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Over 280 years of excellence and innovation in research and education

Ranked among the top 200 universities worldwide (THE World University Rankings 2014-15)
About St George’s, University of London

With a history stretching back over 280 years, St George’s, University of London offers the highest standards of excellence in teaching and student support in a friendly and welcoming environment. Our programs provide the opportunity to study for an internationally recognized qualification in one of the world’s most exciting cities. You will become part of the St George’s family, supported by highly committed staff throughout your educational journey.

INTO ST GEORGE’S, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

In 2012, we accepted our first cohort of students into our new international medicine program. This six-year International Medicine (BSc/MBBS) program will provide you with an opportunity to study in London for your basic sciences, side-by-side with our UK and European students. Throughout the program, we provide guidance and support for obtaining a post-graduate residency in the US or Canada.

Our co-location with St George’s University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust in the Tooting area of southwest London, provides students with high-quality UK clinical exposure from the very beginning of their studies.

St George’s Hospital, considered a Level-1 trauma center by US standards, is one of the UK’s busiest general hospitals.

With our long history of teaching excellence, St George’s is excited to welcome students from around the world to study with us, and we look forward to continuing our tradition of student success.

Experience clinical placements in the UK and USA

Internationally-focused programs preparing you for worldwide medical careers
Study in London

London is one of the most exciting and diverse cities in the world. A hub of research, culture and innovation, London is a truly global city. By studying here, you benefit not only from the history and influence of the city, but also the connections and opportunities that it offers.

THE IDEAL STUDENT CITY

In London you will find many free entertainment and leisure attractions, and a superb choice of museums and art galleries of international repute. Home to renowned science and medical museums, as well as influential research institutions, there is no shortage of fascinating exhibitions and research opportunities to stimulate students who wish to delve deeply into their subject.
A local community in the heart of the city

Tooting, located in southwest London, offers the best of both worlds. Small enough to maintain a friendly, local atmosphere, but close enough to the bright lights of central London, you will benefit from everything the capital has to offer, while living in a busy, local community.

**CULTURALLY VIBRANT**

Tooting is a multicultural area with an exciting and diverse background of people and histories. Its diversity is reflected in the shops, restaurants and wide range of local facilities you will find right on your doorstep, from big-name clothing stores and supermarkets, to specialist boutiques.

If you are looking to go for a bite to eat or for a drink, you will find an excellent selection of restaurants, cafés and pubs, offering cuisines from around the world.

Nearby, you’ll also find many small parks and areas to relax in, as well as Tooting Bec lido, the UK’s largest outdoor pool. Neighbouring Wimbledon and Kingston can be reached easily by bus, as can Wandsworth Common and Tooting Bec Common, which is just a 10 minute journey from student halls.

**ACCESS AND AFFORDABILITY**

A great advantage of our location is that you are able to live in affordable housing within walking distance of lectures - saving time and money getting around. With excellent transport links including an underground station, a train station and multiple bus routes nearby, you can easily be in the heart of the city in just 20 minutes.

London is home to over 100,000 international students from more than 200 countries (StudyLondon, 2014)
International Medicine (BSc/MBBS)

This six-year program aims to meet the high demand for qualified doctors by offering a combined Bachelor’s and medical degree program for those with High School or equivalent qualifications wishing to progress directly into medical training.

Key program facts

Start date
September 2016

Term dates
Mon 19 Sep 2016-Wed 07 Dec 2016
Wed 04 Jan 2017-Tue 28 Mar 2017
Wed 26 Apr 2017-Fri 07 Jul 2017

Program length
6 years (full-time)

Location of study
Years 1-4: St George’s, University of London campus in south-west London, and other attached hospitals and General (Family) Practices.

Years 5-6: Clinical rotations at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine at Marshall University, Huntington, WV, or other sites currently under development. US or Canadian citizens will spend two years in the US; other passport holders may spend Year 5 in the UK and Year 6 in the US if unable to access the US for two years owing to visa restrictions. Please ask your INTO St George’s representative for more information.

Class hours
Notional 40 hour learning week with approximately 20 hours contact teaching per week.

Academic entry requirements

US applicants
High School Diploma + AP
3.4 GPA with 3 AP exams at 5,5,5 to include Biology, Chemistry and one other subject from Sciences, Math, English Language or Literature, Foreign Languages or Literature, or History, plus a fourth AP exam at a minimum of 4 in any subject area.

High School Diploma + IB
3.4 GPA with 3 Higher Level(HL) IB exams at grades 6,6,6, plus one Standard Level(SL) exam at grade 6. Exams to include Biology and Chemistry (at least one at HL).

Full IB Diploma
6,6,6 HL and 6,6,6 SL to include Biology and Chemistry (at least one at HL), and English and Math.

Canadian applicants
High School Diploma
90% overall with 90% or higher in Biology, Chemistry, Math and English.
Students from Quebec should contact us for specific details regarding admission requirements.

High School Diploma + AP*
75% overall with 75% or higher in Biology, Chemistry, Math and English, plus 3 AP exams at 5,5,5 to include Biology, Chemistry and one other subject from Sciences, Math, English Language or Literature, Foreign Languages or Literature, or History.

Age requirement
Minimum age 16

NOTE: Students must be at least 18 years of age in order to undertake certain clinical placements, for example, Pediatrics.
About our courses

Key program facts continued

High School Diploma + IB*
75% overall with 75% or higher in Biology, Chemistry, Math and English, plus 3 Higher Level IB exams at 6,6,6 to include Biology and Chemistry.

Full IB Diploma**
6,6,6 HL and 6,6,6 SL to include Biology and Chemistry (at least one at HL), and English and Math.

* Applicants who have taken 1-2 AP or IB courses may be considered with an overall High School Diploma score of between 75% and 90%, depending on the particular subjects taken. All students must offer Biology and Chemistry either in the High School Diploma with a minimum of 90%, or at AP with a grade 5, or IB (higher level) with a grade 6.

** Applicants offering the High School Diploma plus full IB diploma will be assessed on the basis of the better of their two qualifications.

Applicants from outside Canada and the US
High School leaving qualifications equivalent to AAA at UK A-level, to include Biology and Chemistry (if a fourth A or AS-level is taken, a minimum of a B must be achieved).

Students taking the International Foundation in Medical, Biomedical and Health Sciences are required to pass with an overall score of 75% including a minimum of 68% in Academic English, and no less than 60% in any module.

English language entry requirement

English language entry requirement for applicants for whom English is not a first language: IELTS 7.0 (with a minimum of 7.0 in writing, and no less than 6.5 in any other subskill) or equivalent.

Additional entry requirements

Applicants will be assessed on the quality of their written application, their work or voluntary experience, their performance in the UKCAT examination, and their performance in the medical selection Multi Mini Interview (MMI).

UKCAT requirements: minimum score of 500 in each of the four sections of the test. Please note that a good score in one section cannot compensate for a poor score in another.

Acceptance on the program is also subject to satisfactory police and health clearance.

NOTE: This program is exclusively for international students, and applications from UK and EU citizens/residents who would normally be considered as ‘home’ students under UK legislation will not be considered.
PROGRAM DETAILS
Your first four years are based at St George’s, University of London. This comprises clinical science in Years 1 and 2 utilizing a Case-Based Learning curriculum, supplemented by lectures and small group learning. In the third year you transition into clinical practice with a Problem-Based Learning curriculum, representing a shift in emphasis from structured to self-directed learning. In Year 4, you complete a year of biomedical science and focus on a medical research project. At the end of this year you graduate with a BSc (Honors) in Science. During this year you will also be preparing for the final two years (Years 5 and 6), which are spent in clinical practice in the United States. Students unable to access the US for two years under immigration laws may alternatively take Year 5 in the UK and Year 6 in the US.

SAMPLE WEEK – BSc/MBBS (YEARS 1 AND 2)
Each week, lectures and clinical sessions complement a case, so that teaching and learning takes place in context and enhances learning in clinical medicine and basic science.

Sample timetable

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<td>9.00-10.30</td>
<td>Case Based Learning Tutorial</td>
<td>Lecture – The aging heart and lungs</td>
<td>Lecture – Elder abuse</td>
<td>Anatomy (dissection) - Neuroanatomy revision</td>
<td>Lecture - Pharmacology and older people</td>
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<td>10.30-12.00</td>
<td>Expert Forum (Q&amp;A session on previous week’s CBL case)</td>
<td>Lecture - The aging GI tract and skin</td>
<td>Lecture - Language in people with disabilities</td>
<td>Tutorial - Communicating with people with disabilities</td>
<td>Lecture - Infection and immunity</td>
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Lunch

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<th>1.00-3.00</th>
<th>Afternoon free for sport/societies and/or private study</th>
<th>Clinical skills - Fall assessment</th>
<th>Lecture - The aging brain</th>
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<td>3.00-5.00</td>
<td>GP visit</td>
<td>Communication skills - interviewing patients</td>
<td>Lecture - Dementia</td>
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AFTER GRADUATION
The International Medicine Program is designed for students with the intention of pursuing postgraduate residency training and medical practice in the United States, Canada, and in their home country, rather than in the UK.

HOW IS THE PROGRAM VALIDATED?
The program is validated and quality assured by St George’s, University of London. Successful completion of the program leads to the award of an MBBS degree from St George’s Hospital Medical School, a constituent college of the University of London, allowing for direct progression into professional medical practice.

The clinical years take place in the United States or other INTO St George’s, University of London affiliated international clinical training sites and students are prepared for the USMLE.

POSTGRADUATE FOUNDATION YEAR 1, AND BEYOND
At the end of the undergraduate course you will receive your MBBS (or equivalent) degree, which is a primary medical qualification (PMQ). Holding a PMQ entitles you to provisional registration with the General Medical Council, subject only to its acceptance that there are no Fitness to Practice concerns that need consideration. Provisional registration is time limited to a maximum of three years and 30 days (1125 days in total). After this time period your provisional registration will normally expire.

Provisionally registered doctors can only practice in approved Foundation Year 1 posts: the law does not allow provisionally registered doctors to undertake any other type of work. To obtain a Foundation Year 1 post you will need to apply during the final year of your undergraduate course through the UK Foundation Programme Office selection scheme, which allocates these posts to graduates on a competitive basis.

So far, all suitably qualified UK graduates have found a place on the Foundation Year 1 programme, but this cannot be guaranteed, for instance if there were to be an increased number of competitive applications from non-UK graduates.

Successful completion of the Foundation Year 1 programme is normally achieved within 12 months and is marked by the award of a Certificate of Experience. You will then be eligible to apply for full registration with the General Medical Council. You need full registration with a licence to practice for unsupervised medical practice in the NHS or private practice in the UK.

Although this information is currently correct, students need to be aware that regulations in this area may change from time to time.

There is some discussion about whether to remove provisional registration for newly qualified doctors. If this happens then UK graduates will receive full registration as soon as they have successfully completed an MBBS (or equivalent) degree. It should be noted that it is very likely that UK graduates will still need to apply for a training programme similar to the current Foundation Programme and that places on this programme may not be guaranteed for every UK graduate.

In addition the GMC is currently considering whether to introduce a formal assessment that all doctors would need to pass in order to be granted full registration. Although no firm decision has been taken as to whether or when such an exam will be introduced applicants should be aware that the GMC envisages that future cohorts of medical students will need to pass parts of a new UK Medical Licensing Assessment before the GMC will grant them Registration with a Licence to Practise.

While the St George’s MBBS is recognized by many different countries, applicants should check with their own individual national or state authority if they aspire to practice in their home country.
Clinical placements in the US and the pathway to residency

Students in this program will be exposed to clinical rotations both in the UK and in the US. By completing rotations in both countries, our students gain a strong understanding of international healthcare systems and differing models of medical care and treatment.

**Clinical Placements**
The UK rotations will take place during Years 1-3 of the program. In the UK, rotations will be held in St George’s Hospital, and/or other hospitals in London and the surrounding areas.

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<th>Clinical Transition Year (Year 3)</th>
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<td>General Medicine - 5 weeks</td>
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Year 4 is a research year after which students are awarded a BSc in Basic Medical Sciences. The US rotations will then take place during Year 5 and Year 6 at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine at Marshall University, Huntington, WV.* Expansion in the range of US clinical sites available is anticipated.

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<th>Penultimate Year (Year 5)</th>
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<td>Medicine</td>
<td>Advanced Clinical Practice - 1-week course</td>
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<td>Emergency Medicine - 4-week core placement</td>
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<td>Psychiatry</td>
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<td>Surgery</td>
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<td>Neurology</td>
<td>Sub-Internship Family Practice - 5-week placement</td>
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<td>Geriatrics</td>
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<td>Special study module - 5-week placement</td>
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<td>Elective - 5-week placement. Students have the opportunity to complete electives in the US, UK and around the world.</td>
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The clinical placement years also incorporate revision, examination and teaching sessions.
**ELECTIVES**
In addition to clerkships in the UK and US, students will also have the opportunity to complete electives. Electives are available in the UK, US and around the world.

**USMLE EXAMS AND RESIDENCY ADVISING**
INTO St George’s has incorporated test preparation for the United States Medical Licensing Exams (USMLE) Steps 1 and 2 exams and residency advising into the program, so that students will have the support needed to be successful. The USMLE exams are a series of exams that are taken by all students who are looking to pursue residency and become licensed to practice medicine in the US.

For students looking to return to Canada, preparing for and taking the USMLE will also be of value, and residency advice about the Canadian system will be provided.

**INTERNATIONAL MEDICINE (BSc/MBBS 6)**

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<th>Student with a High School/Secondary School Diploma</th>
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<td>Years 1-3: Study in the UK</td>
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* US or Canadian citizens will spend two years in the US; other passport holders may spend Year 5 in the UK and Year 6 in the US if unable to access for two years owing to visa restrictions.

**CLINICAL PLACEMENTS IN THE US**
Our clinical placement site at Marshall University’s Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, West Virginia, is centered around a medical school with strong ties to local, affiliated health care facilities. The school is LCME accredited and offers residency programs approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (www.acgme.org).

The school is adjacent to Cabell Huntington Hospital, a regional referral center and teaching hospital with over 300 beds and a number of specialized care centers.

Further clinical sites are under development.
Student finance

Find out more about the cost of studying at St George’s and the financial support available to you. The information below relates only to the International Medicine MBBS6 program. Please contact us for financial information relating to the Biomedical Sciences or International Graduate Medicine Program.

TUITION
$49,216 per year

Students on programmes of study lasting more than one year should be aware that tuition fees are subject to an annual revision and typically increase by up to 5% per annum. We benchmark tuition fees against sector comparators and give students as much notice as possible of annual fee increases. Fees for placement years may be at a higher level subject to costs from providers.

Tuition fees do not include:
- textbooks - these are available electronically or from the library and purchase is optional
- USMLE exam fees.

FINANCIAL AID
This course is Title IV approved in the US for federal student aid. For more information about how to apply for this please visit: [http://bit.ly/1eklJON](http://bit.ly/1eklJON)

The course is also approved for Canada Student Loans and for the Ontario Student Assistance Program. Canadian students from other provinces should consult the appropriate provincial agency. Canadian students can find more information at: [http://bit.ly/1PApKPO](http://bit.ly/1PApKPO)

SCHOLARSHIPS
INTO St George’s offers a range of scholarships to support high-achieving international students with their tuition fees. For information please contact your local INTO St George’s representative.

ESTIMATED COST OF LIVING
We recommend that you budget at least $1,600-$1,920 per month of study to cover your accommodation, entertainment, travel, sustenance and bills. Tuition fees and the cost of traveling home are not included in this estimate. This amount is only a guide and will vary depending on accommodation and lifestyle.

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Estimated additional fees

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<td>$800-$1,200 per trip*</td>
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* US prices are indicative only and subject to change as a consequence of significant moves in the exchange rate. Prices quoted are based on a conversion rate of US$1.60 = GBE1.00.
Accommodation

Students studying at INTO St George’s, University of London can choose from a variety of student residences near the University campus.

**ST GEORGE’S STUDENT HOUSING**

Horton Halls accommodates almost 500 students from all St George’s programs, and offers the chance to mix with British and international students in a diverse and dynamic student environment.

Just 15 minutes’ walk from the St George’s campus, Horton Halls are equipped with everything you need and are close to local supermarkets and shops. These residences offer en suite single study bedrooms, sharing a well-equipped kitchen and dining area, with specially designed ground-floor accommodation for wheelchair users. Each block has a common room with comfortable chairs and large television. There are on-site laundry facilities, internet access in all units, and a 24-hour security-staffed reception.

Furzedown Student Village is located in Tooting, about 20 minutes’ walk from St George’s. Recently refurbished to a high specification, it boasts 263 en suite, single study rooms, all with upgraded facilities and a well-equipped shared kitchen. Fast WiFi access is included, as well as access to a large shared common room, quiet study area, on-site gym, laundry facilities and a 24/7 security warden.

For more information, including a virtual tour of the halls of residence, please visit: [www.sgul.ac.uk/study/accommodation](http://www.sgul.ac.uk/study/accommodation)

**OTHER ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS**

All students at INTO St George’s also have access to accommodation services run by the University of London.

The University of London has eight intercollegiate halls of residence available to full-time students of the University. Intercollegiate halls are located in central London, and residents here will be able to mix with students from the different colleges of the University of London.

For more information, please visit: [www.halls.london.ac.uk](http://www.halls.london.ac.uk)

The University of London Housing Services (ULHS) offers advice to students seeking accommodation in the private sector. A comprehensive list of private halls of residences can be found at the ULHS website: [www.housing.london.ac.uk/cms](http://www.housing.london.ac.uk/cms)

All the halls of residence listed on this site have been visited by the ULHS. However, they are not owned or run by the University of London. The ULHS also maintains a database of letting agents and landlords who have signed up to the ULHS Code of Good Practice.

Offer holders considering private accommodation in London can contact the St George’s accommodation office via email at [accommodation@sgul.ac.uk](mailto:accommodation@sgul.ac.uk)
How to apply

Applications for the International Medicine (BSc/MBBS) program can be completed via the Universities and Colleges Application Service (UCAS). Direct applications may also be accepted if you have not applied or do not intend to apply to other UK schools. Please visit our website for details.

APPLICATION PROCESS
Students who meet specific academic requirements including achieving minimum score on the UKCAT exam, and who submit a completed application, will be invited to interview.

If you have any questions about this process, or would like information on possible alternative application methods, email an INTO St George’s representative: namerica@sgul.ac.uk

STEP 1: COMPLETING AN APPLICATION
Applicants should apply via UCAS (www.ucas.com). Please use the below codes to ensure your application is received and is submitted for the correct program of study.

Institution code name: SGEO
Institution code: S49
Course code: A900

We recommend applicants review our detailed application instructions online before submitting an application:
http://myin.to/SGULdegreeprogs

When completing your application you will be asked to provide/submit the following information:
- scanned copy of your official transcripts*
- scanned copy of entrance exam score report*
- voluntary experience/work history
- personal statement
- one letter of recommendation
- UCAS application fee.

* UCAS applicants should submit these items via email to SGUL Admissions at: intadmissions@sgul.ac.uk

Application deadlines for Sept 2016 admission:
31 March 2016 (6 year International Medicine (BSc/MBBS) program)
31 May 2016 (International Graduate Medicine)
31 May 2016 (BSc Biomedical Science program)

STEP 2: INTERVIEWS
At INTO St George’s, Multi Mini Interviews (MMI) are used to evaluate applicants for our International Medicine (BSc/MBBS) program.

Once your completed application has been submitted and your transcripts received, INTO St George’s will review it and will select candidates to be invited to interview for admission into the program, on the basis of the quality of their application, academic history and test scores. Interviews will be held periodically at our London campus, and can be arranged remotely if you are
Your application unable to come to the UK. You will need to bring an official copy of your transcripts and test score(s) to the interview.

For more information about MMIs at St George’s, please visit: www.myin.to/sgulmmi

**STEP 3: OFFERS OF ADMISSION**

Successful interviewees will receive an admission decision in writing within three weeks of the interview session.

**ACCEPTANCE TO THE PROGRAM**

Once admitted you will need to work with admissions officers at INTO St George’s, University of London to identify any remaining issues related to accommodation, finances, travel, books, and any other items required for your program.

**VISAS (UK AND US)**

All non-EEA students wishing to study in the UK will need to apply for a Tier 4 visa from UK Visas and Immigration. In order to be eligible for a Tier 4 visa, you will need to have first received a Certificate of Acceptance for Study (CAS) from St George’s, University of London. Admissions staff will issue a CAS to offer holders only once all the conditions of an offer of a place are met, and an initial fee deposit has been paid. Please note that this is not an additional charge, but will be deducted from the balance of fees to be paid on enrollment.

Once you have received a CAS, you will be able to apply for your Tier 4 visa online through the UK Visas and Immigration website at: www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa

St George’s, University of London will sponsor all students who are offered a place and meet the conditions of their offer and all UK Visas and Immigration regulations, for the entire duration of their program of study.

Once students arrive, the Student Services team, in conjunction with the University’s International Student Advisor, will provide information, support and guidance on all visa-related issues. Visa workshops will be held throughout the year and individual appointments will be made available for you should you require specific advice.

**VISAS FOR US CLINICAL ROTATIONS**

Non-US citizens will also need to apply for a B1 visa for the duration of their US clinical placements. For Canadian citizens this is normally issued at the US border.

For citizens of countries outside the US and Canada, please contact your INTO St George’s representative for further information about how you will complete your clinical rotations.
**Biomedical Science (International) BSc (Hons)**

This three-year program covers the whole range of biological sciences that underpin medicine. The course is distinctive in that it is offered in a medical environment and is therefore well placed to emphasize the wide-range of modern developments in medicine and the biomedical field. The course comprises a mixture of academic and practical training aimed at preparing and equipping you for a wide-range of careers.

**PROGRAM DETAILS**

In the first two years, much of our program content is shared with that of the medical program, with additional specific modules for biomedical science students. These offer a broad coverage of topics in the biomedical field, ranging from fundamental aspects of cell and molecular biology, through systems-based anatomy, physiology and pharmacology, to advanced basic science and clinical laboratory techniques. The overall aim is to equip you for the specialized units in the final year.

**HOW IS THE PROGRAM VALIDATED AND RECOGNIZED?**

The program is professionally accredited and quality assured by St George’s, University of London. Successful completion of the program leads to the award of a St George’s Hospital Medical School Bachelor of Science degree (with Honors) with the opportunity to progress into a wide-range of scientific careers as well as the opportunity to progress into medical training.

**PROGRESSION OPTIONS**

It is possible for top performing students on this program to progress directly into the Clinical Transition Year of the International Graduate Medicine Program (MBBS4), subject to:

- achieving a minimum of 65% in Year 1;
- a minimum of 67% in Year 2
- being predicted to achieve a minimum grade of Upper Second Class on graduation
- satisfactory performance in the medical selection Multi Mini Interview (MMI).

Alternatively, you can progress onto Year 1 of the International Graduate Medicine (MBBS) program subject to:

- achieving a minimum of a Lower Second Class on graduation
- satisfactory performance in the GAMSAT or MCAT examination
- satisfactory performance in the medical selection Multi Mini Interview (MMI).

Acceptance on the International Graduate Medicine (MBBS) program is subject to satisfactory police and health clearance.
Key program facts

Start date
September 2016

Program length
3 years (full-time)

Class hours
Notional 40 hour learning week with approximately 20 hours of contact teaching per week.

Age requirement
Minimum age 16

Academic entry requirements

US applicants
High School Diploma + Advanced Placements (AP)
2.75 GPA with a minimum GPA 2.75/75% in Math, English and Sciences, plus 3 AP exams at 5,4,4 to include Biology, Chemistry and one other subject from: Math, Physics, English Language or Literature, Foreign Languages or Literature, or History.

High School Diploma + IB
2.75 GPA with a minimum GPA 2.75/75% in Math, English, and Sciences, plus 3 IB Higher Level exams at 6,5,5 to include Biology and Chemistry.

Full IB Diploma
6,5,5 Higher Level and 5,5,5 Standard Level, with Chemistry and Biology at HL, and English and Math to at least SL.

Applicants from outside Canada and the US
Please contact your INTO St George’s representative.

Additional entry requirements
Applicants will be assessed on the quality of their written application, including personal statement, and may be asked to attend a selection interview.

English language entry requirement
English language entry requirement for applicants for whom English is not a first language: IELTS 7.0 (with a minimum of 7.0 in writing, and no less than 6.5 in any other subskill) or equivalent.

Please contact your INTO St George’s representative with any questions about alternative qualifications.

*  Applicants who have taken 1–2 AP or IB courses may be considered with an overall High School Diploma score of between 65% and 80%, depending on the particular subjects taken. All students must offer Biology and Chemistry either in the High School Diploma with a minimum of 80%, or at AP with a grade 4, or IB (Higher Level) with a grade 5.

** Applicants offering the High School Diploma plus full IB diploma will be assessed on the basis of the better of their two qualifications.
After successfully completing a bachelor’s degree, you may want to consider our International Graduate Medicine Program. This four-year Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) program aims to meet the high demand for qualified doctors while enabling university graduates of any discipline to pursue a medical career. Making use of the innovative Problem-Based Learning approach to education, this program places you at the center of your learning.

### Key program facts

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| **Location of study** | Years 1 and 2: St George’s, University of London, and other attached hospitals and General (Family) Practices.  
Years 3 and 4: Clinical rotations at one of our two U.S. partner sites (Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine at Marshall University, Huntington, WV OR Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA), or further clinical sites currently under development. |
| **Class hours**   | Notional 40 hour learning week with approximately 20 hours of contact teaching per week. |
| **Academic requirements** | Bachelor’s degree with a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA (a higher MCAT score may be required if GPA is not a 3.3 or above) or a Master’s or Doctorate degree. |

#### Canadian applicants
- Bachelor’s degree with a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA or a minimum of 70% if GPA is not used (a higher MCAT score may be required if GPA is not a 3.3 or above)
- or
- a Master’s or Doctorate degree.

#### English language entry requirement
- English language entry requirement for applicants for whom English is not a first language: IELTS 7.0 (with a minimum of 7.0 in writing and no less than 6.5 in any other subskill) or equivalent.

#### Additional entry requirements
- MCAT or GAMSAT required. Please contact your local advisor for the latest entry requirements.

**NOTE:** this program is exclusively for international students, and applications from UK and EU citizens/residents who would normally be considered as ‘home’ students under UK legislation will not be considered.

Acceptance on the program is also subject to satisfactory police and health clearance.
Through innovative partnerships with leading universities, we expand opportunities for higher education, ensuring success and transforming the lives of our students and staff.