Master of Engineering

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available by going online to the Open University ‘Student Policies and Regulations’ website at https://help.open.ac.uk/documents/policies.

Short title
Master of Engineering

Award letters
MEng

Entry requirements
None

Maximum duration of study
16 years, except where credit transfer has been awarded, in which case the time to complete the OU credit will be as follows:

- 240 credits to complete – 8 years
- 270 credits to complete – 9 years
- 300 credits to complete – 10 years
- 330 credits to complete – 11 years
- 360 credits to complete – 12 years
- 390 credits to complete – 13 years
- 420 credits to complete – 14 years
- 450 credits to complete – 15 years

Credit requirement
480

Stage 1 (120 credits)
120 credits per stage according to the route chosen.

Stage 2 (120 credits)
120 credits per stage according to the route chosen.

Stage 3 (120 credits)
120 credits per stage according to the route chosen.
Stage 4 (120 credits)
120 credits per stage according to the route chosen.

Maximum transferred credit
240 credits at OU Stages 1 and 2

Maximum age of credit transfer
5 years

Unique study requirement
180 credits at OU Stage 3 and above, but see Additional rules.

Additional rules
Credit from a completed BEng cannot be used towards the MEng.

The University has previously offered the degree of Master of Engineering under qualification codes M02 and M03.