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AN INTRODUCTION TO the University of London

The University of London is a unique federation of 17 independent higher education institutions. Across these renowned institutions is a collective community of more than 250,000 learners and 50,000 staff, delivering world-leading education and research across all disciplines.

The University of London is also a leading provider of digital and distance education internationally, and in partnership with our federation members we offer programmes to more than 40,000 students in over 190 countries. Although proudly rooted in London, our community and impact are global.

Our School of Advanced Studies, located in Bloomsbury at our iconic Senate House, is the UK's national centre for the support and promotion of research in the humanities. Our central building is also home to Senate House Library, one of the UK's largest

and best academic libraries for arts, humanities and social sciences, with over 2 million items in our collections.

Our first Royal Charter was granted in 1836, and we have a long history of providing access to higher education for people who may not have had the opportunity otherwise. We were the first UK university to open education to women in 1868, and we count world leaders amongst our alumni, including Nelson Mandela who studied with us as a distance education student when he was in prison awaiting trial.

STUDENT BENEFITS

for federation members

Did you know that as a student at a University of London federation member, you have access to a range of benefits?

By studying with a University of London federation member, you are part of a collective community of over 250,000 students, with access to a range of benefits through the University of London.

Free membership of Senate House Library

Visit one of the UK's largest and best academic libraries for arts, humanities and social sciences, with access to our extensive library collections, study spaces and bookable group spaces within our iconic Senate House building in Bloomsbury.

Visit BLOOM (Café/study spaces)

Visit BLOOM which offers bookable spaces for individual and group study, and provides a relaxed environment to study, eat, and socialise.

Visit our outdoor/social spaces

Visit a stunning collection of garden locations in the Bloomsbury campus area. Did you know that 18 dwarf plum trees were planted in tribute to the late Queen and our federation members?

Utilise the University of London Housing Service

Find rooms, flats, and houses across London. The service also provides free private rented housing advice, including checking rental contracts to make sure you're getting a fair deal. Federation members can also benefit from our shared halls of residence.

Events, tours and visits

We host year-round events for students from the federation! Including welcome fairs, Senate House tours, and performances led by your fellow members. Keep an eye on our social media for updates throughout the year.

Attend events and exhibitions at Senate House

We have hosted over 30 events and exhibitions at the University and Senate House Libraries, as well as talks, workshops, and webinars organised by the Centre for Online and Distance Education (CODE), the School of Advanced Study (SAS), and the University of London Institute in Paris (ULIP).

Join a club or society

Want to meet new people from other universities? Certain clubs and societies are open to all students from across our federation, including Fencing, Judo, and Swimming. To learn more, visit: clubs-societies.london.ac.uk

Discounted venue bookings

Host your next study session, society event, or student gathering with us and receive a minimum 15 per cent discounted rates on venue hire.



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