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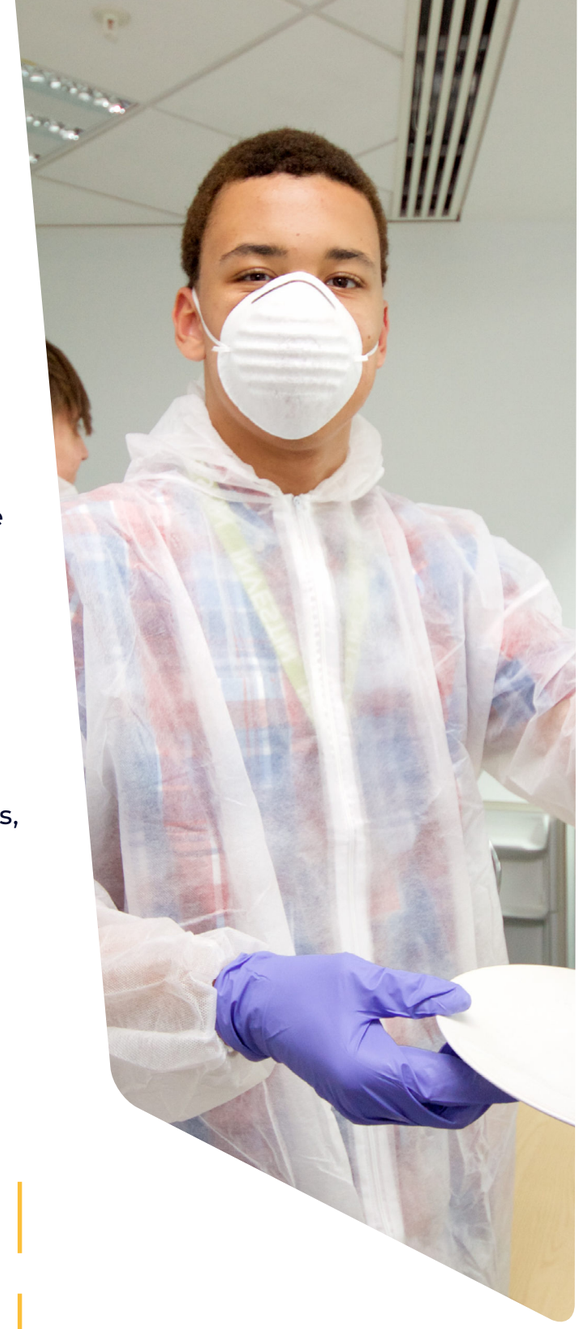
THE
FORENSIC
SCIENTIST
SUMMER EXPERIENCE
Ages 15-18
London | UCL Campus

FORENSIC SCIENCE

Over the course of 2 weeks, you will step into the shoes of a forensic scientist through a range of immersive career simulations and exclusive professional site visits.

Have the unique opportunity to gain a practical understanding of the role of a forensic scientist. From blood spatter analysis in a lab to DNA examination, explore a wide range of specialisms, methods and techniques used to investigate crimes.



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Residential Package | Programme Content | Enhanced Content

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
07:30 - 09:30	Residential students arrive & check-in	Breakfast				
10:00 - 10:30		Travel to Venue				
10:30 - 13:00		**Introduction to the Summer Experience** Programme welcome and peer networking	**Essential Skills** Learn about chain of custody and develop key skills, such as teamwork and critical thinking	**The First Responder** After being taken through a step-by-step crime scene walkthrough, tackle your first case	**Blood Pattern Analysis** Create and analyse blood spatter using different techniques	**Enter the Lab** Learn about analytical chemistry and toxicology
13:00 - 14:00		Lunch Break				
14:00 - 17:00		**The World of Forensic Science** Enter the world of forensic science and discover its many branches	**Cracking the Fingerprint Code** Take part in fingerprint recovery and identification	**Cognitive Bias & Career Coaching** Confront cognitive bias in convictions and find your career pathway	**Search & Recovery** Locate, test and extract biological evidence from clothing	**DNA Analysis** Practise successful DNA profiling and extraction
17:00 - 17:30		Travel to Accomodation				
17:30 - 19:30		Dinner & Break				
19:30 - 22:00	Induction & icebreakers	Movie night	Board game café	Sports & games night	Wellness evening	Quiz night
22:30		Lights Out				

	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
07:30 - 09:30	Breakfast		Breakfast	
10:30 - 13:00	Immersive strategy game & workshop	Professional development coaching sessions	Break - Free time	Break - Free time
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break		Lunch Break	
14:00 - 17:00	Psychometric testing & personality profiling	Expert university admissions & recruitment coaching	London walking tour	Sports day at central London park
17:30 - 19:30	Dinner & Break		Dinner & Break	
19:30 - 22:00	Scavenger hunt	Crafts night	Scavenger hunt	Crafts night
22:30	Lights Out		Lights Out	

Break - No Programmes

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
07:30 - 09:30	Breakfast					
10:00 - 10:30	Travel to Venue					2-Week Residential students check-out & depart
10:30 - 13:00	**Forensic Anthropology** Learn how to use skeletal remains to build a profile	**Enter the Crime Scene** Suit up in PPE and set foot on a simulated crime scene	**Fire Investigation** Delve into different types of fires, their causes and arsonist motives	**Enter the Courtroom** Write a statement and testify as an expert witness	**Assessed Activity** Practise your teamwork, leadership, problem-solving and communication skills in an assessed activity	
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break					
14:00 - 17:00	**Continued**	**Continued**	**Explosives/Ballistics** Learn the differences between explosives and ballistics from a specialist	**Continued**	**Graduation Ceremony** Closing speeches and certificates	
17:00 - 17:30	Travel to Accomodation					1-year access granted to The InvestIN Career Accelerator
17:30 - 19:30	Dinner & Break					
19:30 - 22:00	Film night	Sports & games night	Wellness evening	Karaoke night	Prom	
22:30	Lights Out					
			18:30 - 21:30	Gala networking party		

Exact start/end times of each day will vary. Students will receive their personalised timetables with specific locations and venues, as well as a finalised social programme schedule, closer to the programme start date.

"My highlights were making our own fingerprints, blood pattern analysis because of the practical aspect of it and the crime scene investigation because of the teamwork practical. Listening to different professionals and their perspectives was also a highlight."

Student, the Young Forensic Scientist Summer Experience 2025

"The forensic science programme taught me a lot about the different branches of forensic science and there were case studies given to apply the knowledge we've learnt. This course was very helpful, interesting and informative."

Student, the Young Forensic Scientist Summer Experience 2022

DATES & FEES

Accommodation Check-In	Programme Start Date	Week 1 Programme End Date	Week 1 Accommodation Check-Out	Week 2 Programme End Date	Week 2 Accommodation Check-Out
Sunday 18th July 2027	Monday 19th July 2027	Friday 23rd July 2027	Saturday 24th July	Friday 30th July 2027	Saturday 31st July 2027

Length	Day Programme Fee	Residential Programme Fee
1 week	£2,290	£3,865
2 weeks	£3,685	£6,995
2-week Enhanced	£4,620	£7,930

Add-On	Fee
Airport transfers *Available to/from Heathrow Airport only*	£300 return

	1-Week Summer Experience	2-Week Summer Experience	2-Week Enhanced Summer Experience
Hours of contact time with professionals	25	50	62
Hands-on career simulations	✓	✓	✓
Programme materials, equipment & resources	✓	✓	✓
Programme assessment & digital certificate	✓	✓	✓
On-site safeguarding & pastoral care	✓	✓	✓
Experience UCL campus	✓	✓	✓
Excursions to professional workplaces/venues	✓ Up to 2	✓ Up to 5	✓ Up to 5
Assessed activity		✓	✓
Graduation ceremony & physical certificate		✓	✓
Industry reference letter signed by professionals		✓	✓
Level 3 Award in Work Experience & Assessment for UCAS Points		✓	✓
Professional development & university admissions coaching		✓	✓
CV, LinkedIn & job application workshops			✓
Experience LSE campus			✓
Psychometric testing & personality profiling			✓
Private Gala dinner & networking event with professionals			✓
1-year access to The InvestIN Career Accelerator for virtual micro-internships & AI interviews			✓

	1-Week Summer Experience	2-Week Summer Experience	2-Week Enhanced Summer Experience
Private, single, ensuite bedroom	6 nights	13 nights	13 nights
Breakfast & dinner at accommodation canteen		✓	
Snacks & refillable water bottle		✓	
Travel to/from accommodation venue		✓	
Evening & social activities		✓	
Prom night			✓
24/7 safeguarding & pastoral support, including a designated Pastoral & Activity leader, Centre Managers & a medical office		✓	
Airport transfers to/from Heathrow airport		*Available as an add-on*	

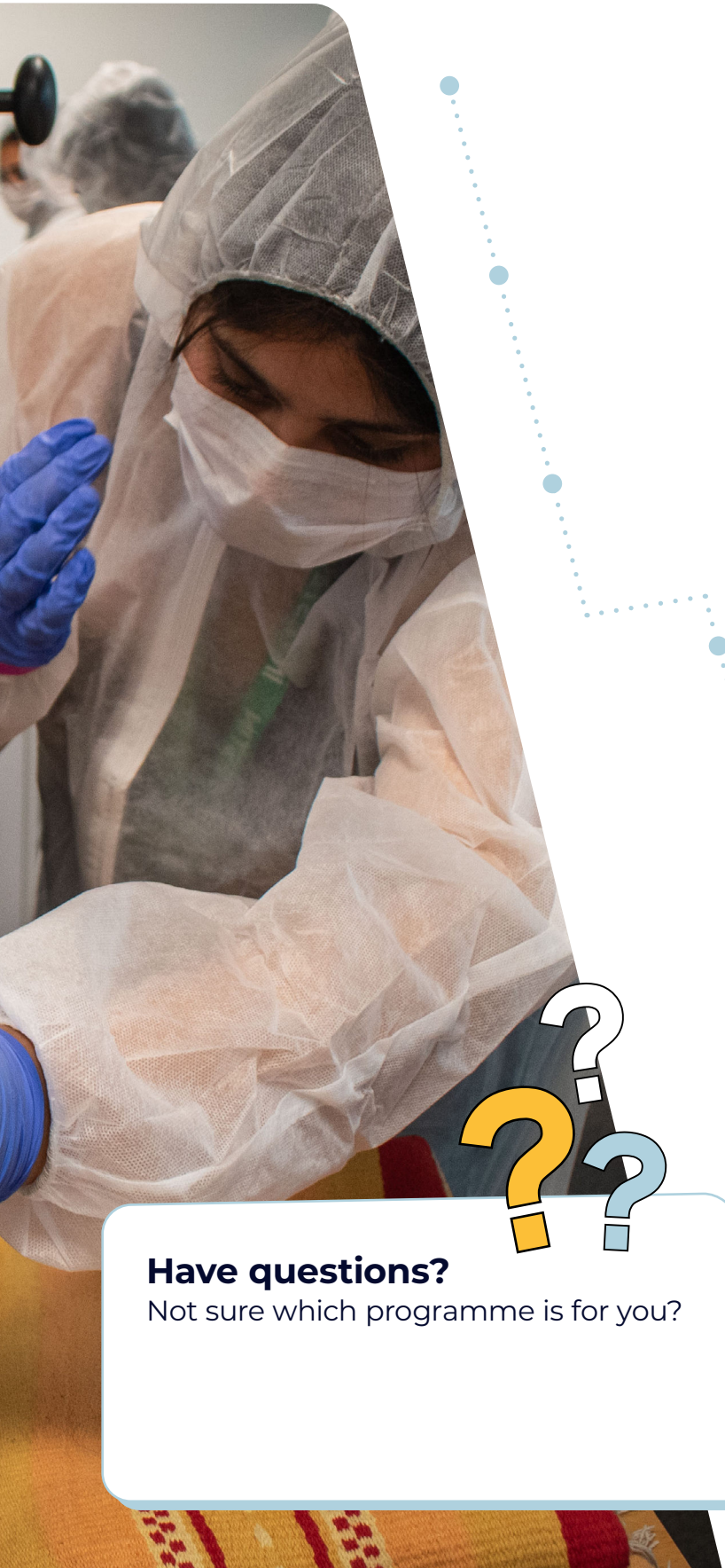
Find out more about our professionals, venues, residential package & FAQs in our main prospectus

Find out more

How to Register

Registering for an InvestIN programme is a simple, straightforward process.

- **No application process**
  Students don't require prior knowledge or experience in order to attend.
- **Places are limited**
  We are typically fully booked for summer programmes by late spring.



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Not sure which programme is for you?

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