

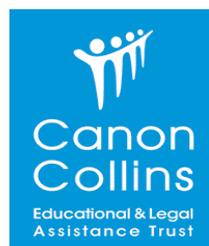


**Directory of Postgraduate Courses suitable for
Fellowship Awards 2017
(for 2017-2018 Entry)**

Application via the website of the Canon Collins Education and Legal Assistance Trust
(www.canoncollins.org.uk)



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Embassy of Ireland



Important Information for Kader Asmal Fellowship Programme Applicants

Application Process

The Kader Asmal Fellowship Programme invites applications for scholarships for postgraduate study in Ireland commencing in September 2017. This directory provides a full list of available courses.

The Kader Asmal Fellowship Programme opens for applications on **Monday 7 November 2016** and the closing date for applications is **Tuesday 21 February 2017**. Applications can only be accepted online via the website of the Canon Collins Trust (www.canoncollins.org.uk).

Fellowships will only be awarded upon confirmation that applicants have been offered a place on one of the courses listed in this directory. Applicants must apply separately to the university. **Fellowship applicants are advised not to apply for any courses in Ireland without direct instruction from the Embassy of Ireland.** Please note that application fees will be paid by the Embassy of Ireland for *shortlisted candidates only*. We will let all applicants know the final outcome of their fellowship application by June 2017.

Course Applications

On instruction from the Embassy of Ireland, do submit your course application directly to the college or academic department listed in this directory and not to the Embassy of Ireland (Irish Aid), the Canon Collins Trust or ICOS.

- To comply with the requirements of the fellowship, your course application and supporting information must be submitted no later than **12 May 2017**. However, some courses will have *earlier* submission deadlines that you must meet. You should confirm the deadline on the institution's website;
- Most colleges in Ireland only accept **online** applications. When applying, be sure to select the **correct course code** and ensure that it matches a **full-time** programme. Failure to do so may result in your application being misdirected;
- Incomplete course applications will take longer to process and may result in you missing the course application deadline;
- When submitting course applications, it is essential that you provide original transcripts of exam results or degree certificates or *certified* photocopies. Uncertified photocopies are not accepted;
- Regardless of when you apply, decisions on course applications may not be notified by universities or colleges until June or early July.

English Language Proficiency

To fulfil Kader Asmal Fellowship requirements, **all candidates for study in Ireland** will be required to hold an IELTS certificate - www.ielts.org - (obtained not more than two years ago) with a minimum score of 6.5. The Embassy of Ireland will cover the cost of an IELTS examination for shortlisted applicants who do not hold a certificate.

Please note that **some courses in Ireland may specify a higher IELTS score** than 6.5 for admission. Where possible, this is indicated in the listings by drawing attention to the course webpage. **It is the applicant's responsibility to research the required academic and IELTS qualification for their chosen course, to ensure that they have the necessary standard.**

NOTES ON COURSE LISTINGS

IRELAND LISTINGS

The courses included have been deemed relevant for applicants to the Kader Asmal Fellowship Training Programme. While every care has been taken in compiling this listing, full course details for 2017-2018 were not fully available at the time of printing. In addition, some course information, web addresses and contacts will inevitably change during each academic year. **Before preparing or submitting an application, you are advised to check all details with the online information provided by the relevant institution and should not rely solely on the information in this document.**

ABBREVIATED WEB ADDRESSES

Throughout the listings, many long web addresses for course information have been shortened, for example: www.bit.ly/qEdRCn. This format allows for easier transcription, if required. Any capitalisation should be noted accurately as these shortened addresses are case-sensitive.

Irish Council for International Students (ICOS)

The Irish Council for International Students (ICOS), based in Dublin, is an independent non-profit network of educational institutions, NGOs and individuals interested in international education and working with government and other agencies to promote good policies and best practice in relation to the recruitment, access and support of international students in Irish education. ICOS manages administrative aspects of the Fellowship Training Programme on behalf of Irish Aid.

KEY TO IRISH UNIVERSITIES, INSTITUTES OF TECHNOLOGY AND COLLEGES WITH LISTED COURSES

AIT	Athlone Institute of Technology	Athlone	www.ait.ie
CIT	Cork Institute of Technology	Cork	www.cit.ie
DBS	Dublin Business School	Dublin	www.dbs.ie
DCU	Dublin City University	Dublin	www.dcu.ie
DIT	Dublin Institute of Technology	Dublin	www.dit.ie
GCD	Griffith College Dublin	Dublin	www.gcd.ie
KDSC	Kimmage Development Studies Centre	Dublin	www.kimmagedsc.ie
MU	Maynooth University	near Dublin	www.maynoothuniversity.ie
NCI	National College of Ireland	Dublin	www.ncirl.ie
NUIG	National University of Ireland, Galway	Galway	www.nuigalway.ie
TCD	Trinity College Dublin	Dublin	www.tcd.ie
UCC	University College Cork	Cork	www.ucc.ie
UCD	University College Dublin	Dublin	www.ucd.ie
UL	University of Limerick	Limerick	www.ul.ie
WIT	Waterford Institute of Technology	Waterford	www.wit.ie

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A

**Agriculture,
Environmental Science,
Conservation,
Rural Development
and related studies**

A1 MSc (Agr) in Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Development**UCD****Study Location:** University College Dublin**Course Duration:** 1 year

Course Outline: This course represents a return to core values in the development of rural areas which are rooted in agricultural change as well as responding to new societal demands such as safe and ethically produced food, a healthier environment and sustainable and affordable energy. The programme will equip graduates with capabilities in core analytical, conceptual, communications and research skills as well as providing the knowledge base required to develop careers in the broad arena of sustainable agriculture and rural development.

Course Suitability: Graduates of this programme typically work in government, agricultural and rural development agencies, local development agencies, NGOs involved in rural development as well as donor agencies and international development organisations.

Indicative Content: Core - Sustainable Agriculture; Strategic Communications for Development; Policies and Strategies for Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Development; Research Methods I and II; Minor Thesis. Options - World Heritage and Sustainable Development; Global Biodiversity and Heritage; Rural Resource Planning; Planning for Development; Agricultural Extension and Innovation.

Admission Requirements: Normally an Honours university degree. Graduates who hold a pass level combined with substantial relevant professional or voluntary experience will be considered.

Course Webpages: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2c7QJn0

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

A9 MSc in Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security**NUIG****Study Location:** NUI Galway**Course Duration:** 1 year

Course Outline: The programme provides students with the skills and tools for developing agricultural practices, policies and measures addressing the challenge that global warming poses for agriculture and food security worldwide. It will develop a balance of scientific, technical, analytical and crosscutting skills.

Course Suitability: Graduates seeking the necessary skills and capabilities to pursue a career in both climate change mitigation and adaptation for agriculture and food security.

Indicative Content: Climate Change, Agriculture & Global Food Security; Climate Change, Agriculture, Nutrition & Global Health; Policy & Scenarios for Climate Change Adaptation & Mitigation; Gender, Agriculture & Climate Justice; Low-Emissions Climate-Smart Agriculture & AgriFood Systems; Climate Change Adaptation, Mitigation & Risk Management; Monitoring Climate Change: Past, Present, Future; Climate Change, Natural Resources & Livelihoods; AgriBiological Responses to Climate Change; CCAFS Science Communication: Techniques & Models; CCAFS Case Studies, Journal Club & Datasets; CCAFS Research Skills/Techniques; CCAFS Research Project.

Admissions Requirements: Minimum 2:1 honours degree or equivalent in an appropriate discipline.

Course Webpage: www.nuigalway.ie/ccafs

Application:

PAC Code: GYS00

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above.

A10 MA in Rural Sustainability

NUIG

Study Location: NUI Galway

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course aims to equip future decision-makers with theoretically informed, critical and practical skills focused on the interrelationship between rural activities and the global economy. Students will gain a clear understanding of the processes, perspectives and practices shaping the contemporary and future rural world. There is a strong focus on the formulation of rural and agricultural development policies and strategies; the role of global actors; the nature and impact of rural-related governance from the WTO and EU to local institutions and grassroots organisations.

Course Suitability: Staff of national and international organisations and agencies with a rural development remit; staff of government departments and public sector organisations concerned with the rural sector.

Indicative Content: Conceptualising the Rural - Policy, Strategy and Governance; Rural Community and Field-based Learning; Rural Development and Communication for Rural Innovation; The Multifunctional Countryside; Research Methodologies; Practising Rural Geography; Dissertation (Research Paper).

Admission Requirements: A 2.1 Honours Degree in Geography or a related discipline, or equivalent (prior learning in terms of relevant work experience is also recognised).

Course Webpage: www.bit.ly/1scnXF6

Application:

PAC Code: GYA95

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above.

A11 MSc in Sustainable Energy and Green Technologies

UCD

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course focuses on the development and optimisation of crop production and renewable energy resource exploitation, the efficiency in renewable energy generation and utilisation pathways (including energy conservation) and the mitigation of environmental impacts.

Course Suitability: Graduates of engineering, science and related disciplines seeking to specialise in renewable energy systems technology development.

Indicative Content: Energy Systems and Sustainable Environments; Life Cycle Assessment (LCA); GIS and data management; Plant genetics and biotechnology; Research skills; Innovation and Technology Transfer; Root and Alternative crop production; Renewable energy projects evaluation and market analysis; Concepts and principles of Environmental Law, Energy systems integration; Major Research Project

Admission Requirements: An undergraduate degree in science or a related discipline (e.g. degrees in science, engineering and agricultural science).

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/1KvEIDI>

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

B

**Food Science,
Food Engineering,
Bioresource Technology,
and related studies**

B1 MSc (Agr) in Bioresource Technology**UCD****Study Location:** University College Dublin**Course Duration:** 1 year

Course Outline: This is a multi-disciplinary programme providing an intensive treatment of the engineering technologies associated with bioprocess and food technology, environmental protection and bioresource mechanisation. Students follow modules appropriate to their particular choice of one of three streams - Bioprocess Technology, Environmental Protection Technology or Sustainable Bioresource Technology.

Indicative Content: Core - Thesis. Options - Advanced Food Refrigeration Systems; Engineering Design for Food Quality and Safety; Advanced Environmental Engineering; Advanced Biofuels and Renewable Energies; Advanced Food Process Engineering; Advanced Buildings for Animal Production; Advanced Air Pollution; Advanced Power and Machinery; Advanced Power and Machinery: Mechanisation; Quantitative Risk Assessment for Human and Animal Health; Bioprocess Engineering Principles; Waste Management; Unit Operations in Bioprocess Engineering; Spreadsheet Modelling and Business Applications; Precision Agriculture.

Admission Requirements: An Honours degree in a relevant subject area (including, but not limited to, agriculture, food science, environmental and engineering disciplines).

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/191aLn5>

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

B2 MSc in Applied Science (Food Science)**UCC****Study Location:** University College Cork**Course Duration:** 1 year

Course Outline: This course offers advanced modules in established and emerging areas of Food Science plus modules in research methods. Novel methods of teaching with emphases on project work and innovative forms of learning are used.

Indicative Content: Core - Scientific Training for Enhanced Postgraduate Studies; Library Project in Food Science; Research Project. Options - Novel Processing Technologies and Ingredients; Advances in Brewing and Beverage Science; Material Science for Food Systems; Advanced Topics in Dairy Biochemistry; Advances in the Science of Muscle Foods; Food and Biochemical Toxicology; Human Nutrition and Health; Functional Foods: New Frontiers for Food and Health; Food Business: Markets and Policy; Hygienic Production of Food

Admission Requirements: Normally an honours BSc degree, minimum grade of 2:2, from programmes in Food Science, Food Technology, Nutritional Sciences, Food Business, Microbiology or any discipline within Biological or Chemical Sciences.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/aKQbk5

Application:**PAC Code: CKR22**

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. *Additional application information is posted on the course webpage.*

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/191aLn5>

Application: Apply through UCD's online applications system - www.ucd.ie/apply

B3 MSc in Applied Science (Food Microbiology)

UCC

Study Location: University College Cork

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course aims to provide graduates with the knowledge and skills to enable them to contribute to the Irish and international food industries. Content will focus on the practical value of food microbiology in ensuring food quality and food safety and its importance of food microbiology in developing new, innovative and healthy foods. It covers both classical and modern food microbiology, including food safety and spoilage; food fermentation; food biotechnology; hygienic production of food; the impact of diet on health; the molecular mechanisms of infectious microbes and the role of the gut microbiota in human health.

Indicative Content: Core: Scientific Training for Enhanced Postgraduate Studies; Biotechniques; Library Project in Food Microbiology; Research Dissertation. Options: Food Fermentation and Mycology; Microbial Food Safety; Food Biotechnology; Hygienic production of Food; Functional Foods for Health; Food Markets and Policy

Admission Requirements: Minimum 2:2 Honours in any relevant primary degree.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/ch3iJY

Application:

PAC Code: CKR19

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. *Additional application information is posted on the course webpage.*

C

**Health, Medicine,
Nutrition
and related studies**

C1 Master of Public Health (MPH)**UCD**

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: The MPH provides broad-based education and training in the basic disciplines which underlie the practice of Public Health. Students will acquire: (i) knowledge of the factors influencing health status; (ii) the epidemiological skills of study design and analysis; (iii) a proper understanding of the Public Health function; (iv) ability to work as an active team member in planning, implementing, monitoring and evaluating health policy; (v) skills to assess the health status of populations; (vi) critical appraisal and effective problem-solving attributes; (vii) an understanding of the organisation and financing of Health Services and their impact on population health (viii) the capacity to integrate a range of disciplines effectively. Specialist pathways are available in MPH (Nutrition) and MPH (International).

Course Suitability: Medical and dental practitioners and those with professional backgrounds in health or health care provision, who hold an appropriate primary degree or equivalent qualification.

Indicative Content: Core - Research Methods in Epidemiology; Aetiology of Disease; Public Health Practice; Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis; Health and Social Sciences; Health Promotion; Health Economics; Health Management. Options - Risk Perception, Communication and Behaviour Changes ; Research Methods in Genetic Epidemiology; Environment and Health; Veterinary Epidemiology and Food Safety; Nutrition Epidemiology; Infectious Disease Epidemiology; Advanced Medical Sociology; Social Epidemiology; International Health; Irish Specialist Practice

Admission Requirements: Normally, at least two years must have elapsed between obtaining a primary degree and commencement of the MPH. *IELTS Requirement: Minimum Overall Band Score of 7.0, with a result NOT LESS than 6.5 in EACH of the individual sections*

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2czlOMx

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

C2 Masters in Public Health (MPH)**UCC**

Study Location: University College Cork

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course allows students to attain a general Public Health qualification or focus on one of three sub-specialties: Health Promotion, Health Protection or Epidemiology.

Course Suitability: Graduates from a range of different professional backgrounds seeking academic and experiential development in the theory and practice of Public Health

Indicative Content: Core - Principles and Practice of Public Health; Applied Research for Public Health; Public Health Informatics; Leadership in Public Health; Practice Portfolio; Research Project in Public Health and Epidemiology. Options – Public Health Psychology; Health Promotions: Concepts, Principles and Practice; Environment and Health; Practice Portfolio; Critical Social Science Perspectives on Public Health; The Principles and Practices of Multi-disciplinary Health Protection; Microbiology for Health Protection; The Global Burden of Communicable Diseases; Infection Control: Theories, Modules and Management; Advanced Epidemiology; Advanced Biostatistics; Survival Analysis.

Admission Requirements: Normally at least a 2:2 Honours degree in a relevant subject or at least a 2:2 Honours degree in any discipline with a postgraduate qualification in a relevant field or evidence of at least two years relevant work experience.

Course Webpage: www.ucc.ie/en/ckx11

Application:

PAC Code: CKX11

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. *Additional application information is posted on the course webpage.*

C8 MSc in Health Economics

UCC

Study Location: University College Cork

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This research-oriented course emphasises the understanding and application of the fundamental concepts, theories and empirical techniques of health economics. The programme includes economic evaluation techniques in health care; the role of health in economic development; assessment of systems of health care financing and provision; and applied research. Advanced analytical and technical capabilities are developed to address the issues involved in allocating resources in the health sector.

Course Suitability: Graduates whose work role involves applying economic theory to health policy in the public, private and non-profit sectors.

Indicative Content: Health Care Systems and Organisation; Health Care Economic Evaluation; Applied Health Survey Methods; Applied Health Econometrics; Public Health and Health Services Research; Research (Minor) Thesis in Health Economics.

Admission Requirements: A degree or postgraduate diploma which had Economics as a substantial component and at least a 2:2 grade on the aggregate of all Economics modules in the degree or diploma award.

Course Webpage: www.ucc.ie/en/ckl20

Application:

PAC Code: CKL20

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. *Additional application information is posted on the course webpage.*

C9 MSc in Health Economics

NUIG

Study Location: NUI Galway

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course provides an understanding of the key economic issues confronting health care systems. It introduces the tools and methods necessary to analyse these issues and critically appraise alternative solutions that have emerged in different economies. The role and techniques of evaluation in health care are examined in detail including the theory and practice of evaluation, the use of models to address incomplete information and the presentation of study findings to inform policy makers.

Course suitability: Professionals with appropriate responsibilities within the public or private health care sectors.

Indicative Content: Health and Social Care; Cost Benefit Analysis and Evaluation; Data Management and Survey Techniques; Econometrics; Public Sector Economics; Decision Modelling; Health Technology Assessment; Health Systems and Policy Analysis; Dissertation.

Admission Requirements: A primary degree at minimum 2:1 which included the study of economics to intermediate level or a higher diploma in economics with 2:1 or equivalent.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/1KIPIrt>

Application:

PAC Code: GYC26

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above.

Application deadline: Early April.

L

**Economics,
Accounting,
Human Resource Management,
Public Administration**

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course aims to deepen students' knowledge of economics and provide them with the skills necessary to carry out economic research.

Course Suitability: Students who wish to pursue a career in economics.

Indicative Content: Core - Macroeconomics; Microeconomics; Econometrics; Quantitative Techniques; Research Skills. Options - Economic Development; International Trade; Public Economics; Health Economics; Industrial Organization; Environmental Economics; Climate Change and Energy Economics; Advanced Microeconomics; Advanced Macroeconomics; Advanced Econometrics

Admission Requirements: Normally a primary degree with at least 2:1 Honours in Economics or in another degree that has strong theoretical and quantitative content such as Maths, Physics, Engineering or Computer Science. Alternatively, applicants may hold a 2:1 Higher Diploma in Economic Science, or an equivalent qualification.

Course Webpage: www.bit.ly/2d4dYAD

Application: Apply online via course webpage

Study Location: Maynooth University

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course provides international quality training in Economics and Econometrics, based on foundational courses in Microeconomic Theory, Macroeconomic Theory, and Econometrics followed by two field courses.

Course Suitability: Those seeking a rigorous graduate-level training in Economics to a standard appropriate to a professional economist.

Indicative Content: Core: Microeconomic Theory I and II; Macroeconomic Theory I; Econometrics I; Economics Skills; Thesis. Options: Industrial Organization; Growth and Development; International Trade; Labour; Financial Intermediation.

Admission Requirements: At least at least a 2:1 degree in Economics or a related subject.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/1LLwOlC>

Application:

PAC Code: MHH52

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. Note: The two year version of this Masters' programme is not eligible for Irish Aid Fellowships.

Study Location: Trinity College Dublin

Course Duration: 10 months

Course Outline: This course focuses on the core technical skills needed to undertake economics research and emphasises active and problem-based learning to ensure mastery of the basic skills. Studies begin with one month preliminary training in mathematics and statistics, followed by 9 months on the MSc register.

Course Suitability: For roles as economists in government or private sector organisations.

Indicative Content: Microeconomics; Macroeconomics; Econometrics; Research Topic.

Admission Requirements: Candidates should normally hold at least an upper second class honours degree that has a significant quantitative component. Applications are expected from candidates with single or joint honours Economics degrees, Business or B.Comm. degrees with economics options in their final year, or Mathematics, Physics or Engineering graduates.

Course Webpage: www.tcd.ie/Economics/postgraduate/msc-economics

Application: Apply online via course webpage

Study Location: Maynooth University

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course provides students with the risk analysis skills that are essential for both corporations and governments through international quality research and advanced training in economic and financial risk analysis. Students acquire quantitative and statistical foundations for measuring and analyzing risk, the relevant foundations in financial and economic pricing theory, and an advanced understanding of financial derivatives. They participate in a workshop on risk analysis and produce research of a publishable quality on a risk analysis topic.

Course Suitability: Candidates seeking to develop a risk analysis specialism for work in financial, industrial and governmental organizations, such as capital adequacy and control for banking and insurance, central bank and other government roles.

Indicative Content: Core - Microeconomic Theory I; Macro Economics, Financial Economics; Econometrics I; Workshop on Risk Analysis Research; Advanced Derivatives; Financial Econometrics; Financial Risk Analysis; Workshop on Risk Analysis Research. Options - International Finance; Market Microstructure; Financial Intermediation; Corporate Finance.

Admission Requirements: At least a 2:1 Honours degree in Finance or Economics or a degree with substantial quantitative component, such as Mathematics, Engineering, Computer Science, Maths Physics or Statistics, or a degree in which Finance formed a substantial component with a 2:1 standard in the Finance elements.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/XFxlTv

Application:

PAC Code: MHH68

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above. Note: The two year version of this Masters’ programme is not eligible for Irish Aid Fellowships.

L6 Masters in Business Studies (MBS) – Economics and Finance

WIT

Study Location: Waterford Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course emphasises developing skills of critical thinking, analysis, debate, dealing with high levels of ambiguity, decision making and the simultaneous treatment of inter dependent decisions in a more complex environment. Students will gain a unique and valuable combination of an in depth knowledge of the theoretical underpinnings of financial markets with the relevant technical and analytical skills to apply in a ‘real-world’ environment.

Indicative Content: Core - Econometrics; Monetary Economics; Corporate Financial Interpretation; Financial Derivatives; Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management; Business Development; Leadership and Coaching; Seminar Series; Business Simulation I and II; Research Methods; Dissertation. Options - Research Specialisation: Qualitative Research or Quantitative Research or In-Company Project.

Admission Requirements: Usually a 2:1 award in a strong specialist business/economics and finance undergraduate degree or a general business undergraduate degree with an economics and finance major/specialism. Please note the English language requirements for admission given on the website (also see p2).

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/17TV1Dg>

Application:

PAC Code: WD507

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre - PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application codes above.

L7 MA in Accounting

AIT

Study Location: Athlone Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course seeks to develop students who can (i) evaluate, contrast, criticise and judge the fundamental and advanced theories, concepts, principles, methods and techniques of accounting and research; (ii) demonstrate the critical abilities of analysis, interpretation, evaluation and judgement; (iii) exercise strategic judgement and apply techniques in the analysis and interpretation of information; (iv) assess and contrast the impact of decisions; (v) evaluate and criticise current practices and issues and assess the strategic impact of these issues.

Course Suitability: Graduates in accounting or a related discipline seeking further intellectual and personal development.

Indicative Content: Financial Reporting and Corporate Governance; Financial Strategy; Auditing; Strategic Management Accounting; Taxation; Research Methods; Integrated Case Studies.

Admission Requirements: An honours bachelor degree in accounting (minimum grade 2:2) or closely related discipline, together with the standard required in terms of listed prerequisites for specific modules within the curriculum.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/bHqzcq

Application: Forms can be downloaded at: www.ait.ie/international/non-eustudents
For enquiries, contact Mary Simpson, AIT International Office - international@ait.ie or +353 90 642 4562.

L8 MSc in Accounting

DIT

Study Location: Dublin Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This programme is aimed at those wishing to further their studies in accounting and who may wish to prepare for a career as a professional accountant. The programme will also develop the skills and competencies required to undertake independent research in the areas of accounting and related areas.

Indicative Content: Core - Financial accounting/reporting; Management accounting; Finance; Thesis.
Options: Strategic management; Business information systems; Taxation; Auditing.

Admission Requirements: An Honours degree (2:2 or higher) with accounting constituting a major part.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2d8wFzI

Application: Apply via the 'Non-EU/International Applicants' button on the course webpage.

L9 MBS in International Accounting

DIT

Study Location: Dublin Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 Year

Course Outline: This course will develop the skills and competencies required to undertake independent research in the areas of accounting and related areas. It will equip its graduates to successfully complete the examinations of the major accounting bodies operating in Ireland.

Course Suitability: This course is aimed at those wishing to further their studies in accounting to prepare for a career as a professional accountant.

Indicative Content: Financial Reporting; Management; Accounting; Finance; Taxation; Auditing; Ethics & Governance; Business Law and an Applied Project

Admission Requirements: An honours bachelor degree (2.2 or higher) with accounting constituting a major part. Those who have made timely progress in their professional examinations may also be considered.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2dgQBR7

Application: Apply via the 'Non-EU/International Applicants' button on the course webpage.

Study Location: Griffith College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course is aimed at applicants already employed in a business or management capacity. Students can advance their functional management competencies in finance while also developing interpersonal and leadership skills, thereby enabling them to refine valuable transferable skills which they can bring to the workplace.

Course Suitability:

This programme is aimed at Accounting and Finance graduates, with or without relevant business experience.

Indicative Content: Core - Corporate Responsibility; Information Technology Management; International Business Policy and Strategy; Organizational Risk Management; Strategic Human Resource Management; International Financial Standards (Bridging course); International Financial Management; Globalization; Corporate Reporting; Business Research Methods. Options - Advanced Taxation; Performance Management; Tax Planning; Corporate Financial Management; Audit and Assurance; Forensic Accounting; Strategic Performance Measurement Systems; International Operations Management; International Marketing Management; Business Planning and Entrepreneurship.

Admission Requirements: Applicants must normally hold an approved honours degree in the field of accounting and finance or equivalent qualification from an approved tertiary/professional institution. Honours graduates who do not have sufficient accounting knowledge may be accepted onto the programme after the completion of a special purpose programme, Professional Certificate in International Business, or another acceptable foundation programme. Students with or without relevant business management experience are welcome to apply.

Course Webpage: <http://bit.ly/1iwwlaa>

Application: Apply online at www.gcd.ie/apply-online

Study Location: Dublin Business School

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course is designed to equip students with a high standard of knowledge in the principles, theoretical concepts and practice of accounting and finance and the skills necessary to deal innovatively with the many challenges occurring in industry, financial institutions and public services.

Course Suitability: Accounting and Finance graduates

Indicative Content: Core: Corporate Financial Management; International Financial Reporting; Quantitative Applications for Finance; Personal and Professional Development; Advanced International Financial Reporting; Strategic Performance Management; Treasury and Risk Management; Research Methods 1 and 2. Options: Corporate Governance and Global Accounting Issues; Operation and Governance of Financial Markets

Admission Requirements: A minimum Second Class Honours (2.2) Business degree from a recognised third level institution with accounting and/or finance as a main component, or an equivalent professional qualification such as ACCA or CIMA

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2cHf42G

Application Procedure: Apply online via course webpage.

L13 MSc in Human Resource Management

DCU

Study Location: Dublin City University

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course equips students to become leaders in the fast-changing world of Human Resources (including areas such as training and development, employee relations and consultancy) or in the area of international business where there are responsibilities for people management. Objectives include providing (i) an in-depth understanding of the theories and conceptual frameworks underpinning the broad area of people management; (ii) insights into the latest developments in HRM; (iii) an understanding of the strategic level of analysis at which business decisions are made and of the links between the management of human resources, business strategy finance and performance; and the skills to undertake and implement organisational level research

Course Suitability: Staff in the public sector, not-for-profit organisations, multinational companies and consultancy firms with roles in human resource management, training and development, employee relations, research, consultancy.

Indicative Content: Leadership & Career Development; People Management & Development; International Employee Relations; Managing Employee Performance & Reward; Organisational Change & Transition; International HRM.

Admission Requirements: A second class honours grade 1 degree (or international equivalent) in a Business discipline or A second class honours grade 1 honours degree (or international equivalent) in a non-Business discipline or Professional qualifications in Human Resource Management coupled with significant relevant professional experience. Applicants with a second class honours grade 2 honours degree in a Business discipline with a significant specialism in Human Resource Management may be considered.,

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/qi3BFw

Application Procedure

PAC Code DC632

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above.

L15 Master of Business Administration (Human Resource Management)

DBS

Study Location: Dublin Business School

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course explores advanced theory and practice in Human Resource Management. Students will develop an appreciation of the causes and significance of current trends and developments,

learn to critically analyse and evaluate HR strategies in changing environments, apply scientific research principles to HR problem solving and strategy and use organisational information to inform decision making and to ensure fact-based responses.

Course Suitability: Business or HRM graduates who seek to further enhance their existing knowledge of HR theories and practice, and who aspire to pursuing challenging senior career opportunities in the HRM profession.

Indicative Content: Core: International Management; Performance Driven Marketing; Financial Analysis; Business Strategy; Personal & Professional Development; Research Methods; Research Methods 2; HRM; Project Management; Finance; Information Systems; Cloud Computing or Marketing.

Admission Requirements: A minimum 2:2 Honours degree in Human Resource Management or Business (where HRM is a main component) or equivalent.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/17yRZFF

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

L16 MA in Human Resource Management

NCI

Study Location: National College of Ireland

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course will equip students with the latest concepts in managing for results, strategic management, people resourcing, employee relations, the legal environment and learning and development. The programme will deepen insight into human resource management theories and allow students to understand them in dynamic business environments. Students will be able to analyse business needs and deliver effective solutions that optimise the people resources of any organisation.

Course Suitability: Business and human resource management graduates who wish to upgrade their qualification, advance their career and assume positions at a senior management level with a specific focus on HRM. This course is aimed at professionals wishing to advance their career to assume positions at a senior management level with a specific focus on human resource management.

Indicative Content: Talent Development; Leading and Managing; Mediation and Conflict Management; Employee Relations; Learning and Development; Employment Law; Resourcing; Research Methods; Strategic HRM ; Dissertation.

Admission Requirements: Minimum 2:2 honours degree in a cognate area (eg business, HRM, training, health sciences).

Course webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2d4fhQl

Application: Apply online from course webpage. Your application should clearly state that it is being made under the Irish Aid Fellowship.

Study Location: Waterford Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course provides students with the opportunity to greatly enhance their specialist subject knowledge, experience innovative learning methods and explore opportunities arising from innovation, change and business development. Students achieve this through participation in class activities and through involvement in a series of events including those organised by the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD). Our School is an accredited centre for the CIPD professional body and the MBS Human Resource Management awards CIPD graduate accreditation which is a global qualification. A key feature of this programme is that it sets the theories into a wider practical perspective, through the use of case studies, state of the art technology and visiting staff who are experienced and respected practitioners.

Course Suitability: Graduates of human resource management or a general business degree with a human resource management major/specialization that would like to pursue a career in human resource management.

Indicative Content: Core - International Human Resources Management; Human Resources Consultancy; Emerging Issues in Human Resources; Employee Relations Strategy; Entrepreneurship and Innovation Mgmt; Business Development; Leadership and Coaching; Seminar Series; Business Simulation I and II; Research Methods; Dissertation. Options - Research Specialisation: Qualitative Research or Quantitative Research or In-Company Project.

Admission Requirements: A H1 or 2.1 overall award in a strong specialist business human resource management undergraduate degree or a general business undergraduate degree with a HRM major/specialism.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/1ecy6th

Application:

PAC Code: WD509

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre - PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code above.

Study Location: NUI Galway

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: The programme examines the nature of work and explores industrial relations and human resource management in changing national and international markets. The focus is on the people aspect of business and explores how the relationship between employers and employees can be managed to the best advantage of both parties.

Indicative Content: People Management and Development; Strategic Management; Leadership and Change; Employee Relations; Human Resource Development; Reward Systems; Industrial Relations and Employment Law; Research Methods.

Admission Requirements: Normally a 2:1 Honours degree (or equivalent) in business, management or a related discipline. Experience is also considered.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/1ihIIAV>

Application:

PAC Code: GYC02

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code shown above.

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**Management
and
Business**

Study Location: University of Limerick

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course aims develop knowledge and understanding of the theories and principles of modern approaches to managing projects. Learners will gain skills in critically analysing and engaging actively in the development and integration of project management as a way of work within organisations. Competencies to manage groups and teams and to interact effectively with project stakeholders will be developed and project management best practice in managing human, physical and financial resources throughout the project lifecycle will be studied. The concepts and theories of corporate and social responsibility will be introduced to provide a framework for planning and evaluating the actions and performance of a project in the context of sustainable and socially responsible activity.

Course Suitability: Professionals wishing to pursue a career in projects and wishing to develop skills and knowledge related to their chosen disciplinary field, such as engineering, science, health, public administration and education.

Indicative Content: Core - Project Management Science and Principles; People and Behaviour in Projects; Project Planning and Control; Decision Analysis and Judgement in Projects; Research in Projects and Organisations; Leadership, Sustainability and Governance; Strategy Formulation and Implementation; Commercial Management of Projects; International Project Management; Knowledge and Information Management in Project Environments; Project Management Simulation; Options: In Company Project; Confirmation Paper.

Admission Requirements: Minimum of 2:2 honours primary degree or equivalent in a project management related field, such as engineering, science, business, information technology, public administration, health and education. Candidates may be selected for interview to determine suitability.

Course webpage: www.ul.ie/graduateschool/course/project-management-msc

Application: Apply online via course webpage

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course provides an in-depth education in the basics of managing change and applying creative and innovative approaches to problem-solving. Students will develop the practical skills to plan, organise and control business projects and get a solid foundation in the theory and best practise or project management. The course favours hands-on experience, enabling students to experience the reality of project management and the skills and techniques required of the profession.

Course Suitability: Graduates with a background in business, economics, engineering, science or computer science who have an interest in developing their project management skills.

Indicative Content: Project and Organisational Dynamics; Projects and Organisational Dynamics; The Project Management Lifecycle; Project Scope and Feasibility; Project Management Tools and Techniques; Procurement and Contract Management; Project Risk Management; Research Report.

Admission Requirements: Minimum of a 2:2 Honours degree in Business, Commerce, Computer Science, Engineering, Social Science, Economics, Science, Physics, Architecture or a related discipline or an honours Graduate Diploma in Business Studies or a primary degree with a minimum of three years' work experience.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] <http://bit.ly/1Ktk3ha>

Application: Apply online via course webpage.

M3 Master of Business Administration (Project Management)

DBS

Study Location: Dublin Business School

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course explores the management of work and projects. On completion, graduates will possess directly applicable skills in project execution and project control across all of the complex elements of a project so that it can be successfully and professionally managed to its conclusion (e.g. planning; budgeting; HR management; resource allocation; etc).

Indicative Content: Marketing; Personal Development; Research Methods for Management; Innovation Management; Information Management; Project Management, Cloud Computing; Financial Management; Human Resource Management; Management and Strategy; Dissertation.

Admission Requirements: Minimum 2:2 Honours in a Business degree or in a cognate discipline.

Course Webpage: www.dbs.ie/masters-business-administration/mba

Application: Apply online from course webpage.

M4 MSc in Organisational Development and Change

UCD

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: Students will receive insight into the theories and practices of change, strategy and organisational processes, learning how organisations work, are managed and developed in a complex, ever-changing business environment. There is a focus on analytical and critical thinking, as well as knowledge and skills that can be applied to a range of organisational and group set-ups, in order to better understand human behaviour, organisational development and change management.

Course suitability: Managers who are interested in organisational behaviour, organisational development and the management of change in an ever more complex and demanding environmental context.

Indicative Content: Core - Behavioural foundations of Strategy; Organisational Analysis; Organisational Behaviour and Work; Managing Change; Dissertation or Research Project. Options - Employment Law; Employment Relations in Ireland; Managing conflict in Organisations; Economics of Entrepreneurship; Managing Organisational Integrity;

Admission Requirements: A minimum 2:2 Honours degree (or equivalent) in Business/Commerce, Political and Social Science, Psychology, Economics, Sociology or related areas or an honours Graduate Diploma in Business Studies or a primary degree with a minimum of three years' work experience in the area of Management, Organisational Behaviour, Human Resources, Consultancy or a related discipline.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/1uPAgWW

Application: Apply online via course webpage.

M5 MSc in Strategic Management and Planning

UCD

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course covers a broad range of general business subjects, which provide a launch pad for a career in strategic consulting or general management. Students will gain skills to analyse and solve complex business problems, design and implement strategic planning systems, manage projects and evaluate current research.

Course Suitability: Professionals concerned with strategic management and planning in the private and public sectors, and whose careers may involve them in the design and implementation of strategic planning systems. A background in business or economics is an advantage but applications from non-business graduates are also considered.

Indicative Content: Core - Behavioural foundations of Strategy; Economic Foundations of Strategy; Contemporary Issues in Strategy; Planning and Decision Making Techniques; Strategic Resource Allocation;. Options Supply Chain Analytics; Project Management; Economics of Entrepreneurship

Admission Requirements: (i) A minimum 2:2 honours degree (or equivalent) in Business/Commerce, Economics, Accounting or a related discipline; (ii) A minimum 2:2 honours degree in Computer Science, Engineering, Architecture and Arts including a Business component/business modules; (iii) an Honours Graduate Diploma in Business Studies; (iv) a primary degree with a minimum of three years' work experience.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/9FovB0

Application: Apply online via course webpage.

M6 MSc in Strategic Management

DIT

Study Location: Dublin Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course aims to develop participants' understanding and expertise of strategy formulation and implementation and the role of the leader in this. Participants study a range of business modules and undertake group and individual assessments to develop the functional competencies, specialist knowledge, research skills, analytical skills, leadership and soft skills necessary for strategic management and leadership.

Course Suitability: Aspiring and experienced managers seeking to develop their capabilities in the field of strategic management.

Indicative Content: Core - Strategy and Leadership 1 and 2; Analytical tools for Business Management; Corporate Finance; Business Research Methods; Strategic Marketing; Project and Consultancy Management; Understanding and Leading Organisations. Option areas - Financial Services; Innovation; Retail Management; Marketing; Human Resources Management; Supply Chain Management

Admission Requirements: Graduates in business, economics (or an undergraduate programme where business subjects account for at least 50% of the subjects) who have achieved an Honours degree at grade 2:2 grade or higher.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/2cKaR1w

Application: Apply via the 'Non-EU/International Applicants' button on the course webpage.

M7 MSc in Management

UCD

Study Location: University College Dublin

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course includes the areas of banking and finance, marketing, management, Management Information Systems (MIS), law, entrepreneurship, human resource management. It aims to deliver a well-rounded knowledge of the theories, practices and skills of business and management and develop interpersonal, communication and leadership skills. Students are taught to identify and solve business problems in local and international settings.

Course Suitability: Designed for non-business graduates who want to follow a career in business.

Indicative Content: Core - Business Information Systems Management; Management and Organisational Behaviour; Corporate Finance; Human Resource Management; International Management; Accounting Information for Managers; Strategic Management. Global Marketing; Salesmanship; Cross Cultural Management; Banking; Project Management; Business Law; Business Simulation; Business and Society.

Admission Requirements: A minimum Second Class Honours degree. Please note the English language requirements for admission given on the website (also see p2).

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/oqxW2b

Application: Apply online via course webpage.

M8 MA in Business Management

UL

Study Location: University of Limerick

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course covers the fundamental business disciplines: accounting, business communications, economics, human resource management, information management, knowledge management, management principles, marketing management, organisational behaviour and strategic management.

Course Suitability: Non-business graduates who wish to develop an understanding of major business disciplines and pursue business careers.

Indicative Content: Economics for Business; Management Principles; Information Management; Organisational Behaviour; Marketing Management; Financial Management and Decision Making; Knowledge Management; Business Communication; Human Resource Management; Strategic Management; Business Simulation; MA Confirmation Paper.

Admission Requirements: Minimum of a 2:2 Honours primary degree in any field other than Business or Commerce related fields, or equivalent.

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/17TW06w

Application: Apply online from the course webpage

M9 Masters in Business Studies (MBS) – Management

WIT

Study Location: Waterford Institute of Technology

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This programme aims to deliver a well rounded knowledge of theories, practices and skills of management and business. It emphasises skills of critical thinking, analysis, debate, dealing with high levels of ambiguity, decision making and the simultaneous treatment of interdependent decisions in a more complex environment.

Course Suitability: Graduates with a degree in management or a general business degree with a management major/specialization and pursuing a career in management.

Indicative Content: Core - Knowledge Management; Managing Corporate Creativity; Management Skills Development; Managing Change; Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management; Business Development; Leadership and Coaching; Seminar Series; Business Simulation I and II; Research Methods; Dissertation. Options - Research Specialisation: Qualitative Research or Quantitative Research or In-Company Project.

Admission Requirements: Usually a 2:1 business management degree or a general business degree with a management major/specialism. Please note the English language requirements for admission given on the website (also see p2).

Course Webpage: [shortened as] www.bit.ly/1F4uRmT

Application:

PAC Code: WD510

Apply online via The Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC) – www.pac.ie – using the PAC application code above.

M12 MSc in Management Practice

DBS

Study Location: Dublin Business School

Course Duration: 1 year

Course Outline: This course seeks to produce managers equipped to play a vital organisational role, able to interpret and synthesise information to confidently resolve complex issues. There is an applied nature across the entire programme – most modules will use case study analysis of current issues within business to ensure participants learn how to become better Managers. The course includes a Guest Lecturer Series where Managers from several business sectors will inform participants of the latest trends and issues in Management within their sector.

Indicative Content: Core - Marketing Analysis; Strategic Management and Leadership; Financial Analysis; Innovation and Change Management; Information Systems and Project Management; Human Capital Management and Development; Research Methods 1 and 2; Dissertation. Options - Work Based Learning; Management Simulation and Personal and Professional Development

Admission Requirements: A minimum Second Class Honours Degree (2:2) in any discipline from a recognised third level institution or an equivalent professional qualification such as ACCA or CIMA

Course Webpage: www.dbs.ie/management-practice/msc-management-practice

Application: Apply online via course webpage.

