

## Ethnology and Folklore

University of Aberdeen

### Venues

Old Aberdeen Campus

### Content

The course will develop a broad-based understanding of how Ethnology and Folklore evolved and their approaches to the major genres of study: material culture, custom and belief, oral narrative, song, childlore and games, sports and pastimes.

Through case-studies of Scottish material, the course will show how the concepts of ethnology and folklore can be used to investigate important issues in contemporary society. Graduates from a variety of backgrounds will gain a sound knowledge of the concepts, skills and methodologies of ethnology and folklore, whether in preparation for doctoral research, or as an end in itself.

It is the only course in the United Kingdom designed to prepare appropriate candidates from any discipline for doctoral research in Ethnology and Folklore in a Scottish context with a North-East and North focus.

### Start Date

September

### Qualification

Postgraduate Master's

### Study Method

Full time

### Award Title

MLitt

### Course Length

12 months

### Faculty

Arts and Social Sciences

### Department

Language, Literature, Music and Visual Culture

## Entry Requirements

Normally a good undergraduate degree in a humanities or social science subject.

## SCQF Level

11

## Progression Routes

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## Combination Courses

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