

# You're an Applicant – What's Next?

Future Students Team













# What we will be covering today...

UCFB – Who we are and what we do

Employability and Enrichment opportunities



Your next steps – Responding to offer

Student accommodation



Student Finance

What can you do now to prepare yourself

# Why choose Football & Sports



Sport and physical activity contributes

£39bn

to the UK's economy



Women's sport

will generate

£1bn

in revenue a year by **2030** 



107,000

sports coaches, instructors and officials are operating in the UK



Time spent participating in and consuming sport in the UK will increase by

34%

by **2030** 

# Over 1.7m

people in the EU work in sport

\$\frac{\cappa \text{MEN}}{55\%} \frac{\cappa \text{WOMEN}}{45\%}\$

The European football market is now worth a record

£25.1bn





# Why UCFB?

Our Unique Learning Model













#### What we teach



Football



Sport



**Events** 

#### Where we teach





#### How we teach



Classroom

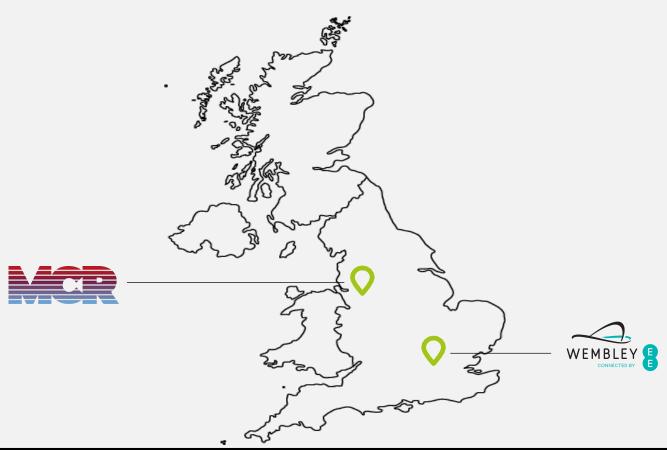


**Guest speakers** 



Networking opportunities

# Where?







### MANCHESTER LOCATIONS





Old Trafford Football Stadium Premier Events and ECP





Quay Plaza Lecture & seminar rooms, Study Lounge, Meeting rooms, Staff office





Exchange Quay Lecture and seminar rooms



**Etihad Stadium**Premier Events and ECP



Curzon Ashton FC
Pitch and Seminar room



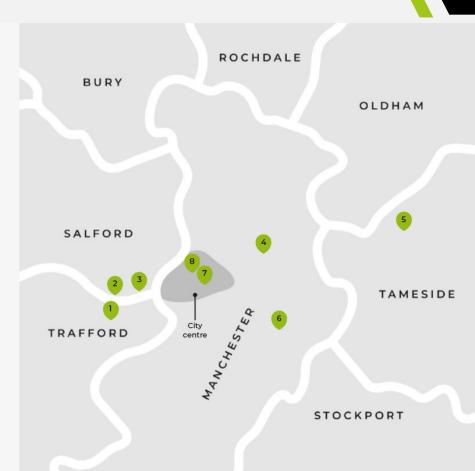
Bellevue/Speedway
Pitch, Analysis Suite and
Lecture/seminar rooms



Piccadilly Place Study Hub and Broadcast Studio



111 Piccadilly Staff office



### Global hubs in the most iconic stadiums in world sport



# **Employability & Enrichment**

- Work placements Hundreds of hands-on placements in all degrees areas with a range of partners open to students every semester. Partners with The FA, The National League and USL.
- Enrichment courses and events Public Speaking, Match Commentatory, Match Analysis workshops. Future Leaders Conference at St Georges Park and the UCFB Employability Award
- **The Careers Service** Expert careers guidance and coaching, bespoke workshops, online resources and careers fairs.

# **Employability & Enrichment**

Amazing guest speakers through the year, examples of previous speakers include

# Gareth Southgate, Roy Keane, Michael Carrick and Casey Stoney









### UCFB award in football and sports leadership

Enhance your **personal**, **professional** & **academic skills** with your bespoke journey at **UCFB** 



### FA coaching badges

Train and study at UCFB for the FA Level 1 Coaching Award and FA Level 2 Certificate in Coaching Football.



### **Agent training**

This sports agent programme is delivered exclusively to UCFB students.



# Match commentary workshop

Delivered at UCFB by professionals from the likes of Sky Sports, followed by real live match commentary to put the classroom learning into practice.



### Public speaking skills

UCFB intimate public speaking classes are led by industry-leading professionals and will develop the way you speak, stand and deliver in these situations.

### **Enrichment courses & events**

- Public Speaking
- Match Commentator
- Digital Sales Marketing
- Match Analysis
- Future Leaders Conference at St George's Park
- The UCFB Sports Entrepreneur Competition
- UCFB Employability Award
- Industry trips and conferences







## **Industry Partners**



The agreements provide students with the opportunity to gain valuable work experience







# Previous work experience placements































# Our Alumni - Where are they now?



Josh Arnold

Academy Manager at Bloomsbury Football



Jemma Entwistle

Co-founder at The Coaching Edge



**Ben Friend** 

Event Manager at The FA

# Our Alumni - Where are they now?



**Hayley Reed** 

Partner Marketing Manager at Fnatic



Saad Wadia

Co-founder and Director at Avalon Sports Group



**Amy Walter** 

Sponsorship & Partnership Account Manager at Watford FC



Over **93%** 

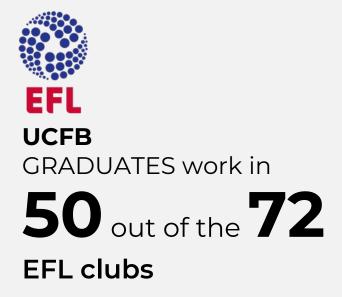
of UCFB's graduates are in employment within **six months of graduating** and almost **two thirds** are currently working in sport



**UCFB**GRADUATES work in

20 of the 20

Premier League Clubs





# Your next steps...













## Responding to your offers

Students must wait until all offers are issued before you can make your FIRM and INSURANCE decisions.

View all your replies on UCAS Track and make sure you know your reply deadline!

Research the course, campus, city, etc. for your choices to make sure you are making an informed decision.

Once you make the right decision for you, submit on UCAS.





# Accommodation













## **UCFB Wembley Campus First Way**



Room Type	Price
Ensuite	£229.88 p/w
Studio	£268.46 p/w
Twodio	£208.37 p/w
Threedio	£208.37 p/w

- Large communal areas to socialise and study
- 20 minutes to central London
- 5 minutes walk to Wembley stadium
- Onsite gym and communal garden area
- Enjoy using market-leading WiFi speed
- 24-hour security and on-site customer service and maintenance team

### **UCFB Manchester – Mill Point**



Room Type	Price
Classic En-suite	£215 p/w

- Centrally-located in the heart of Manchester
- Large communal areas to socialise and study
- Fully-furnished
- En-suite, including shower, toilet & washbasin
- 5 minutes walk to UCFB Study Hub & Piccadilly Station
- Wi-Fi accessibility
- 24-hour security and on-site customer service and maintenance team



# How to secure your accommodation

- 1. Register on the UCFB website
- 2. Unite / IQ send email, follow the link and action in the time frame
- 3. Final stage
- Pay your deposit
- ✓ Sign your tenancy agreement
- ✓ Send in your Guarantor Information















# Student Finance

What are the facts?













### What loans am I entitled to?



- 1. Tuition fee loan
- 2. Maintenance loan

### How much am I entitled to?



# **UCFB Wembley - Maintenance Loan**

STUDYING AT UCFB

Wembley

(London)



Living at home: Up to £8,171

Living away from home: Up to £12,667

Once your application has been assessed, Student Finance England will post you a letter detailing your entitlement.

### **UCFB Manchester - Maintenance Loan**

STUDYING AT

**UCFB** 

**Manchester** 

(Outside of London)

Living at home: Up to £8,171

Living away from home: Up to £9,706



Once your application has been assessed, Student Finance England will post you a letter detailing your entitlement.

# How do I repay my loan?

1. Start **repaying** back your loan, once you earn **over £25,000** 

2. Loan is wiped after **40 years** 

# How do I repay my loan?

Annual income before tax	Monthly repayment
Up to £25,000	£O
£28,000	£22.50
£31,000	£45.00



# Scholarships & Bursaries













## Scholarships & Bursaries

UCFB Scholarships & Bursaries have now launched and are live to apply!

Scholarships are UCFB specific and intended for applicants who can evidence outstanding achievement in their chosen field. There are different scholarships with different criteria on offer – take a look at our website and applicant hub for more information.

Bursaries are slightly different; aimed at students with a lower household income with the aim to remove any financial barriers that may be faced while studying. Again, there are different scholarships on offer so please take a look on our website.

It's always worth checking out the scholarships and bursaries on offer as you never know what support you may be eligible for. Remember – the money / other benefits received do not need to be repaid.



# What can you be doing now?













# **Applicant Taster Events**



- Academic Sample Lecture
- Industry Speaker Sessions
- Existing Student Round Table
- Alumni Speaker Sessions
- LMA Guest Speaker

# Stay in touch

Our UCFB Applicant Hub is a great way to stay in touch and keep up to date with all things UCFB. Exclusively for applicants, this online resource bank gives you access 24/7 to help answer all your questions and guide you through your application journey with us.

Social Media channels are a great way of keeping up to speed with what's on offer:

- Facebook
- Twitter
- Instagram
- Applicant Facebook Groups











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# What else can I be doing?



There is always things you can be doing to prepare yourself for starting with us in September...

- Create/update CV and LinkedIn profile –
  Having a great CV (or even just making a great start!) can really help you when it comes to securing successful experience in your chosen industry.
- Sector experience Utilise online courses, take time for sector research and reflection, keep up to date with current issues within the sector, and so much more.





# Thank you











