MSci Integrated Science

Professor Andrew McAinsh

This course is Integrated Science. This is going to be the first undergraduate course offered by Warwick Medical School, and we really look forward to joining students from all over the country, and potentially all over the world to Warwick.

Professor Mohan Balasubramanian

This is a bold and ambitious effort to teach how the living world operates through the concepts of maths, physics, chemistry, computer science and try and inculcate these principles into our learning of how the living world works.

Professor Andrew McAinsh

So I think the course is really for people who want to actually understand how life works as a whole, and I think that we now really believe that to do that you need to use different types of science to get at that. I think if you’re a student doing your A-levels now and you’re doing your science subjects and you’re just excited by the science, and I think this course would be really appealing for you.

Hannah – student

This course is very good for starting out because you get such a wide range of choices. If you’re not certain, if you like certain areas of biology, you don’t have to pick specific modules straight off the bat. You get to choose in second year. So if you’re a little bit less certain, then there’s a lot more scope for figuring it out in your first year.

Professor Rob Cross

So another special thing about this course is that you’re actually going to be taught by active researchers, and those people will be able to give you considerable personal attention and you’ll be able to train under the guidance of those people.

Professor Andrew McAinsh

This is a challenging course. Students are going to come into this course and they’re going to be learning completely new things and new disciplines. Students will be in tutorial groups. They will have open door. They’ll be able to
go and talk to the people teaching the various aspects of the course. And there’ll be lots of opportunity there to provide the support so that you can learn those new skills and in a good environment.

George – student

What I’ve enjoyed most is definitely the cohort. The fact that it’s so small means, the course is so close. We’ve done a few nights out and I think we’ve got a great mentality within our course. We’ve got great friendships. And I think that’s the best thing. When you’re looking forward to seeing everyone else in the course each day, it makes such a difference.

Professor Andrew McAinsh

So at the end of this course, the students are going to be well positioned to do a whole host of different career paths. So we could imagine students leaving this course and maybe going on to do medicine or maybe they would go into industry. So I think there’s a whole broad number of options for the students to take in the future. I think if you want to challenge yourself and you want to really make a difference and do something unique that not everybody else is doing. I think this is a course you should come and do. I think you have an opportunity to actually stand out and do something different.