

# Computer Science

## Course Changes for the academic year 2020-21

Due to the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic and government guidance, we have had to make some changes to the programme in order to mitigate against risks to health and to give you the best possible academic experience in the circumstances. We will continue to monitor and respond to the changing public health situation. All lectures and classes in Computer Science with a cohort size of more than 40 students will be delivered online. Other courses, including some classes with less than 40 students, may be delivered partly or wholly online; further details will appear on [individual course pages](#) in due course.

Practical classes in Part I will continue wherever possible and we expect all classes to be accessible virtually wherever in-person access is not possible. This is relatively easy for programming labs since these can be completed by students on personal computers, however it is more challenging for hardware practicals where we are exploring the degree to which we can use simulation rather than physical hardware. The final set of practical class requirements will be announced in the Head of Department notice as usual before the start of Michaelmas Term.