

Counselling

Open University in Scotland

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This counselling degree offers training to meet SCoPEd framework Therapist A- and B-level competences. If you're new to counselling, you'll start with a counselling course delivered by an external provider. You'll then complete SCoPEd 'Therapist B' level training by studying OU modules and incorporating client hours and practice-based learning. For practitioners who already have SCoPEd 'Therapist A' level competences, the qualification allows you to top up and advance directly to SCoPEd 'Therapist B' competency level. No matter your starting point, by the end of the course, which includes the completion of 150 supervised client hours, you'll have significantly advanced your practice competencies, equipping you to work with clients with more complex mental health needs.

Start Date

October, February

Qualification

Degree

Study Method

Online learning

Award Title

BA Hons

Course Length

Flexible

Faculty

General

Department

Psychology

Entry Requirements

Relevant approved counselling qualification at SCQF Level 4. Computer and internet access required.

If you're new to study or to the OU, it is recommended that you start with a course at Level 1.

SCQF Level

SCQF Points

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Progression Routes

This degree supports the professional development of counsellors, building on existing competences and acquiring new skills and practice capacities. As such, the degree will support you to work in the counselling field, in the NHS, in organisational settings (e.g. schools and EAPs), in third-sector organisations, and in private practice. The qualification also focuses on employability, including specific support to develop your own successful private practice.

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