

## ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

**ISSUED TO:** University of Manchester (004032674)

**PROGRAMME:** MSc Operations, Projects and Supply Chain Management  
(06391)

**ROUTE/CONDITIONS:** As defined in Appendix 1

**VALIDATION DATE:** September 2017 – August 2018

1. A condition of accreditation requires the University to ensure learners are aware of CIPS and encourage membership of CIPS during their period of study.
2. Learners who successfully complete the above programme and meet the conditions specified may apply for MCIPS, the globally recognised standard for procurement and supply management professionals. Applications must be received within five years of the date on the degree certificate. Acceptance will be subject to the submission of a formal application form and evidence of three years' experience in procurement and supply management in a position of responsibility. Entrance and membership fees applicable at the time of admission to CIPS will be payable.
3. This Statement is renewable annually and is subject to a review process which requires the University to provide details of any relevant changes to the programme, particularly as they relate to content, structure or standard. Previous versions of the programme are not automatically accredited.
4. This Statement applies solely to the programme and institution mentioned above. Any other programmes, however similar in content, structure or standard are not included and must be accredited separately.
5. CIPS reserves the right to withdraw its accreditation of this programme if it becomes evident that the content, structure or standards have deviated substantially from the original programme or, if in the opinion of CIPS, further association with the programme brings CIPS into disrepute.

**DATE ISSUED:** March 2017

**SIGNED:**



**Group Professional Development Director**

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## APPENDIX I

### University of Manchester – MSc Operations, Projects & Supply Chain Management (06391)

The programme comprises of four core units, four elective units and a Dissertation and is offered as a full time one year programme.

All taught units are 15 credits; the Dissertation is 60 credits

Core units:

- BMAN70111 Strategic Supply Chain Management
- BMAN70081 Global Operations Management: Theories and Concepts
- BMAN70391 Managing Projects
- BMAN70122 Research Methods & Practice
- BMAN61082 Dissertation

Elective modules – 4 only to be taken:

- BMAN72291 Commercial Management of Projects & Programmes
  - BMAN70202 Business Improvement Tools, Techniques & Systems
  - **BMAN70292 Global Supply Chain Management**
  - **BMAN72262 Megaproject: Leadership & Strategy**
  - BMAN73472 Operational Excellence: The Toyota Production System
  - BMAN73671 Supply Chain Logistics Management
  - BMAN73682 Modelling Operations Processes
- Plus any ONE elective from another MSc provided by Alliance Manchester Business School (by arrangement and subject to approval by the Programme Director)

### The following conditions apply to the CIPS Accreditation Statement dated March 2017 and must be met in full:

- All modules must be successfully passed – no condonements or compensations
- The Dissertation must be on a procurement and supply related theme
- The following units must be taken as part of the 4 electives
  - **BMAN70292 Global Supply Chain Management**
  - **BMAN72262 Megaproject: Leadership & Strategy**

**Documentary evidence (i.e. transcript and certificate) supporting the above conditions must be provided to CIPS.**