

# Mechanical Engineering

Heriot-Watt University

## Venues

Edinburgh Campus

## Content

The MEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering encourages you to think creatively to solve the world's biggest challenges. From energy efficiency to tools for microsurgery, there is a need for mechanical engineers across a huge range of industries.??

During the programme, you'll gain a broad knowledge of the core components in Mechanical Engineering Sciences and practices, studying modules including but not limited to mechanics, fields and forces, electrical engineering, mathematics, mechanical engineering, design and manufacture, fluid mechanics, mechanics of materials, thermodynamics, and sustainable development. You'll have the opportunity to choose a handful of specialist engineering units to tailor your studies to your personal subject interests, and career ambitions.

In response to current industry changes and emerging trends, your learning will be built around the core concept of sustainability. You'll learn how to engineer solutions that are environmentally, financially, and socially sustainable. Some examples include:

designing turbines to generate electricity from geothermal or nuclear sources; creating heat pumps to replace gas boilers for a more efficient alternative; increasing the efficiency and performance of aircraft and transport; and improving medical engineering and nanotechnology.

## Start Date

September

## Qualification

Degree

## Study Method

Full time

## Award Title

MEng

## UCAS Code

H301

## Course Length

5 years

## Faculty

School of Engineering and Physical Sciences

## Department

Mechanical Engineering

## Entry Requirements

2026 entry requirements

Standard entry: 4 Highers at AAAB (two sittings) including Maths and Engineering Science or Physics (1 at A) plus English at National 5.

Widening access entry: 4 Highers at BBBC (two sittings) including Maths and Engineering Science or Physics at BB plus English at National 5.

For entry to Level 2 you would require Advanced Higher Maths and Physics at AB or BA plus 4 Highers at AAAB.

## SCQF Level

11

## Progression Routes

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## Combination Courses

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