

## Overview

This University Certificate in Cleaning Management is a one-year, part-time undergraduate course which will help you understand the practical application of enterprise and legal principles, a skill set which is highly valued in this competitive employment market.

We focus on functional aspects of business management including the legal context within the cleaning industry and legislation relating to business obligations including contract law and employment law.

## Course Details

The UK cleaning industry experiencing rapid changes in the way services are structured and organized, particularly with newly-emerged contract cleaning, specialized services, new technology and the influence of European markets.

This course will help you to develop the business and management skills that are needed in order to identify and respond to opportunities for venture creation and for the transformation of existing enterprises. As part of the assessment, you will have the opportunity to develop your own business plans.

At the end of the course candidates will be more confident in their ability and have acquired skills to improve both their own and their organization's performance by being more analytical and reasoned decision makers.

Through studying this course, you will have

- developed the competencies required to perform effectively at management level in the cleaning industry
- developed knowledge and understanding of legal contexts and constraints and enterprise practice
- a sound legal background if you intend to undertake further academic study in this or a related field
- developed the skills required to manage environmental cleaning related issues in a variety of contexts

### **Schedule**

Each module is worth 20 credits and involves 200 learning hours, including teaching, learning and assessment. We normally send the modules out in January, April and September.

### **Assessment**

Your assignments have been carefully designed to test your knowledge and skills while consolidating what you've learned and providing the opportunity for you to gain even more skills. Assessments can take the form of essays, reports, short answer questions and time constrained assignments. A key element of the assessment process is the application of taught theory in real world scenarios. You can expect three items of assessment per module.

### **Course content**

- Hygiene and Health (20 Credits) Credits)

Module code : ENV1108DL

Core Module Y

- Cleaning Science (20 Credits) Credits)

Module code: ENV1015DL

Core Module Y

- Biological and Other Hazards in the Cleaning Industry in the Workplace (20 Credits) Credits)

Module code : ENV2037DL

Core Module Y

**Intake Dates: January, March, September**

### **Additional Information (Distance Learning)**

Distance learning is an excellent way of gaining a qualification around a busy home life or job. The University of Northampton recognizes that many of our students have family and work commitments and offer various online courses which work flexibly around your requirements.

Our programmes of study encompass a wide range of methods of learning, teaching and assessment to help you gain the skills you will need for your working life.

## Entry Requirements

We ask that applicants have two A-Levels or equivalent or appropriate industrial experience.

All International and EU students applying for a course with us must meet the following minimum English language requirements:

- Minimum standard – IELTS 6.0 (or equivalent) for study at undergraduate level.

## Application Procedures

Please include the following documents with your completed application form:

- Details of your English Language competence, for example, Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOFEL) or International English Language Testing System (IELTS) tests or equivalent.
- Certified copies of your school certificates and any other relevant qualifications. A certified copy is a photocopy that has an original official stamp of your school, college or university on it. The stamp should not be a photocopy.
- At least one reference (signed and on headed paper).
- A personal statement to explain why you are interested in studying your chosen course