

Recognition of Prior Learning and Credit Transfer Statement

NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY BUSINESS SCHOOL POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL) AND CREDIT TRANSFER

2026-27

SCOPE OF APPLICATIONS

In principle, Newcastle University Business School (NUBS) considers applications for RPL and credit transfer for all postgraduate programmes and makes this available for all modules to a maximum of 20 credits. Applicants should, however, note that their qualifications and experience will be judged on their individual merits and will take account of any accreditation requirements for specific programmes. In other words, each case will be considered on the following criteria:

- a) appropriate level of credit transfer
- b) accredited or equivalent recognition of certificated learning
- c) recognition of prior experiential learning (e.g. industry experience)

WHO TO APPROACH

The contact person in the first instance is the degree programme director for the programme in question. These are as follows:

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What evidence will be required:

Transcript showing level, credits and marks plus copies of syllabuses

WHAT ADVICE AND INFORMATION WILL BE GIVEN

Each applicant for RPL or credit transfer will be issued with the relevant module outline forms specifying learning outcomes and given an RPL/credit transfer application form.

Advice will be available from the Programme Administrator who can be contacted via
ruth.wilson@newcastle.ac.uk / NUBSEducationAdmin@newcastle.ac.uk

HOW RPL/CREDIT TRANSFER DECISIONS ARE MADE

Applications should be submitted via email to the relevant degree programme director above for consideration and will be considered jointly with the relevant admissions selector. Applicants should hear the results of their application within 20 working days. Due to AMBA requirements no more than 20 per cent of a student cohort may be admitted with RPL and credit transfer.