

MSc Cyber Security

Module running schedule

Code	Module	Credits	Compulsory or Elective	Session	Resit session
CYM010	Cyber security foundations	15	Compulsory	October/ April	July/January
CYM040	Applied cryptography	15	Compulsory	October	July
CYM050	Network and infrastructure security	15	Compulsory	January	July
CYM060	Computer systems security	15	Compulsory	January	July
CYM020	Security management and governance	15	Compulsory	April	January
CYM030	Cybercrime	15	Compulsory	July	January
CYM070	Software and application security	15	Compulsory	October	July
CYM100	Research methods for cyber security	15	Compulsory	January	July
CYM090	Information privacy	15	Compulsory	April	January
CYM500	Project	30	Compulsory	April	January
CYM080	Security and behaviour change	15	Compulsory	July	January

Sessions and modules

There are four study sessions in a year, each lasting 10 weeks and followed by an assessment submission point. Sessions begin in October, January, April and July, and these starting months are given above in the Session and Resit session columns to represent the session span.

Modules will run according to the timetable above (subject to minimum student registrations and availability). In exceptional circumstances we may consider deferring a module to a later session, or offer a different module in its place. We will inform you of any such changes as early as possible and provide you with reasonable alternative arrangements.

Modules that run in the October or April sessions are also available for study on a stand-alone basis, excluding the CYM500 Project module.

Resit opportunity

Where a module is failed, students will have an opportunity to resit only the failed assessment, as opposed to repeating the module in full. Students who are eligible for a resit opportunity will be prompted when registration opens for the resit. The resit must be taken in the first available session, given in the resit session column above, otherwise the module should be repeated in full when it runs again. Visit: **Programme Regulations** for full details. Assessments are typically in week six (where there is a mid-session assessment) and week 12, although specific dates will be provided after registration. The resit and module fees (applicable when a module is repeated) can be found in the **fee schedule**.