

Why Pursue a Masters in Comparative Education and International Development (CEID) at the University of Edinburgh?



World Class Experience

The University of Edinburgh's Moray House is consistently ranked as one of the **top 30 education schools in the world**.

The MSc CEID programme is driven by passionate faculty committed to their students: over half of the programme faculty have been nominated for Teacher of the Year.

Unique & Flexible Programme

The MSc CEID is one of the few programmes in the world that combine the areas of comparative education and international development.

In this 1-year programme, **students can choose half their coursework, based on their own passions and career interests**, from over 15 available option courses, including education policy, anthropology, and education and conflict.

Practical Opportunities

The MSc CEID foster student's practical skills while providing space to network with experts in the field. To prepare students for their careers, Students can opt for a **placement-based option** allowing them to complete their dissertations with select local, regional, or global organisations.

The **spring semester trip** also enables students to learn more about the field through visits to international and non-governmental organisations.

Career Options

We aim to **develop students as critical and reflexive researchers and practitioners** equipped with the mindsets, skills and confidence to engage with some of the largest challenges in education and international development. Beyond continuing to a PhD, the diverse range of career options include work in:

- Development agencies – ex: The Asia Foundation, FCDO, USAID
 - International organizations – ex: UNESCO, OECD
- International finance institutes – ex: World Bank, Asian Development Bank
 - NGO/CSOs – ex: Save the Children, Oxfam
- Think tanks – ex: Overseas Development Institute (ODI), Brookings Institution
- Higher education – ex: International education offices, Aga Khan Foundation

Thriving, Dynamic Community

All our activities happen as part of the CEID Community based at the Moray House School of Education and Sport.

Beyond the MSc CEID programme, students benefit for participating in other activities, such as the **CEID Research Group** – bringing together over 50 researchers across the university – and the **CEID Student Society** – one of the few, student run societies focused on the graduate student experience, and holding regular social, academic, and networking events.

Edinburgh: A Magical City

Edinburgh combines nature, historical charm, and a bit of Harry Potter.

As a mid-size city, Edinburgh has consistently **ranked in the global top 20 on multiple best places to live lists**, including Best Student Cities, the City Wellbeing Index, and Sustainable Cities Index. Amongst all cities in the UK, Edinburgh also holds the top position in the Green Cities Index, taking the top spot due to its abundance of green spaces and low pollution. levels.

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