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The Master of Science (MSc) and Postgraduate Diploma in Science (PGDIPSc) offer the opportunity to undertake in-depth study in a special interest subject. There are over 25 subjects available to study.

- Antarctic Studies*
- Astronomy
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Biotechnology
- Cellular and Molecular Biology
- Chemistry
- Child and Family Psychology
- Computational and Applied Mathematical Sciences
- Computer Science
- Data Science
- Disaster Risk and Resilience*
- Ecology
- Economics
- Engineering Geology*
- Environmental Science
- Finance
- Geography
- Geology
- Geospatial Science and Technology*

- Industrial and Organisational Psychology
- Mathematics
- Medical Physics
- Medical Physics (Clinical)
- Microbiology
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Psychology
- Speech and Language Sciences*
- Statistics

The diploma is primarily coursework-based. This qualification is an ideal pathway into more advanced study. UC offers a number of scientific masters' programmes as well as a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD). The Master's degree includes coursework followed by a thesis.

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- A relevant bachelor's degree with a UC equivalent B+ average
- Dean of Science approval

AT A GLANCE

S t u d y

February and July

D u r a t i o n

MSc24 months

PGDipSc12 months

F e a t u r e s

Field work Yes

Lab work Yes

T u i t i o n

MSc\$41,000**

PGDipSc\$41,000**

S c h o l a r s h i p s

For more information on scholarships go to www.canterbury.ac.nz/get-started/scholarships/

*The price (tuition fee) is indicative for 2023.

** Fee per 120 points



practical components in previous study is required, particularly in sciences (e.g. geography, geology). If your qualifications overseas, these will be assessed to ensure they are of an equivalent standard.



Studying science at Canterbury can bring many career opportunities including higher starting salaries and professional registration. Science graduates are highly sought after and ideally suited to the knowledge and skills they have gained. They have general and specialised knowledge and are also experts in problem solving, teamwork and communication.

Science graduates go on to careers in:

- Business
- Education
- Environmental science
- Health



Find out more through myUC:
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Applications should be received 5 weeks before your course starts.

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