Programme overview
The Master’s Programme in Medical Science gives students with a background in reproductive, perinatal and sexual health (midwifery), nursing, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, speech and language pathology, audiology or radiography the possibility to achieve a Master of Medical Science degree.

The programme is structured, with each course building upon the previous one. Electives are available in the second year. All courses include both classroom and online elements. The amount of classroom-based sessions varies from course to course ranging from a couple of sessions to weekly meetings. During your studies, you will acquire the knowledge and skills required to work in a global health care and research context, through student-centred teaching and learning activities in a research-intensive academic environment. All teachers are also active in research.

Programme modules/courses
The programme offers courses including Health and Health promotion, E-health, Evidence-Based Practice, Leadership and Innovation, Qualitative Research Methodology and Biostatistics. Each course is 7.5 ECTS. All courses provide a framework of theories and models specific for the course topic, from which the students deepen their knowledge and skills related to their own main field. The second year ends with the master’s thesis work, 30 ECTS.

Career prospects
You will be qualified to work independently and in leading functions within research and development, both in a university context and in the public sector. A completed Master’s programme can, if approved by a relevant authenticating body, be included as part of a PhD programme.

Entry requirements and how to apply

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
A Bachelor’s degree of 180 credits or equivalent within the fields of reproductive, perinatal and sexual health (midwifery), nursing, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, speech and language pathology, audiology or radiography. English Level 6 (equivalent to IELTS 6.5, TOEFL 90). See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on English proficiency levels.

HOW TO APPLY
1. Apply online: Go to www.lunduniversity.lu.se/medicine. Click on “Apply” and follow the instructions for the online application at the Swedish national application website www.universityadmissions.se. Rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.
2. Submit your supporting documents:
   - General supporting documents: Check what documents you need to submit (i.e. official transcripts, degree diploma/proof of expected graduation, translations, proof of English, passport) and how you need to submit them at www.universityadmissions.se.

“My programme offered me a world of endless opportunities to learn and develop physically, intellectually and socially. My learning techniques and outcomes have greatly improved after my interaction with intelligent coursemates from different disciplines and professions all over the world. Evidence based practice has become more meaningful and a way of life which is worth choosing.”
Miriam Boateng Duah from Ghana
• Programme-specific supporting documents: When applying for the MSc in Medical Sciences, you must also fill in and submit your Medical Science Profile Portfolio with your application. Instructions on how to fill in the Medical Science Portfolio and further information are available on the programme webpage.

3. Pay the application fee (when applicable).

SELECTION CRITERIA/ADDITIONAL INFO
The selection is based on academic qualifications and on the Medical Science Profile Portfolio.

TUITION FEES
There are no tuition fees for EU/EEA citizens. For non-EU/EEA citizens, the tuition fee for this programme is SEK 140 000 per year. See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on tuition fees.

About the Faculty of Medicine
The Faculty of Medicine is one of eight faculties at Lund University and offers a wealth of research, postgraduate and educational programmes in medicine, public health, biomedicine and nursing to name a few.

The Faculty encompasses 2 800 full-time undergraduate students enrolled in 8 degree programmes, as well as 1 100 postgraduate students and 1 800 employees. Research spans across a broad area from basic experimental research to applied research, in order to answer questions related to clinical practice, the health sciences and society.

About Lund University
Lund University was founded in 1666 and is repeatedly ranked among the world’s top 100 universities. The University has 40 000 students and 7 600 staff based in Lund, Helsingborg and Malmö. We are united in our efforts to understand, explain and improve our world and the human condition.

Lund is the most popular study location in Sweden. Lund University offers one of the broadest ranges of programmes and courses in Scandinavia, based on cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research. The University has a distinct international profile, with partner universities in around 70 countries.

Lund University has an annual turnover of SEK 8.5 billion, more than half of which is destined for research. Our eight faculties conduct strong research in many different areas, including over thirty research fields in which we are world-leading. Many scientific breakthroughs and pioneering innovations have originated from Lund University.

The world-leading research facilities MAX IV and ESS which are being established in Lund will be of great significance for research and industrial development within materials and life sciences. MAX IV is the world’s foremost synchrotron radiation facility and the ESS will be the most powerful neutron source in the world once it opens for research in 2023. Science Village Scandinavia is developing nearby and is destined to become a meeting place and a test environment for research, education and entrepreneurship.

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