



In the past few decades the importance of environmental management has continually risen on the agenda of both private and public organisations due to the increasing environmental crises that the world is facing. In addition, the scope of what is covered by environmental management is becoming broader with elements of sustainability being embedded within industry standards.

As the scope of what is covered by environmental management broadens, by extension the skills environmental practitioners and managers are expected to have now includes social and financial skillsets such as corporate governance, making environmental business cases, communication and reporting, sustainable value chain and sustainable business management among others.

Following this shift in the sector, the need to acquire sustainability skills and training for environmental management practitioners has never been so important.

Accredited by IEMA, giving you Free Student Membership

This programme is accredited by the [Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment \(IEMA\)](#), a high-quality benchmark recognised by employers around the world.

The IEMA Accreditation gives you free IEMA student membership while studying this programme, giving you access to a wide range of resources and support to compliment your studies such as free articles, webinars, events, newsfeed and downloads as well as copies of The Transform Magazine, the world's most read environment and sustainability publication.

Up on completion of this course, you will be eligible to join the Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment (IEMA) as a graduate member (GradIEMA) and fast track to Practitioner Member status (PIEMA) depending on your experience.

Popular with those already in the industry

This degree is a popular choice for those already employed in the industry due to the ability to study some of our modules on their own to enhance your CPD. Our standalone 20 credit modules have been designed to enhance career development and progression into the broader areas of sustainability and leadership. The 20 credit modules that can be taken as standalone modules are as follows:

- [International Environmental Policy Law Certificate of credit](#)
- [Tools for Delivering Sustainable Solutions to Environmental Problems Certificate of credit](#)

- [Sustainable Business Management Certificate of credit](#)
- [Environmental Impact Assessment Certificate of credit](#)

Exemptions for IEMA Practitioners

As 3 core modules are aligned to IEMA's practitioner level membership, IEMA practitioner members can join the programme at the Postgraduate Diploma stage.

When can I start?

You can apply for any of our three intakes – September, January or May. You can [apply :](#)

[online](#)

to

secure your place.

To learn more and to speak with our admissions advisors, you can call us on +44 (0)1332 594000 or email UDOLenquiries@derby.ac.uk .

For more details about our MSc Sustainability and Environmental Management course visit the [University of Derby Online Learning website](#)