

School of Arts, Languages and Cultures

Google Analytics Report

September 2012 – February 2013



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1. Summary

- The University of Manchester utilises a Google Search Appliance (GSA) to continually monitor website usage
- The GSA allows for individual accounts to be created to monitor usage on localized (Faculty and School) websites
- The School of Arts, Languages and Cultures analytics account was activated on September 4 2012

F or the purposes of this report, the following metrics apply to the period **4 September 2012 – 20 February 2013**.

1.1 Visitor overview

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures received the following number of visitors:

| Visits | 138,965 |
|------------------------|----------|
| Unique visitors | 81,521 |
| Page views | 686,003 |
| Page visits | 4.94 |
| Average visit duration | 00:03:19 |
| Bounce rate | 38.68% |
| New visits | 58.65% |

Definitions

Visits: The number of visits to the website.

Unique visitors: The number of unduplicated (counted only once) visitors to the website over the course of the specified time period.

Page views: The total number of pages viewed. Repeated views of a single page are counted.

Page visits: The average number of pages viewed during a visit to your site. Repeated views of a single page are counted.

Average visit duration: The average time duration of a session.

Bounce rate: The percentage of single-page visits (i.e. visits in which the person left the website from the entrance page).

New visits: An estimate of the percentage of first time visits



1.2 Top 10 most popular pages / sections

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 pages / sections were:

| Page / section | Visits |
|---|--------|
| SALC homepage | 58,059 |
| Subject landing page | 37,290 |
| Our people landing page | 18,979 |
| Music landing page | 15,231 |
| Graduate school landing page | 12,646 |
| English, American Studies and Creative Writing landing page | 12,326 |
| How to apply landing page | 12,207 |
| History landing page | 11,572 |
| About us landing page | 10,199 |
| Fees and funding landing page | 9,906 |

1.3 Visitors by top-level tab

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 subject areas were:

| Subject area | Page views | % of Total views |
|------------------|------------|------------------|
| Subjects | 406,965 | 59.32% |
| About us | 32,486 | 4.74% |
| How to apply | 32,331 | 4.71% |
| Our people | 30,395 | 4.43% |
| Graduate school | 28,360 | 4.13% |
| Fees and funding | 24,972 | 3.64% |
| Our research | 16,454 | 2.40% |
| Alumni | 4,209 | 0.61% |



1.4 Visitors by subject area

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the most popular subject areas were:

| Subject area | Page views |
|--|------------|
| English, American Studies and Creative Writing | 45,345 |
| History | 39,149 |
| Music | 35,653 |
| Linguistics and English Language | 33,952 |
| Translation and Intercultural Studies | 26,659 |
| Religions and Theology | 22,664 |
| Middle Eastern Studies | 22,212 |
| Art History and Visual Studies | 21,996 |
| Classics and Ancient History | 19,549 |
| Drama | 18,074 |
| Archaeology | 17,229 |
| East Asian Studies | 11,678 |
| Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies | 10,898 |
| French Studies | 10,491 |
| Russian and East European Studies | 9,284 |
| Italian Studies | 8,445 |
| German Studies | 7,894 |

1.5 Visitors by behaviour

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the following behaviour was observed:

| Visitor type | Visits | Visit % |
|-------------------|--------|---------|
| New visitor | 81,589 | 58.71% |
| Returning visitor | 57,376 | 41.29% |



1.6 Visitors by browser

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 internet browsers used to access the website were:

| Browser | Visits | Visit % |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|
| Internet explorer | 38,038 | 27.37% |
| Chrome | 37,438 | 26.94% |
| Safari | 30,352 | 21.84% |
| Firefox | 28,815 | 20.74% |
| Android browser | 1,846 | 1.33% |
| Opera | 1,120 | 0.81% |
| Safari (in-app) | 485 | 0.35% |
| Mozilla compatible agent | 289 | 0.21% |
| Opera mini | 273 | 0.20% |
| IE with Chrome frame | 138 | 0.10% |



1.7 Visitors by mobile device

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, 11,756 people used a mobile device to access the website. The top 10 devices used were:

| Mobile device | Visits |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Apple iPad | 4,625 |
| Apple iPhone | 3,889 |
| (Unidentified device) | 559 |
| Apple iPod | 241 |
| Samsung GT-I9100 Galaxy S II | 229 |
| Samsung GT-I9300 Galaxy S3 | 104 |
| Apple iPod Touch | 84 |
| Google Nexus 7 | 84 |
| SonyEricsson LT15i Xperia Arc | 83 |
| SonyEricsson LT26i Xperia Arc HD | 67 |



1.8 Visitors by geographic location

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 geographic website access points were:

| Location | Visits | |
|------------------------|--------|--|
| United Kingdom | 98,930 | |
| United States | 6,026 | |
| China | 2,520 | |
| Germany | 2,150 | |
| Italy | 2,011 | |
| Spain | 1,892 | |
| (Unidentified country) | 1,558 | |
| France | 1,239 | |
| Canada | 1,219 | |
| Japan | 928 | |



2. Subject area metrics

2.1 Archaeology

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Archaeology pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Archaeology landing page | 6,882 |
| Our people | 1,926 |
| Undergraduate | 1,145 |
| Postgraduate taught | 695 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 646 |
| Postgraduate research | 527 |
| Archaeology research | 477 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 258 |
| (Course) Archaeology (3 Years) {BA} | 242 |
| Events and seminars | 239 |



2.2 Art History and Visual Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Art History and Visual Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|---|--------|
| Art History and Visual Studies landing page | 7,485 |
| Our people | 2,728 |
| Undergraduate | 1,591 |
| Postgraduate taught | 1,159 |
| Postgraduate research | 738 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 594 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 523 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 502 |
| Art History and Visual Studies Research | 489 |
| (Course) History of Art (3 years) {BA} | 431 |

2.3 Classics and Ancient History

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Classics and Ancient History pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|---|--------|
| Classics and Ancient History landing page | 7,234 |
| Our people | 2,410 |
| Undergraduate | 1,323 |
| Seminars | 682 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 657 |
| Events | 601 |
| Postgraduate taught | 513 |
| Postgraduate research | 476 |
| Classics and Ancient History Research | 410 |
| Facilities and resources | 351 |



2.4 Drama

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Drama pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Drama landing page | 5,959 |
| Our people | 1,612 |
| Undergraduate | 1,353 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 858 |
| Postgraduate taught | 756 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 535 |
| Postgraduate research | 481 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 456 |
| (Course) Drama (3 years) {BA} | 450 |
| Drama research | 361 |



2.5 East Asian Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 East Asian Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| East Asian Studies landing page | 3,456 |
| Our people | 1,386 |
| Undergraduate | 778 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 516 |
| Postgraduate taught | 448 |
| Postgraduate research | 397 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 346 |
| East Asian Studies Research | 284 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 166 |
| Events and seminars | 160 |

2.6 English, American Studies and Creative Writing

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 English, American Studies and Creative Writing pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| EASCW landing page | 12,326 |
| Document extracts (hidden page) | 5,805 |
| Our people | 3,778 |
| Undergraduate | 2,479 |
| Postgraduate taught | 1,452 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 1,392 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 1,337 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 1,103 |
| Postgraduate research | 903 |
| EASCW research | 664 |



2.7 French Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 French Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|--|--------|
| French Studies landing page | 3,026 |
| Our people | 1,565 |
| Undergraduate | 818 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 533 |
| Postgraduate research | 324 |
| French Studies Research | 251 |
| Postgraduate taught | 244 |
| (Course) French Studies (4 years) {BA} | 205 |
| Events and seminars | 198 |
| Current PhD students | 196 |

2.8 German Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 History pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|--|--------|
| German studies landing page | 2,825 |
| Our people | 1,177 |
| Undergraduate | 615 |
| (Course list) Undergraduate | 345 |
| Postgraduate research | 210 |
| German Studies research | 201 |
| Events and seminars | 191 |
| Postgraduate taught | 147 |
| (Course) German Studies (4 years) {BA} | 129 |
| (Projects) GermanC | 109 |



2.9 History

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 History pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| History landing page | 11,572 |
| Our people | 4,061 |
| Undergraduate | 2,870 |
| Our people (following URL change) | 2,263 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 1,449 |
| Postgraduate taught | 1,239 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 1,149 |
| Postgraduate research | 1,005 |
| (Course) History (3 years) {BA} | 899 |
| Events and seminars | 694 |

2.10 Italian Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Italian Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|--|--------|
| Italian Studies landing page | 2,289 |
| Our people | 1,033 |
| Undergraduate | 447 |
| Postgraduate research | 343 |
| (Course) Translation and Intercultural Studies PhD | 336 |
| Italian Studies Research | 272 |
| Events and seminars | 252 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 243 |
| (Course) Translation and Intercultural Studies PhD | 166 |
| (page 2 of Campus Solution output) | |
| Current PhD students | 165 |



2.11 Linguistics and English Language

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Linguistics and English Language pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|---|--------|
| Linguistics and English Language landing page | 9,860 |
| Our people | 3,879 |
| Undergraduate | 1,783 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 1,281 |
| Postgraduate research | 1,039 |
| Postgraduate taught | 1,000 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 988 |
| Linguistics and English Language research | 782 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 525 |
| (Projects) Archer | 460 |

2.12 Middle Eastern Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Middle Eastern Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Middle Eastern Studies | 5,715 |
| Our people | 2,390 |
| Undergraduate | 1,082 |
| (Event) 2011 Egyptian Revolution | 947 |
| Events and seminars | 908 |
| Postgraduate taught | 842 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 827 |
| Postgraduate research | 681 |
| (Event) Mihan lecture series | 656 |
| Middle Eastern Studies research | 614 |



2.13 Music

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Music pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|------------------------------------|--------|
| Music landing page | 15,231 |
| Our people | 2,810 |
| Undergraduate | 2,338 |
| (Course) Music (3 years) {MusB} | 988 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 909 |
| Performance | 737 |
| Postgraduate taught | 609 |
| (Course) Music (3 years) {MusB} | 577 |
| (page 2 of Campus Solution output) | |
| Musicology | 528 |
| Composition | 510 |

2.14 Religions and Theology

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Religions and Theology pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|---|--------|
| Religions and Theology landing page | 7,741 |
| Our people | 2,489 |
| Undergraduate | 1,818 |
| Postgraduate taught | 785 |
| Postgraduate research | 755 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 666 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 649 |
| Religions and Theology research | 559 |
| Events and seminars | 551 |
| (Course) Religion and Theology (3 years) {BA} | 329 |



2.15 Russian and East European Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Russian and East European Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|--|--------|
| Russian and East European Studies landing page | 2,875 |
| Our people | 1,085 |
| Undergraduate | 523 |
| Postgraduate research | 446 |
| Postgraduate taught | 357 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 318 |
| Current PhD students | 295 |
| Russian and East European Studies research | 262 |
| Events and seminars | 220 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 194 |

2.16 Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 SPLAS pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| SPLAS landing page | 3,363 |
| Our people | 1,389 |
| Undergraduate | 712 |
| Course list (Undergraduate) | 435 |
| Postgraduate research | 355 |
| Postgraduate taught | 325 |
| SPLAS research | 315 |
| Events and seminars | 257 |
| Seminars | 207 |
| Course list (Postgraduate research) | 206 |



2.17 Translation and Intercultural Studies

Between 4 September 2012 and 20 February 2013, the top 10 Translation and Intercultural Studies pages were:

| Page | Visits |
|--|--------|
| Translation and Intercultural Studies landing page | 7,842 |
| Our people | 1,931 |
| Postgraduate research | 1,877 |
| Postgraduate taught | 1,746 |
| (Course) Translation and Interpreting Studies MA | 1,400 |
| Course list (Postgraduate taught) | 1,189 |
| Events | 1,050 |
| Translation and Intercultural Studies research | 833 |
| Current PhD students | 699 |
| (Course) Translation and Interpreting Studies MA (page 2 of Campus Solutions output) | 658 |