



Isle of Man

International Business School

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Business Studies Graduates Receive Additional Qualification

On Tuesday 24th July, six of the Isle of Man International Business School's recent BA (Hons) Business Studies graduates were awarded with the prestigious Certificate of Licentiatehip of the City and Guilds of London Institute (LCGI) at the level of Master Craftsman in Europe.

Congratulations to Leila Ashton, Sachet Baniya, Emily Bettison, Heydon Wai Hei Chu, Jamie Irving and Ian Manton who can now use the designatory postnominal letters 'LCGI'.



The LCGI is an internationally-recognised qualification and demonstrates that these students achieved high levels of competence in their work placements during year three of the BA (Hons) Business Studies degree programme delivered at The IBS.

Mr Ian Moncrief-Scott, Work Placement Officer at The IBS, said:

“Once again, I am delighted with these achievements. Securing a work placement for 48 weeks is never easy, especially with a leading employer. These students gained valuable placements within the Isle of Man Government and premium Island organisations - such as Royal Skandia, Fairbairn Private Bank, Manx Telecom, Deloitte and Friends Provident International.

Many employers frequently complain that graduates approach them with little or no work experience. Not only have our students completed successful work placements with highly professional employers, but they also now have independent, international recognition. It is significant that work placement often leads to full-time employment with host organisations and other premium Island employers.”

If your company is interested in offering a 48-week work placement to a Business Studies student from The IBS, please contact Ian Moncrief-Scott on: T: +44 (0)1624 693704, E: i.moncrief-scott@ibs.ac.im

Pictured from left: Prof Roger Carey, Director; Heydon Wai Hei Chu; Jamie Irving; Leila Ashton; Ian Manton and Ian Moncrief-Scott, Work Placement Officer

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