

Application Frequently Asked Questions

- **Are applications from International Students considered?**

Yes, the LIDo programme offers up to 7 fully funded places for students who are eligible for overseas fee rates. Please see this link for more information: [Applying as an international student | Prospective Students Graduate - UCL –University College London](#)

- **What are the visa requirements for international students?**

You can find detailed information on visa requirements here: [Immigration and visas | Students - UCL – University College London](#)

- **Are references required for my application to be considered and how can I track when they have been received?**

You can submit your application without references being returned, but they must be received by the application deadline (5pm 1st December 2026 UK time). You can track the status of your references by logging into your LIDo account and viewing the **Referee** section of the application. You can also resend the notification to your referee from there.

- **Can I update my referee if they are unable to provide a reference?**

You cannot update referee details yourself, but you can email lido.admissions@ucl.ac.uk with the updated information.

- **What information needs to be anonymised on my CV?**

Your CV should not include any personally identifying information, such as your name, email address, LinkedIn profile or name within publications. You can remove these details by deleting them, replacing them with “XX” or blanking them out or referring to your role such as co-author.

- **Can I include references to my publications?**

Yes you can include your publications on your CV, but ensure all personal details are removed (see above).

- **Can I apply to both routes (DTP/iCASE) and how many projects can I select?**

Yes. You can apply to both DTP and iCASE routes by selecting both options on your application.

You may select as many projects as you are interested in.

- **When is proof of English language required and what type of proof is acceptable?**

You do not need to provide evidence at the application stage. Proof will only be required if you receive an offer on the programme.

For details on acceptable evidence, see: [English Language requirements | Prospective Students Graduate - UCL – University College London](#)

- **What module information do I need to enter?**

Enter all module information exactly as listed on the transcript included in your application. Only include module grades that can be verified by a transcript.

- **What should I do if my transcript is not yet available?**

For undergraduate studies, your university should provide interim evidence. For higher level awards you can include either a copy of your undergraduate transcript or proof of enrolment, until your transcript becomes available.

- **When will I know the outcome of my application?**

Shortlisting will take place after the closing date. Interviews will be held on the **26th, 27th and 28th January 2027**. You will be notified if you have been shortlisted approximately one week before the interview dates.

- **What should I include in my research outcomes?**

Please see the following link on completing the research outcomes section: <https://youtu.be/pA0yojyqQU>

You should consider the most significant outcomes of your research, which might have arisen from projects you have already described or other research you've been involved in. This can include publications, collaborations, novel findings, IP and licensing, engagement activities, research databases and models, awards and recognition.