Bachelor of Science Degree in Audio Engineering *(SCQF Level 9)*
Full-time

Where will I study?

Course code	Location	Duration
CDND	Aberdeen City Campus	2 Years

Welcome from Director of Curriculum

As the current Director of Curriculum, I would like to welcome you to the School of Creative Industries, Computing and Business Enterprise at North East Scotland College. This school encompasses the Creative Arts, Music, Drama, Media, ESOL, Business Enterprise and Computing and IT subjects – all of which offer interesting and exciting opportunities for students to progress and achieve success in their future careers.

Through work with external clients and experienced, knowledgeable teaching teams, our students will benefit from industry–focused, high quality learning. This means that on completion of your course, you are confident and capable when it comes to entering the workplace, or progressing towards further study. We pride ourselves in offering educational opportunities for all, whether you are starting at introductory level or joining one of our advanced courses. On behalf of the entire teaching team, we are delighted to have you join – or consider joining – one of our courses.

Susan Betty, Director of Curriculum for Creative Industries, Computing and Business Enterprise

Introduction to the course

This degree programme aims to propel students to the forefront of the sector upon successful completion, leading to an exciting and rewarding career. The course will provide you with the technical know-how and the theoretical understanding needed for a future in audio technology.

Entry requirements

Applicants will require successful completion of the HND Sound Production course, having achieved at least a grade B in Graded Unit 2. Applicants with other relevant qualifications and experience will be considered on an individual basis.

What subjects will I be studying?

Using excellent facilities, equipment and studios, you will collaborate with other creative arts students and experience a very hands-on approach to learning. A wide range of topics are covered – from theory and applications to audio production, multitrack mixdown techniques and live events audio.

Dress code

Students should dress appropriately for practical, hands-on work.

Employment

Typical employment options will include roles as a Producer, Technician, Sound Engineer, Studio Recording Engineer or Music Programmer.

Useful information

Faculty:	Creative Industries
School:	School of Creative Industries, Computing and Business Enterprise
Faculty Manager:	Elaine Makein Email: e.makein@nescol.ac.uk
Curriculum & Quality Manager(s):	Tony Young Email: t.young@nescol.ac.uk

Guidance and Support

Guidance

You will be assigned a Guidance Tutor when you are enrolled on the course. They will act as your primary contact should you have any issues, personal or involving your course, whilst at North East Scotland College. They will support you for the duration of your course along with relevant teaching staff. For assignments and assessments you will be provided with detailed feedback where possible, allowing you to pinpoint areas of good performance and areas that may need improvement - essential for your educational development.

View our Guidance Tutor contact information.

Support

Our Student Services team are dedicated to helping all students with a range of factors that might affect your time at College. They can help you with funding queries, careers advice, learning support and more!

Visit the Support section of our website for more information

Learning Resources

The College has a number of excellent learning resources available to assist and support the delivery of our classes across full-time, part-time and distance learning courses. They aim to enhance the quality of your learning experience.

Find out more about NESCol learning resources

Library+

Our Library+ sites – at the Aberdeen City, Aberdeen Altens and Fraserburgh Campuses – provide all students with access to books, journals, newspapers, core skills materials and more! You'll also find laptop friendly areas, private study/research booths and printers, scanners and photocopiers.

Find out more about what our Library+ services can offer

College calendar

Have a look at our College Calendar for further information on key dates throughout the year.