



# FOOTWEAR FOUNDATION DEGREE

**Two academic  
years full-time**

**September  
to June**

**Sponsored  
Student Visa**

**International  
Tuition Fee: £10,700**

**This Foundation Degree addresses the needs of today's footwear industry. It is equivalent to years one and two of a BA (Hons) degree and combines academic research with vocational practice in a range of footwear disciplines.**

Learn about specific requirements in design; shoemaking; range building; trend packages; supply chain management and footwear business and production while benefiting from our strong industry links.

Areas of study include style and colour prediction; brand identity and marketing; CAD/Photoshop/Illustrator for fashion and footwear; Autodesk 3D software; footwear fashion and design; production technology; footwear buying; supply and management; manufacturing technology; professional development; and product design and development.

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# PROGRAMME OUTLINE

## Year one

This course addresses the needs of today's footwear industry and there is a strong focus on work-based learning. You will cover a broad spectrum of footwear industry-related topics. You will study the following modules in year one at level 4:

- Footwear Fashion and Design (to include CAD and Textiles)
- Production Technology
- Footwear Buying
- Supply and Management Skills.

## Year two

A larger element of independent study is required, with further development of your specialist skills culminating in a final collection and end of year show. You will study the following modules:

- Style Prediction and Marketing Strategies
- Manufacturing Technology
- Professional Development (employability skills and industry experience)
- Product Design and Development.

## Progression

You can top up to a full degree by joining the final year of the BA (Hons) Professional Studies (Creative Industries) at Leicester College or the BA (Hons) Footwear at DMU, or to apply to other universities to top-up to other footwear-related degree programmes. You could progress to product development and design, buying, footwear manufacturing and retail, quality control or footwear technology.