**Postgraduate History**

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| **Courses offered** | * History MA * Medieval and Early Modern Studies MA   All 12 months full-time, 24 months part-time |
| **Entry requirements** | A First or Upper Second class honours degree, or its overseas equivalent |
| **Why study at The University of Manchester?** | * We’re 7th in the UK for History (QS World UniversityRankings by Subject 2019). * We’re ranked 9th in the UK for History, Philosophy and Theology (THE World Rankings by Subject 2020). * Enjoy unparalleled access to the expert staff and Special Collections of The John Rylands Library and the John Rylands Research Institute. Both offer immense holdings of printed primary medieval sources, as well as extensive holdings for early modernists. * Study in Manchester, a living history book – from Peterloo and the anti-slavery movement, to Roman forts and medieval monuments. |
| **Funding** | **Manchester Alumni Scholarship Scheme**  £3000 fee reduction for students who have received a 1st class degree from The University of Manchester within the three years prior to the Master’s start date.  **Manchester Master’s Bursary**  Each year, the University offers 100 bursaries worth £3,000 in funding for students from underrepresented groups. |
| **Graduate prospects** | **History**  The high standard of arts research training, both formal and practical, opens doors to many kinds of modern public and private sector graduate careers requiring research skills, formulation of projects and policy documents.  Our work placement scheme provides the opportunity to gain valuable work experience and learn about history in practice in one of our partner institutions in the Manchester area. Examples include the People’s History Museum, Whitworth Art Gallery and the National Football Museum.  **Medieval and Early Modern Studies**  This interdisciplinary course equips you with the critical skills and tools necessary for research in the history, literatures and art of the Middle Ages and Early Modern periods.  Many of these theoretical and methodological skills are highly transferable, making our graduates popular with a wide range of employers. Working closely with the collections of the John Rylands Library makes our course particularly suitable if you’re considering a future in heritage management, library, archive, or museum work, art business, or education. |