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Dear Lirong,

Further to your application, the University of York is pleased to make you a conditional offer of a place on the MSc in Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management starting in September 2025. Congratulations on receiving your offer.

This offer should be read in conjunction with the 'Recruitment, Selection and Admissions Policy' and the 'Terms and Conditions Relating to Your Offer' document (available to view and download via the You@York applicant portal).

You should also carefully check the key facts about your course and read through the further information about your offer and studying at York, both of which are included in this letter.

Key facts about your course

| Course Name | MSc in Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management |
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| Course Length | Full-time, 1-year |
| Course Length in Months | 12 months |
| Mode of Study | On campus |
| Expected Course Start Date | 15/Sep/2025 |
| Expected Course End Date | 15/Sep/2026 |
| Tuition Fees for 2025/6* | £31080 |
| Fee Category | International fee paying student |
| Language of Instruction | English |

If you are in receipt of sponsorship please upload your sponsorship confirmation letter via the <u>'You@York'</u> applicant portal within the 'Finance' tab.

*The tuition fee shown above is the full fee for the first year of the course. If you are in receipt of funding you might not have to pay the full fee so please see your funding award letter for further details of any fees that you might have to pay.

Meeting conditions: You must provide evidence to meet the following condition(s) before you will be allowed to begin the programme:

Academic Documents; certificates and transcripts

Receipt of copies of your original final transcripts showing your graduation project/thesis mark, graduation certificates and degree certificates (with certified English translations). These should be uploaded via You@York as soon as they become available.

English language proficiency

To meet our English language proficiency requirements, you must provide evidence from one of our accepted English language tests. The minimum acceptable score is equivalent to

IELTS: 6.5, with 6.0 in each component

For a comprehensive list of the English language tests and evidence that we accept, please click here.

English Language pre-sessional courses: English Language pre-sessional courses are available for applicants who wish to improve their academic English ahead of starting their studies at York. Applications can be made via You@York once you've accepted your offer. For further information please see our <u>Pre-sessional English language courses</u> web page.

Fees and funding: This offer is made on the understanding that you have adequate funds to meet the cost of your tuition fees and living expenses for the duration of your programme. For the 2025/6 academic year the tuition fee is £31080.

If you are an international student and your course is longer than one year, you should be aware that the tuition fee in following years will be subject to annual increases. You should take this into account in your financial planning. The fees quoted in your offer letter are normally for one year of study. Fees are subject to increase in subsequent years in line with the prevailing CPI inflation rate (up to a maximum of 10%) The University reserves the right to alter the level of fees. For further information please see our <u>Postgraduate fees and funding</u> web page.

Responding to your offer: In order to help you make an informed decision we've provided copies of our Admissions Policy, University Ordinance and Regulations, and 'Terms and Conditions Relating to Your Offer' documents within You@York. To accept or decline your offer please login to the <u>'You@York'</u> applicant portal and select the 'Respond to this offer' link within the 'Application Status' tab.

In line with our Admissions Policy at the point of accepting your offer you will be asked to disclose any relevant unspent criminal convictions.

Further information about your offer

Additional costs and charges: In addition to tuition fees, there may be additional charges, such as for textbooks, course materials, field trips, etc. These incidental costs cannot reasonably be calculated in advance and change from year to year.

We recommend you visit the course page for further information on any additional costs that apply to your chosen course. Please visit

www.york.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-taught/courses/msc-entrepreneurship-and-innovation/#fees

Living costs: The University recommends that you have access to sufficient funds to cover your living expenses. Examples of comprehensive student budgets can be found on our <u>Living Costs</u> web page.

Note that these figures may be subject to increase in subsequent years.

For students on a study visa studying outside of London, you will have to show £1,136 per month (for up to 9 months). The amount quoted may be subject to change and you should check the <u>UKCISA</u> web page for the current rate before making a visa appointment.

Funding advice: For further details of funding available please see our Postgraduate fees and funding web page.

Payment arrangements: Tuition fees are payable when you start your studies. Further information about how to pay and any instalment plans is available on our <u>Paying your tuition fees</u> web page.

Applicants with a disability, long term health condition or learning difficulty: If you have any additional support requirements to help you complete your studies at York, the University is generally able to assist you and we would encourage you to contact our Disability Services team as soon as possible. Advanced disclosure allows the University to better understand your needs and to arrange appropriate support and/or make reasonable adjustments where appropriate. For further information please visit our <u>Disability Support</u> web pages.

As highlighted in our Recruitment, Selection and Admissions Policy, certain disabilities may preclude entry to certain courses, and where the adjustments needed to provide the required support are not considered reasonable, we will undertake to support you in considering an alternative programme where appropriate.

Mitigating circumstances: If you believe you have mitigating circumstances that will affect your ability to meet the academic conditions of this offer you can let us know about these on the form available on our <u>mitigating circumstances</u> web page at any time.

Accommodation: For information about accommodation options, colleges, and costs please see our <u>Postgraduate</u> <u>accommodation web page</u>.

Student Visa advice: As an international student, you may need a Student Visa to study at the University of York. Please consult the <u>Immigration advice</u> web pages for information on which student visa you require.

If your offer included an English language condition, please also note that only English language tests taken in the last two and a half years relevant to your intended start date are valid for entrance purposes.

If you are applying for a new visa inside the UK, you must apply for the new visa before the course start date, or you will be required to leave the UK and defer your studies.

If you are applying for a visa within a different immigration category, e.g. Standard Visitor visa or dependant, you will be required to provide your visa when you enrol at the University. Further information is available on our Immigration information web pages.

Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS):

Deposits: You may need to pay a £3,000 tuition fee deposit as part of the CAS issuance process. For further information please see the <u>Tuition Fee Deposits Policy</u>. If you require a student visa to study in the UK, you will need a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) in order to apply for your student visa. You can request your CAS after you have received, and firmly accepted your offer (unconditional or conditional). We cannot issue your CAS until your offer becomes unconditional and you have made your deposit payment if applicable.

The deadline to request your CAS is 11:59 pm BST on Wednesday 3rd September 2025.

You may be required to undertake a credibility assessment prior to a CAS being issued. UKVI often conducts credibility interviews for student visa applicants before granting a student visa. The purpose of the UKVI credibility interview is to ensure that an applicant has a genuine intention to study in the UK. Students who are required to undertake a University of York credibility assessment will be contacted with further details.

We strongly encourage you to request your CAS as early as possible after you have accepted your offer. If you are applying for your CAS close to the request deadline this does reduce the amount of time you have by which to book such things as your visa appointment. It is important that you understand the risks involved as the University is not able to control or influence the process through which individual visas are issued by the UKVI. We cannot guarantee that a visa will be issued by the last date of arrival for your chosen course.

These delays, which are beyond our control, may mean that you incur additional costs or you are unable to arrive in the UK by the last date of arrival for your chosen course. We strongly advise that you do not book a flight until you have confirmation that your visa has been granted. Further information is available on our <u>immigration information</u> web pages.

As part of your CAS request you will also be required to read and accept the Student Visa Terms and Conditions.

Immigration Health Surcharge: Visas for more than six months include an Immigration Health Surcharge. Paying this will mean that you are entitled to receive certain free health services from the National Health Service (NHS) while you are in the UK, but please note that this is not private medical insurance. Further information is available at: Apply for a visa from outside the UK.

We look forward to welcoming you to York as one of our students in September 2025. If you have any queries about your offer please don't hesitate to get in touch with us.

Yours sincerely

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