OVER 50 DEGREE COURSES.

ENDLESS CAREER OPPORTUNITIES.

MAJORITY AWARDED BY LANCASTER UNIVERSITY, A UK TOP 10 UNIVERSITY

9 OUT OF 10 GRADUATES ARE IN WORK OR FURTHER STUDY WITHIN SIX MONTHS

B&FC’s higher education qualifications have been co-created with industry to maximise your career potential.
A warm welcome to B&FC University Centre and over 50 degree-level courses, co-created with employers to support progression into and within your chosen career.

Over 3,000 students choose B&FC higher education annually, accessing outstanding education that has been awarded the highest Gold rating in the Teaching Excellence Framework.

Since the majority of our degree-level qualifications are awarded by Lancaster University (International University of the Year 2020), you have the dual benefit of graduating with a UK top 10 university degree and studying close to home.

With timetabling to fit around work, family and other commitments, experience counting as well as formal qualifications and lots of support from industry specialists, there's nothing to stop you from achieving your dream career.

Join us at B&FC for rich and rewarding learning experiences, which will give you every opportunity to achieve your goals and progress towards a bright, rewarding future.

Bev Robinson, OBE
Principal and Chief Executive

ACHIEVE YOUR CAREER AMBITIONS WITH A DEGREE FROM B&FC

CAMPUS ADDRESSES
Bispham Campus, Ashfield Road, Bispham, FY2 0HB
University Centre, Park Road, Blackpool, FY1 4ES
Fleetwood Nautical Campus, Fleetwood, FY7 8JZ

DAY KEY:
Mon Monday
Tue Tuesday
Wed Wednesday
Thu Thursday
Fri Friday

WHERE TO FIND US!

FREE CAREERS ADVICE
Need help planning your future? Our award-winning Careers Team provides expert advice and guidance so you can decide which degree-level course is right for you. Speak to an adviser for free by calling into one of our Careers Zones (Bispham Campus or University Centre) or contact the team on:

T 01253 504 474/298
E careers@blackpool.ac.uk

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Ready to increase your career and earning potential? The average B&FC graduate starting salary is £25,500 (c25% higher than the national average of £20,500).

**REASONS TO CHOOSE A DEGREE AT B&FC**

**CONVENIENT**
- Lancaster University degrees delivered on your doorstep in Blackpool
- Relevant experience considered as well as formal qualifications
- Condensed study to fit around your life (only 1 to 2 days a week in class)
- Fixed timetabling lets you plan your life

**SUPPORTIVE**
- Meet/make friends with others like you
- Smaller class sizes (average 15-20 students)
- Friendly tutors who go the extra mile
- Personalised support plan for every learner
- Dedicated learning mentors

**HIGH QUALITY**
- A UK top 10 university degree (degrees awarded by Lancaster University)
- Gold standard teaching – the highest rating in the Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF)
- A dedicated University Centre and Advanced Technology Centre

**EMPLOYMENT-FOCUSED**
- Delivered by industry specialists
- Over 1,800 partner employers feed into course design and delivery
- Excellent industry placements to make you work ready
- Built-in professional qualifications and accreditation
- 9 out of 10 graduates in work within six months (DLHE 2016/17)

**AFFORDABLE**
- Nothing to pay upfront, a tuition fee loan to cover the full cost of your fees, a maintenance loan of up to £9,203 and no repayments till you’re earning at least £25,725 a year
- £500 Advantage Bursary
- A whole range of government funding that you don’t need to pay back

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Steve Gleaves

“It opens doors for you.”

For Network Engineering student Steve Gleaves, studying just two days a week meant he could carry on working and still have time for family and other commitments. He graduated in July 2018 with a first class honours degree and is now CPE Engineer at Daisy Communications Ltd.

“The tutors were so encouraging - I couldn’t have done it without them,” Steve says. “It can be daunting at first, but you’ve just got to take that first step. The College is also a CISCO Academy, which meant I was able to get CISCO certified as part of my course – it opens doors for you.”

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1The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2020. 2The Complete University Guide League Tables 2020/2016/17 DLHE Survey and graduate-jobs.com, which estimates the average starting salary for graduates is £19,000-£22,000. 3Eligibility applies - go to gov.uk/student-finance/new-fulltime-students. 4Based on studying outside London and not living with parents. 5Eligibility applies - go to blackpool.ac.uk/support/funding/degrees.
**INCREASE YOUR CAREER POTENTIAL**

**DID YOU KNOW THAT 9 OUT OF 10 B&FC GRADUATES ARE IN WORK WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF GRADUATING?**

Whether you’re looking to start a completely new career or you want to advance in the career you already have, our employment-focused courses provide the skills, knowledge and experience needed to fulfil your future potential.

**WORKING WITH MORE THAN 1,800 EMPLOYERS**

Our strong employer partnerships play a big part in your future success. We actively involve our partner employers in course design and delivery to ensure our courses deliver the expertise genuinely needed by industry. We also review our courses regularly so that they continue to reflect industrial and professional trends.

**HOW WE EQUIP YOU FOR CAREER SUCCESS**

+ Taught by industry specialists (who spend time in industry each year updating their expertise)
+ Excellent industry placements (or if you’re already in relevant employment, this counts instead)
+ Real-life assignments (commissioned by external organisations or applied to your own employment)
+ Built-in professional qualifications and accreditation
+ Relevant industry visits and guest speakers
+ Industry-standard facilities and equipment
+ Career planning and support in finding meaningful employment
+ Online access to top UK employers/resources through GradIntelligence

**STUDENT STORY**

Mark Brewell

“I’d definitely recommend B&FC because the staff aren’t just academics, they’re from industry. The difference that makes is massive when you get out there in the industry yourself.”

Mark Brewell, an Information Technology graduate from B&FC, is now IT Manager for Bowker Group.

**HIGH AND DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS**

If you’re already employed in your chosen career area but keen to go further, why not consider a higher or degree apprenticeship? See page 22 for details.

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*9/10 B&FC students in work or continuing education within 6 months of graduating (2016/17 DLHE survey)*
WHAT SUPPORT CAN YOU EXPECT?

As well as friendly, hands-on tutors who go out of their way to help you succeed, B&FC offers ongoing support for all aspects of your learning journey. Don’t be put off if you haven’t studied in a while – we’ll help you to achieve all your goals.

BEFORE YOU START
Our FREE summer workshops build skills/confidence to get you degree ready. Here you can meet other new students, get to know your surroundings and get a head-start on your studies.

ONCE YOU ARRIVE
+ A full induction to settle you into College
+ A personal support tutor to help you set and achieve your goals
+ A tailored support plan for study skills and wellbeing

CAREER-BASED SUPPORT
+ Higher Education Achievement Report (HEAR) – you will receive an easy-to-access electronic document of all your achievements at College, including extracurricular activities such as volunteering, to demonstrate all your qualities to employers
+ Personalised career planning and interviews

STUDY SKILLS SUPPORT
Our Higher Education Learning Mentors (HELMs) – unique to B&FC - provide one-to-one and group support in:
+ assignment planning
+ researching
+ exam preparation
+ referencing
+ revision
+ reflective writing

DIGITAL SUPPORT
Access digital resources such as eBooks and academic journals, and refresh or develop skills in:
+ Microsoft applications
+ College-specific programs
+ Internet searches and internet safety
+ Digital literacy such as communicating in different media
+ Networked literacy support software

WELLBEING SUPPORT
Our wellbeing services help you get the most from your studies and personal life. They range from counselling and confidence building to support with mitigating circumstances and temporary medical conditions.

“...The additional support at the College is second to none. Thanks to the learning mentors I gained extra help with my academic writing and improved my grade because of it!”

Donna Hannigan, who graduated in July 2019 from B&FC’s BA (Hons) Photography

WINNERS of the Standalone National Excellence and Innovation Award 2018 for supporting HE students.

APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER.
HELP WITH FUNDING YOUR DEGREE

Don't let finance hold you back. With no upfront fees to pay¹, funding you don't need to pay back, low-cost loans and a whole range of other incentives, financing your course may be easier than you think.

FEES AND LOANS

A tuition fee loan with nothing to pay upfront

At £8,335², our tuition fees for full-time undergraduate courses offer great value for money. Student loans are available to cover the full cost of these fees.³

A maintenance loan to help make ends meet during study

If you’re studying a full-time course you can apply for a maintenance loan of up to £9,203 to help with living costs³. Maintenance loans depend on your household income.

Nothing to repay until you’re earning £25,725 a year

The great thing about both tuition fee and maintenance loans is that you don’t need to pay anything back until you’re earning at least £25,725⁴ a year. As an example, if you’re earning £29,500 your monthly repayment is just £28.

NON-REPAYABLE GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Help for parents

If you’re a parent studying a full-time degree-level course you could access:
+ up to £1,766 a year via the Parents’ Learning Allowance⁵
+ up to £174.22 a week for 1 child and up to £298.69 a week for 2 or more children via the Childcare Grant⁵

Help for those supporting an adult partner or relative

For full-time degree-level students who support an adult dependant (such as a partner⁶, parent or grandparent but not an adult child), the Adult Dependants’ Grant could give you up to £3,094 each year.⁵

Help if you have a learning difficulty, health problem or disability

The Disabled Students’ Allowance is intended to cover any extra study-related costs you incur due to your health condition. You could receive:
+ up to £5,849 (specialist equipment)⁵
+ up to £23,258 a year (non-medical helper)⁵
+ up to £1,954 a year (general)⁵

Disclaimer: These figures apply to the 2020/21 academic year and may be subject to increases in subsequent years of your course. Funding amounts and availability do change – please check our website for up-to-date information at blackpool.ac.uk/support/funding/degrees. Maximum annual government amounts quoted on these pages based on a full-time undergraduate student attending College for 34 timetabled weeks. *Eligibility applies – go to gov.uk/student-finance/new-fulltime-students *Please note: Our course fees are subject to changes in government information and we reserve the right to update our fees accordingly. *Based on studying outside London and not living with parents *Applies to English and Welsh students only - for full terms and conditions go to https://www.gov.uk/repaying-your-student-loan *Eligibility applies – go to gov.uk/student-finance/extra-help *If you’re under 25, the adult dependant cannot be your partner unless you’re married or in a civil partnership. *Eligibility applies – go to blackpool.ac.uk/support/funding/degrees *Terms & conditions will apply. Applications will be available online from February 2020.
**Non-repayable B&FC Financial Support**

**B&FC’s Advantage Bursary**
We offer a bursary of up to £5007 to help towards the cost of equipment (books, tablet etc) you might need for your course. This is awarded in the first year of study only (2 x £250 instalments) to eligible undergraduate students.

**B&FC’s Access Scholarship**
If you’re a care leaver, young carer or estranged student (young student without the support of a family network) you could receive £1,0007 for each year you study (2 annual payments of £500 up to a maximum of 3 years) with our Access Scholarship.

**B&FC Opportunity Scholarship**
This new scholarship for 2020/21, which is part of our Access and Participation Plan, will support up to five new undergraduate students from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic backgrounds to access higher education at B&FC.8

**Free breakfast**
As a B&FC student, you’re entitled to a FREE healthy breakfast every morning.

**Student Story**

Sophie Ashton
*Received support totalling almost £20,000*

B&FC degree student and mum-of-three Sophie was surprised to discover she was entitled to thousands of pounds worth of non-repayable financial support.

“The thought of doing a degree really put me off because I didn’t realise all of the student finance that was in place. With having three children, I was worried we were going to lose everything and not be able to provide for them like we had been doing. But when you really look into it and find out what is available it is achievable.”

**Contact Us**
Our advisers can help with all aspects of funding. T 01253 504 343 or E info@blackpool.ac.uk

**Apply now. Start September.**

**Find out how on page 23**
# Degree-Level Courses

**UK qualifications start at Entry Level and progress all the way up to Level 7. Higher education (or degree-level) qualifications start at Level 4.**

## Entry Requirements: What Do You Need?

- **No relevant experience?** If you don’t have the relevant qualifications or experience to start a degree-level course an Access to Higher Education Diploma could be ideal for you (see next page).

## Non-traditional route to a degree

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<td>For learners without the required qualifications, a 1-year bridging qualification that qualifies you to start a degree-level course.</td>
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## Degree-level qualifications (levels 4 to 7)

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All careers data [included on the course pages unless stated otherwise] courtesy of EMSI (North West) 2017/18, National Careers Service and Prospects (UK) 2019.
ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION DIPLOMA COURSES

If you want to do a degree but you don’t have the relevant qualifications or experience an Access to Higher Education Diploma gets you degree-ready in just one year.

**WHY IT PAYS TO DO AN ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION DIPLOMA…**

+ Funding or Advanced Learner Loan (ALL) available to cover your course fees
+ **NOTHING** to pay upfront with the ALL and **NO repayments** till you’re earning at least £25,725 a year
+ Successfully complete a degree and get your Access to HE fees written off

**WHAT YOU’LL NEED**

You’ll need 3 GCSEs (or equivalent qualifications), including Maths and/or English. If you’re missing Maths or English you can study this alongside your course.

**CHOOSE FROM…**

**English and Creative Writing**
with progression to BA Hons Degree in English Language, Literature and Writing or Filmmaking

**Health and Social Care**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care

**Legal Professions**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Criminology

**Nursing and Midwifery**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care

**Paramedic Practice**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Human Biosciences

**Science**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Human Biosciences or Marine Biology or Degree Apprenticeship in Laboratory Science

**Social Sciences**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Youth Studies or Family Support and Wellbeing

**Social Work**
with progression to Foundation Degree in Family Support and Wellbeing

**Student Story**

**Ricardo Prada**

Studied the Access to Higher Education Diploma in Science.

“I’d always been fascinated by science and technology, but I knew I’d need to have qualifications to get a career in this area. The tutors are great – they’ve been through it all so you learn so much.”

**19 OR OVER? NO QUALIFICATIONS? WANT TO GET INTO NURSING, MIDWIFERY OR THE SOCIAL SCIENCES?**

Our 1-year [Pre-Access Health and Social Science](#) course is for you. The course runs for 6 hours a week on Wednesdays at Bispham Campus and qualifies you to start the relevant Access to Higher Education Diploma.

Find out more (including what funding is available) by emailing Martin.Cranshaw@blackpool.ac.uk

**APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER.**

**FIND OUT HOW ON PAGE 23**
The North West generates around £9bn of the total UK automotive manufacturing economy. That means exciting careers in automotive engineering design and manufacture, motorsport research, and development and manufacture.

**COURSES**

All courses start week commencing 14 September and are 2 days a week from 9am-4.30pm at Bispham Campus

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*Subject to validation

A BUILT-IN FOUNDATION YEAR IF YOU DON’T HAVE THE STANDARD ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

**STUDENT STORY**

Faisal Ali

**FAISAL FOLLOWED HIS PASSION FOR CARS**

Automotive Engineering & Technology student Faisal Ali switched from doing a Pharmacy degree at Huddersfield University to pursue his passion for cars...

“...I’d recommend it to anyone - the help you get here is amazing. You get more time to talk to tutors too - at uni it was like 45 people in one room but here it’s 15 – it’s a massive difference.”

“**Our industry placements support B&FC students’ progression and they also benefit us as an employer.”**

Steve Wilson, Aftersales Manager, BMW Motorrad

Past students now work for industry leaders such as: Jaguar Land Rover, Ford Motor Company, Bentley, Lotus, M-Sport, Westfield Sportscars and MAHLE Powertrain.

**INDUSTRY-STANDARD FACILITIES**

+ £10.5m Advanced Technology Centre
+ MOT testing facilities
+ Six paint application booths
+ Four-wheel drive dyno facility
+ Engine test cells
Well-qualified management graduates are in big demand and can access varied, rewarding roles across both the public and private sector, with some even starting businesses themselves.

**COURSES**
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+ Industry placements with Lancashire County Council, BAE Systems, Blackpool NHS and other leading organisations + Chartered Management Institute (CMI) accreditation
+ 73% of graduates go into ‘highly skilled’ employment (with others progressing to postgraduate study)

**STUDENT STORY**
Roxanne Bickerton

*Studying for a degree was “much easier” than she thought*

Business graduate Roxanne Bickerton felt a degree would develop her management skills and open up more career opportunities.

“I studied two days a week in my first two years, and one day a week in my third year, which fit quite well with my life. It was much easier than I thought because there was a nice mixture of ages.”

“The tutors have a very positive and flexible approach, which is supportive of the needs of individual students and our business.”

Annie Ogilvie
Blackpool Transport

Past students are now employed in management roles at: BAE, Tesco, NHS and the Federation of Small Businesses.

**PROFESSIONAL COURSES AT B&FC**

**WE ARE A GRADE 1 PROVIDER OF CIPD QUALIFICATIONS.**

Our professional courses are widely acknowledged industry-recognised qualifications, designed to help you develop your career and enhance your professionalism.

+ Study alongside other highly motivated professionals
+ Apply learning at work to impact organisational change/success
+ Boost your earning potential and career prospects
+ Gain Associate membership to enhance your credibility

Choose from:
- Level 4 Accounting (AAT)
- Level 5 Leadership and Management (CMI)
- Level 5 Human Resource Management (CIPD)

£29,611 AVERAGE SALARY 20,110 JOB OPENINGS

Apply now. Start September.
A CREATIVE COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

Blackpool School of Arts offers a unique creative environment, with the emphasis on building connections that provide ongoing support and inspiration. We challenge you to find your creative niche within a commercial context to ensure your future success.

+ Current industry practitioners
+ Excellent industry placements
+ Public performances, exhibitions and events
+ National and international competition success
+ Industry-standard resources and ‘live’ commissions

Government statistics from the Department for Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS) show that employment within the creative industries is growing at four times the rate of the UK workforce as a whole. Our graduates go on to work as designers; art directors; artists; actors; West End performers; teachers; costumiers; arts administrators; illustrators and much more!

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TAUGHT BY PRACTISING INDUSTRY SPECIALISTS

£32,501
AVERAGE SALARY
3%
JOBS RISE

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Developing creative thinking, practical skills and digital competencies for the future.

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CREATIVE COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

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ENHANCE YOUR EMPLOYABILITY

Our industry professionals will introduce you to a range of working methods and business models for studio and freelance working. They also organise regular networking opportunities to enhance your career prospects.

“With a background in digital design, web development and fabrication/engineering, Nick Steel had longed to develop a fine art practice of his own. When he was made redundant, it seemed the perfect time so he enrolled on B&FC’s Fine Art and Professional Practice.

“I’m leaving here with qualifications, contacts, a fully functioning website and a social media following, not to mention a substantial portfolio and industry experience, which is all thanks to the College. You definitely get out what you put in.”

Nick Steel

STUDENT STORY

“The College has a fantastic reputation for the arts!”

Lightpool Festival

APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER.

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All top up degrees accredited by the British Computing Society

+ A Cisco Academy with Cisco certified instructors and courses leading to CCNA certification
+ Only college in the country with British Computing Society degree accreditation
+ Only North West college with Tech Industry ‘Gold’ accredited for its degree apprenticeships

STUDENT STORY

Lorna Parry

Lorna’s love of gaming turned into a new career

Software Engineering (Game Development) graduate Lorna Parry made the switch from casino receptionist to Games Engine Programmer at Midland-based Microsoft game studio Rare, with a degree from B&FC...

“It’s an excellent degree and I couldn’t have got this job without it. The tutors are the best part – they’re always there for you.”

INDUSTRY-STANDARD RESOURCES

THE LARGEST EDUCATION USER OF CISCO EQUIPMENT IN THE UK!

+ Industry-certified instructors
+ State-of-the-art networking labs
+ Industry-specialised software
+ Virtual and augmented reality devices

Past students now work for industry leaders such as:

BAE Systems, Vodafone, Price Waterhouse Coopers, Lancashire Police, Voiteq and other top employers.

“Industry certification is key. I think it helps to get you noticed when you’re applying for any jobs.”

Lee Holroyd MSc, Programme Leader
B&FC Computing and Digital Technologies

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CONSTRUCTION

£25,791 AVERAGE SALARY
5,877 JOB OPENINGS

The Construction Industry impacts communities across the North West and the UK, providing highly skilled, well-paid jobs in areas such as architecture, building control, building conservation, quantity surveying, construction management and facility management.

+ The North West’s largest construction provider
+ Excellent employer partnerships with employers such as Willmott Dixon & Persimmon Homes
+ Superbly equipped facilities and the latest CAD resources

COURSES

Course starts 14 September at Bispham Campus

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STUDY JUST ONE DAY A WEEK

“The College staff are first rate and committed to improving the opportunities for students.”

Richard Wright, Willmott Dixon Construction Limited

CRIMINOLOGY

4,744 JOB OPENINGS
4% JOBS RISE

A criminology degree can open up fascinating and rewarding careers in law, intelligence, the police, the prison service, the probation service, youth and community work, youth offending, social welfare and victim support.

+ One of the country’s few criminology courses to include forensic psychology
+ Relevant court and prison visits
+ Wide variety of guest speakers

COURSES

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91% STUDENT SUCCESS RATE

“The College offers a unique and vital higher education offer and experience for individuals and the community.”

David Hayes, Lecturer, B&FC Criminology Department

APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER.

FIND OUT HOW ON PAGE 23
This sector offers rewarding careers supporting the development of children and young people. The local employment opportunities are good, with typical progression routes including nursery and children’s centre management, and family support work.

+ 97% of graduates go on to employment/further study
+ Support with finding a relevant industry placement
+ Strong relationships with organisations such as Better Start and Homestart

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All courses start week commencing 14 September at University Centre

### STUDENT STORY

**Alex Lever**

**Alex’s Industry Placement was at Blackpool Carers’ Centre**

Family Support and Wellbeing graduate Alex Lever returned to study to completely change career direction.

“It was good to have that work experience because as much as you learn about all the theory, that side of it you need as well. The course itself was really good and the tutors are so supportive.”

### INDUSTRY-STANDARD FACILITIES

+ Real-life case material
+ Guest speakers
+ Industry assignments

“Students really value the breadth of industrial and academic experience that we as lecturers bring to the learning environment.”

Vicky Smith, Programme Leader, Family Support and Wellbeing

Past students now employed as:

- senior early years practitioners
- family support workers
- nursery managers
- youth and community workers

**7,980 JOB OPENINGS 3% JOBS RISE**
HEALTH AND MEDICAL PROFESSIONS

£28,716 4% JOBS RISE

Health and Social Care is Lancashire’s largest employment sector, and graduate opportunities abound in areas such as health, education, social care, community work, youth services, criminal justice and mental health work.

+ Strong partnerships with Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust and Blackpool Council
+ Your choice of 5 pathways: Mental Health; Children & Families; Aging Health & Wellbeing; Learning Disabilities; Substance Misuse + Dedicated clinical area and wellbeing room

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SPECIALISE IN YOUR CHOSEN DISCIPLINE

“Blackpool Teaching has provided fantastic opportunities for B&FC students wanting to work in the health sector.”

Eleanor McManus, Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

LEARNING SUPPORT

STARTING TO EXPERIENCED

£20,000-£41,000 EDUCATION WELFARE OFFICER AVERAGE SALARY

Access rewarding roles within teaching and learning support, learning mentoring, pastoral management and education support management. Past students are now employed as school support workers, teaching assistants, learning mentors and pastoral officers.

+ A near 100% graduate employability rate
+ Excellent partnerships with local providers such as Blackpool Sixth Form, Montgomery Academy and Highfurlong Special School + Taught by a former primary school teacher

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You might also be interested in our Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) course – see our Teacher Training section on page 21 for details.

“B&FC supports students to become the best they can be, by reinforcing and developing individuals.”

Francoise Peill, Senior Tutor Teaching and Learning

APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER.  
FIND OUT HOW ON PAGE 23
**ENGINEERING**

£35,382 **2,665**

AVERAGE SALARY JOB OPENINGS

Engineers are in extremely high demand, with exciting and rewarding careers available in aerospace engineering, electrical and electronic engineering, mechanical engineering and mechatronics.

+ The only Engineering department in Lancashire judged as Grade 1 Outstanding
+ Excellent relationships with Westinghouse Springfields, BAE Systems and other top employers
+ STEM-assured status + Full and part-time study routes

**COURSES**

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**STUDENT STORY**

**James Smithies**

"B&FC HAS SET ME ON THE RIGHT TRACK"

Keen to improve his career prospects, Leyland Trucks employee James Smithies graduated this summer from the BEng Hons Mechanical Engineering.

"I really enjoyed being able to adopt my learning into my work and studying one day a week was manageable. The tutors were very helpful, especially with my dissertation, and the classes were a good size too."

"BAE Systems benefits greatly from working with Blackpool and The Fylde College. The results have been outstanding."

BAE Systems

Past students are now enjoying careers with leading employers such as: EDF Energy, Westinghouse Springfields Fuels, BAE Systems and Airbus.

**INDUSTRY-STANDARD FACILITIES**

+ Advanced engineering workshops
+ The latest CNC technology
+ State-of-the-art CAD design studio
+ Cutting-edge pneumatics, robotics and electronics

+ The only Engineering department in Lancashire judged as Grade 1 Outstanding
+ Excellent relationships with Westinghouse Springfields, BAE Systems and other top employers
+ STEM-assured status + Full and part-time study routes

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EVENTS, HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM

Access exciting career opportunities in hotel and restaurant management, large-scale events management and conference planning. Stay local or travel the world.

+ Industry placements with Ribby Hall Village, Northcote and other top employers
+ A dedicated training restaurant – Level 6
+ Regular networking opportunities

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"The College can take you to great places!"
Paul Rowley, Campbell & Rowley Events.

Maritime Operations

£34,000 16,230
STARTING SALARY1 JOB OPENINGS2

Train for an exciting and rewarding career as a deck, engineering or electro-technical officer on board a merchant vessel. Opportunities also exist ashore in maritime law, ship surveying or education and training.

+ High-tech facilities (full mission ship bridge and engine room simulators) at a purpose-built campus
+ First-rate maritime training for more than 125 years
+ The Maritime and Coastguard Agency Cadet of the Year 9 times in 13 years

COURSES
All courses start week commencing 7 September at Fleetwood Nautical Campus

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"With excellent facilities and experienced staff, B&FC provides the knowledge and skills required for the maritime industry."
Carnival UK

1Merchant Navy Officer starting salary can be anything up to £34,000 2UK job openings 2019 (EMSI)
Public Services

£34,803  6,802
AVERAGE SALARY  JOB OPENINGS

Public services professionals are in high demand and can benefit from long, well-paid careers with job security and fantastic progression routes. B&FC graduates are now employed by the Emergency Services, Armed Forces and the Civil Service.

+ Strong partnerships with Lancashire Constabulary and the Armed Forces
+ Relevant visits, residential and guest speakers
+ Volunteering opportunities

Courses

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94% SUCCESS RATE

"You will receive a highly personalised learning experience, with lots of individual support to ensure you reach your full potential."

Sarah Rodriguez, Higher Education Senior Tutor & Public Services Programme Leader

Science

£40,303  47,040
AVERAGE SALARY  JOB OPENINGS

Scientists are among the most highly paid professionals in the North West and past students are now working within local and central government, forensic and laboratory sciences, and marine biology and coastal conservation.

+ Industry placements with Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust, the Environment Agency and other top employers + STEM-assured status
+ Industry-standard laboratories support advanced practical techniques

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"It is incredibly rewarding when we see students who have come to us on a work placement and then later, we employ them as our doctors, nurses, allied health professionals, healthcare scientists and support staff."

Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
SPORT, LEISURE AND RECREATION

5,679 2%
JOB OPENINGS JOBS RISE

The North West has a vibrant sports heritage, with talented physiotherapists, nutritionists and fitness coaches in high demand. Graduate opportunities also exist in sports and leisure management, sports event management and activity leadership.

+ 3G all-weather pitch, sports hall, performance lab and fitness suite
+ Over 90% student satisfaction rate (9 out of 10 National Student Survey categories)
+ Excellent industry partnerships, including one with British Weight Lifting

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95% SUCCESS RATE

“Facilities and equipment are state-of-the-art and there is constant re-investment and looking to the future.”

Blackpool Council

TEACHER TRAINING

£24,373
SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHER

Our Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) equips you for a variety of private and public teaching and training posts across the further education and skills sector.

+ Unique programme content (positive behaviour management)
+ 1-2-1 support and mentoring
+ 71% of graduates secure teaching roles within 12 months

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You might also be interested in our Teaching and Learning Support degree course – see our Learning Support section on page 17 for details.

“Have to do a 100-hour placement but your personal mentor supports you. It’s hard work but I love it.”

Carolyn Foy is studying the PGCE

APPLY NOW. START SEPTEMBER. FIND OUT HOW ON PAGE 23
HIGHER AND DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS

GET THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS
If you're already employed in your chosen career area then a degree or higher apprenticeship - a high quality alternative to the traditional degree route - could help you to develop your potential. Spend 4 days a week at work developing on-the-job skills and 1 day a week at B&FC University Centre accessing relevant higher level study.

KEY BENEFITS:
+ Receive a regular income, paid holidays and other employment benefits
+ Achieve a degree-level qualification
+ Fast-track to your career goal
+ No tuition fees to pay
+ Opportunities to gain professional accreditation and membership
+ High levels of on and off-the-job support

B&FC HIGHER APPRENTICESHIPS

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<td>Data Analyst (BCS)</td>
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<td>HR Consultant/Partner (CIPD)</td>
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<td>Retail Manager</td>
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Coming soon...
- Assessor Coach
  Level: 4
  Typical Duration: 15 months
- Learning and Skills Teacher
  Level: 5
  Typical Duration: 24 months
- Engineering Manufacturing Technician
  Level: 4
  Typical Duration: 42 months
- Construction Site Engineering Technician
  Level: 4
  Typical Duration: 36 months

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Coming soon...
- Laboratory Science
  Level: 6
  Typical Duration: 60 months
- Manufacturing Engineer
  Level: 6
  Typical Duration: 60 months

YOU NEED TO HAVE A SUITABLE POSITION BEFORE YOU CAN START

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