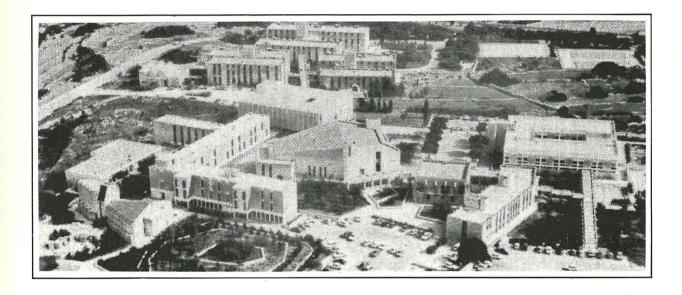


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UNIVERSITY COURSES ENTRY OF STUDENTS-OCTOBER 1990

In August 1990, the University issued calls for applications, offering day courses leading:

to the degrees of:

Doctor of Medicine and Surgery

Bachelor of Engineering & Architecture (Honours)

Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Bachelor of Commerce*

Bachelor of Dental Surgery

Bachelor of Education (Honours)

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)

Bachelor of Sacred Theology

Bachelor of Science

Bachelor of Science (Nursing Studies)

*With the possibility of proceeding to an Honours degree.

to the Diplomas in:

Applied Social Studies

Midwifery

Nursing

Pastoral Theology

Public Administration;

to the Foundation Studies Certificate

to evening courses leading:

to the degree of:

Bachelor of Arts (Religious Studies)

to the Diplomas in:

Applied Social Studies

Educational Administration & Management

Guidance and Counselling

Religious Studies

Applications are also invited from suitably qualified graduates for admission to courses leading to the *degrees* of:

Doctor in Sacred Theology

Master of Arts

Licentiate in Sacred Theology

to the Postgraduate Diploma in:

Gerontology

to the Post-Graduate Course in Education

By the last week in September, applications were considered and letters of acceptance were forwarded to successful candidates. The admission to courses commencing on 1st October 1990, will be as follows:

Faculties

Architecture and Civil Engineering	46
Arts	174
Dental Surgery	12
Economics, Management and Accountancy	153
Education	106
Mechanical and Electrical Engineering	97
Medicine and Surgery	
M.D.	50
Pharmacy	82
Science	78
Theology	7
Institute of Health Care	72
	877
Post-Graduate Studies	65
Foundation Studies	168
Total	$\frac{1.110}{1.110}$
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FACULTY OF MECHANICAL & ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

B. MECH. ENG. (Hons)		
Name of Student	Title of Project	Supervisor
BUTTIGIEG Joseph M. CAMILLERI Anthony	A Rotary Vane Pump	Mr A.J. Pullicino
CARUANA Albert J.	The Jet Pump	Mr A.N. Debono
CARUANA Godwin	A Stone-Cutting Testing Rig	Prof. R. Ghirlando
CHIRCOP Dario SILVIO Jesmond	A Spiral Expander	Prof. J. Mifsud
CURMI Albert	An RCC Device & Gripper for the Puma Robot	Mr. F.E. Farrugia
DIMECH Julian THEUMA Pierre G.	An Automated Guided Vehicle	Mr. F.E. Farrugia
JOSLIN Matthew MIFSUD Stephen	Automated Greasing of Switchgear Components	Mr F.E. Farrugia
MANGION Anthony	Sound Attenuation in Air Conditioning Ducts	Mr A.R. Scicluna
MUSCAT Raymond	Machine Health Monitoring by Vibration Analysis	Mr A.L. Sacco
SCHEMBRI Philip	The Thermal Performance of Air-Gaps	Mr P.P. Farrugia
B. ELEC. ENG. (Hons)		
Name of Student	Title of Project	Supervisor Assessor
BONELLO Michael	Low Noise Audio Amplifier	Prof. J.A. Agius/Prof. C. Pulè
BUTTIGIEG Victor	Complex Numbers Calculator	Mr P. Micallef/Mr J. Micallef
CALAMATTA Stefan	Power Factor Correction	Prof J.A. Agius/Mr H. Spiteri
CAMILLERI Colin	Educational System	Prof C. Pulè/Mr F. Mallia
CAMILLERI Stephen	Meteostat Printer	Prof. C. Pulè/Mr P. Micallef
CHIRCOP John L.	Power Factor Logger	Mr H. Spiteri/Prof J.A. Agius
EBEJER Mark	Stereographic Equaliser and Power Amplifier	Prof J.A. Agius/Mr J. Micallef
GAUCI Anthony	Analysis of Harmonics in Power Systems	Prof. J.A. Agius/Prof. C. Kupka
GRECH Martin	Braille Printer	Prof. C. Pulè/Mr F. Mallia
MARKHAM Joseph	Digital Control of Servomotors	Prof. C. Pulè/Prof. L. Kupka
POCOCK Ives K.	Switched Filters	Prof. C. Pulè/Mr P. Micallef
QUATTROMANI Jesmond	Automatic Printer Selector Unit	Mr P. Micallef/Mr E. Cachia

FACULTY OF EDUCATION B. Ed. (Hons) - 1985/90 Group

Name of Student	Title of Dissertation
APPS Louisella	Item and Error Analysis of Form IV Junior Lyceum Physics Examination.
AQUILINA Phyllis	An Analysis of an Italian Test Paper (National Exam).
ATTARD Anna	A Comparative Study of two Spatial Reasoning Tests.
ATTARD Stephen	Mons. Giuseppe Farrugia: His Life and Achievement.
AZZOPARDI Mario A.	Database on Maltese Archaeology.
BAJADA Mario V.	Success and Failure in Chinua Achebe's Novels.
BALZAN Suzanne	An Evaluation of the Science worksheets for Year 5 Primary School Children.

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B. Ed. (Hons) – 1985/90 Group (contd)

Name of Student

BARTOLO Raymond

BONNICI Antonia

BORG Lawrence

BORG Mark J.

BORG Robert MONTEBELLO Matthew

BORG Simon

BUHAGIAR Jane

BUSUTTIL Carmen

CAMILLERI Stephania

CASSAR Alexander

CAUCHI Anita

CUSCHIERI Ruth

DUCA Carmel

ZAMMIT Nadia

ELLUL Anne Marie

FARRUGIA Anthony

GRECH Michael

GRECH MARGUERAT Rosalie

GRIMA Grace

GRIMA Roseann

JONES Clarissa

MAGRI Carmen

MALLIA Maria Stella

MANGION Mary Anne

VELLA Rita

MANGION Rita (Sr.)

MERCIECA Josephine

MERCIECA Michael

MICALLEF Rosemarie

MUSCAT Irene

POLIDANO Rosaria

SALIBA Joanne

SAMMUT Maria Bibiana

TESTA Simon J.

VELLA Albert

VELLA Ina

Title of Dissertation

Le Componenti Italiane nel Lessico maltese.

A Study of the Microclimate within the Hal-Saflieni

Hypogeum complex.

The Role of Educational Videos in Primary Schools.

Biological Aspects of the Maltese Wall Lizard.

The Case of Church Schools in Malta.

The Classics in the Maltese Educational System.

English Reading in Maabba.

Ismijiet tat-Termini Popolari tal-Friefet u d-

Distribuzzjoni Socjali u Geografika Taghhom.

Influences on Maltese Fashion during the Last Forty Years.

The Influence of Italian T.V. on the Speech of Selected Maltese Individuals.

Variation by Sex in Motherese.

L.B.K.W.S. Illustrations and the Teaching of English.

A Phytogeographical Study of Malta.

Studju Analitiku tad-Denfil, It-Tielet Ktieb bhala Ktieb tal-Qari.

Imkejjen u Nħawi Storiċi fl-Imqabba.

The Behaviour of the local Killifish; Aphanius Fasciatus.

Popular Judgements in the Visual Arts - Paintings.

Streaming in Maltese Primary Schools.

Il-Qlib tar-Registru fit-Tahdit tat-Tfal.

Social Constraint and Man's Free Will in Burgess.

Language Games in the Teaching of German for

Beginners.

The Role of Landeskunde in the Teaching of German in

Maltese Secondary Schools.

The Use of Checklists in Assessing the Attainment of

Lowest

Stream Pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6 Primary.

Self-Esteem and Attainment in 11 and 15 year old

Maltese Children.

The Effect of Classroom Seating Arrangement on Pupils'

Behaviour.

The Educational Attainment of Children in Care.

The Bugeja Musicians.

Analysis of a Junior Lyceum National Accounts Paper

Mill-Ħajja taż-Żrieraq – Aspetti Folkloristići.

Teaching English to a Year 2 Class - A Case Study.

Reading Difficulties in Mathematics.

A Geochemical Study of Globigerina Limestone.

A Microbiological Investigation of the Activated Sludge of a Sewage Treatment Plant.

Socio-Economic Background of University Students.



Professor E.J. Borg Costanzi, Rector, with a number of distinguished scholars, who attended the Conference on 'England and Italy – Literary and Cultural Relations 1300–1930'

INSTITUTE OF ANGLO-ITALIAN STUDIES CONFERENCE: ENGLAND AND ITALY – LITERARY AND CULTURAL RELATIONS, 1300–1930

The Institute of Anglo-Italian Studies of this University organised a three-day International Conference between the 26th and 28th September, 1990. The Conference was held at the former University Buildings in Valletta. The Director of the Institute, Professor Peter Vassallo convened the Conference and obtained the support of the Foundation for International Studies of the University of Malta.

The Hon. Dr. Ugo Mifsud Bonnici, Minister of Education and the Interior, inaugurated the Conference, which was attended by a number of distinguished scholars. Papers on various aspects of Anglo-Italian Literary and Cultural relations over the centuries were presented.

The Conference was addressed by: Professor Peter Brand (Edinburgh), Dr Denis Mack Smith (Oxford), Professor John Woodhouse (Oxford), Professor Sergio Rossi (Milan), Professor Agostino Lombardo (Rome), Professor Timothy Webb (Bristol), Dr Robert Oresko (London), Dr Edward Chaney (Oxford), Professor Malcolm Kelsall (Cardiff), Professor Dianella Savoia (Milan), Dr Valeria Tinkler-Villani (Leiden), Professor Peter Vassallo (Malta, Convenor), Professor Alphonse Sammut (Malta), Professor Maria Grazia Bellorini (Milan), Dr Jean Ellis d'Allesandro (Florence), Dr Frank Woodhouse (Florence), Professor Federica Troisi (Bari), Dr Chloe Chard (London), Dr Arnold Cassola (Malta) and Mr Michael Montgomery (Oxford).

The British Council, the *Istituto di Cultura* and the Albert Einstein Foundation extended their collaboration towards the Conference's success.

PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

Eleven University students are participating in the International Student Exchange Programme (ISEP) during the period September to December 1990. The following participants are pursuing studies in American Universities and Colleges:

Faculty of Arts

Dorothy Agius, Kevin Doublet, Clive Zammit

Faculty of Education

Martha Bartolo

Faculty of Economics, Management and Accountancy

Lucienne Attard, Therese Cutajar, Romina Farrugia, Anne Marie Zammit

Faculty of Mechanical & Civil Engineering

Kenneth Camilleri

Faculty of Architecture & Electrical Engineering

Raymond John Vella

Faculty of Law

Robert D'Alessandro

This exchange programme commenced in 1983 and to-date over seventy Maltese and seventy American students have participated in the scheme. The success of the scheme is due to the students' excellent performance during their stays in the two countries.

There will be more students coming from American universities in October 1990 and plans are being considered to meet fully the demand of students interested in participating in the scheme. The awareness in establishing stronger ties with overseas countries through schemes of an academic nature, augur well for the understanding between youths pursuing degree courses in distant countries.

GENERAL

Public Lecture

On Friday, 13th July, 1990, Dr Paul Sant Cassia of the University of Cambridge gave a public lecture on "Anthropology, Folklore and the Study of Maltese Society: The Politics of Cultural Identity" at the Science Lecture Theatre of the University.

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