulsory work-based module, 30 credits from specified core option modules and 60 credits from specified modules

Stage 2 (120 credits)
90 credits from specified modules and 30 credits from the specified compulsory work-based module

Maximum transferred credit
150 credits, of which no more than 60 can be at OU Stage 2. Credit transfer is not permitted against the specified compulsory work-based modules at OU Stage 1 and Stage 2.

Maximum age of credit transfer
16 years

Unique study requirement
90 credits

Additional rules
None