About
The Blackett Laboratory at Imperial College London is at the forefront of Physics research and education in the UK. The vibrant and internationally-leading research programme actively fosters the development of new knowledge and new areas of technology (see examples overleaf).
Physics at Imperial was ranked 2nd in Europe and 13th in the World by ARWU 2011.

We offer both three year BSc and four year MSci Physics programmes including with Theoretical Physics, a Year in Europe, Music Performance, Science Education. We also offer nine Master’s level taught postgraduate courses, including three Centres for Doctoral Training which can lead directly to PhD studies.

We host on average:
- 800 undergraduate students;
- 350 postgraduate students, with 100 masters students and 100 PhD students completing their studies each year;
- 180 postdoctoral researchers; 20 prestigious fellowship holders
- 115 academic staff; 100 technical and support staff

We work hard to promote a culture of transparency, fairness and good employment practice. The undergraduate and post graduate student bodies are very active members of our community, engaging with a range of societies and departmental committees.

Career Destinations
All students are offered a broad range of professional skills training to prepare them for the world outside university and our graduates enter many areas of employment including posts in academic science, in physics-related businesses and in the financial and management sectors.

Find out more at www.imperial.ac.uk/physics/
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Alumni and Outreach
Our alumni are distributed all over the globe and we stay in touch through the Imperial College alumni office as well as through our academic ambassador program. The department has a vibrant outreach program, including offering a list of speakers for schools and tours of the department. Please visit us at http://www3.imperial.ac.uk/physics/staff/outreach

The Blackett Laboratory hosts internationally-recognized research across a wide range of Physics. Research is carried out in the following nine research groups:

- Astrophysics
- Experimental Solid State Physics
- Photonics
- Quantum Optics and Laser Science
- Theoretical Physics
- Condensed Matter Theory
- High Energy Physics
- Plasma Physics
- Space and Atmospheric Physics

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