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What interested you in the Erskine Programme/why did you want to come to UC?

The University of Canterbury has a strong international reputation and particularly so for its engineering disciplines. The Erskine Programme offered an opportunity to experience the delivery of your established programmes and learn from your staff and

Where have you come from, and what do you teach?

I'm from the University of Southampton, UK where I am the Director of Design Education for the School of Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Physical Sciences. I teach design curriculum across our engineering disciplines; Acoustic, Aero/Astro, Civil, Maritime and Mechanical Engineering, with a focus on developing our students' innovation, process, sustainability and communication skills. I'm also the Programme Lead for Civil Engineering and Architecture programme.

My staff profile is:

<https://www.southampton.ac.uk/engineering/about/staff/amm1v12.page>  
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