



*An Coláiste Ollscoile, Baile Átha Cliath*  
*University College Dublin*



*Searmanas Bronnta*  
*Conferring Ceremony*

*5 September 2024*  
*2.30 pm*





# University College Dublin



University College Dublin (UCD) is one of Europe's leading research-intensive universities where undergraduate education, graduate masters and PhD training, research, innovation and community engagement form a dynamic continuum of activity.

The University was established in 1854 by St John Henry Newman, whose classic work 'The Idea of a University' is one of the most enduring texts on the value of higher education. His vision, 'True enlargement of mind', embodies the aspiration to provide a holistic experience and inspiring environment beyond the classroom. It is a rallying call for the University and its community to unleash the unique potential of the individual to meet global challenges and "to benefit the wider world".

Today UCD is Ireland's largest university with over 33,000 students. Irish school-leavers benefit from the highly innovative and flexible UCD Horizons undergraduate curriculum. As Ireland's leader in graduate education UCD has almost 10,000 graduate students.

In Ireland, UCD is home to over 8,500 international students and delivers programmes to almost 4,000 students on overseas campuses. In addition, the University places great emphasis on the internationalisation of the Irish student experience – preparing all UCD students for future employment and life that crosses borders, boundaries, and cultures.

Originally known as the Catholic University of Ireland, the University became UCD in 1908 and is a constituent college of the National University of Ireland (NUI). In 1997, UCD became an autonomous university within the loose federal structure of the NUI, and UCD students are awarded degrees from the National University of Ireland.

UCD has been a major contributor to the making of modern Ireland. Many UCD students and staff participated in the struggle for Irish independence and the University has produced four Irish Presidents and five Taoisigh. Among UCD's well-known alumni are authors (Maev Binchy, Roddy Doyle, Emma Donoghue, Flann O'Brien), former European Commissioner (Peter Sutherland SC), directors (Neil Jordan, Jim Sheridan) and sports stars (Brian O'Driscoll, Kevin Moran, Rena Buckley and Paul O'Donovan). Perhaps the best known of all is the writer James Joyce, who completed his Bachelor of Arts at the University in 1902.

## *UCD Alumni Relations*

As you start your journey as a UCD alumnus/alumna, we encourage you to stay connected. Our Alumni Relations team runs a full programme of events and reunions, in Ireland and overseas, offering networking and other opportunities for you to keep in touch – with each other and with the University. Additional services include a Reader's Card for UCD's libraries, some sports and adult education discounts, affinity products and a range of other services.

UCD alumni continue to make their mark in every aspect of life and today's graduates will be no different. Stay in touch and let us know how you are getting on.

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# *Order of Proceedings*

Procession of graduands
Procession of academic staff followed by Deans, Vice-Presidents and President
The President declares open a Meeting of the University for the purpose of conferring degrees
The Dean requests the graduands for each degree to stand
The Principal presents the graduands to the President in Latin
The President admits the graduands to the degree in Latin
The Dean calls the names of the graduates who proceed to the platform
The President presents the degree scroll to each graduate
Formal graduation address
Academic procession followed by procession of graduates

## *Formula of Presentation of Graduands*

### Latin

Praehonorabilis Praeses, totaque  
Universitas.

Praesento vobis hasce meas filias  
filiosque meos, quos omnes scio  
tam moribus quam doctrina habiles  
et idoneos esse qui admittantur ad  
Gradum \_\_\_\_\_; idque tibi fide  
mea testor ac spondeo, totique  
Academiae.

### English Translation

Right honourable President and  
Members of the University.

I present to you these students whom  
I know to be as upright in character  
as they are skilled in their field of  
study and qualified for admission to  
the Degree of \_\_\_\_\_; and in good  
faith I vouch for this and hold myself  
responsible to you and to the whole  
academic assembly.

## *Formula of admission by the President*

### Latin

Auctoritate mihi concessa, admitto  
vos ad Gradum \_\_\_\_\_.

### English Translation

By the authority vested in me, I admit  
you to the Degree of \_\_\_\_\_.

UCD College of Arts and Humanities  
Conferring

Thursday, 5 September 2024 at 2.30 pm

University Diploma in Arts

(Art History and Philosophy)

Dwyer, Emmet  
Skelly, Stephanie

Moloney, Edel  
Waters, Eden

Honours Degree of Bachelor of Arts

(Celtic Civilisation and German)

(Archaeology and English)

Long, Aoife Louisa Leeson

Moore, Sarah Kate

(Celtic Civilisation and Greek & Roman  
Civilisation)

(Archaeology and History)

O'Crowley, Jessica

Dixon, Ciaran  
O'Callaghan, Aileen  
O'Donnell, Emma  
White, Megan

(Celtic Civilisation and History)

Keogh, Erin

(Art History and Drama Studies)

(Celtic Civilisation and Irish Folklore)

Lacey-Curtis, Katie

Maher, Caolan

(Art History and English)

(Celtic Civilisation and Irish Studies)

Brady, Donnchadh  
Evans, Brid Ann  
O'Hanrahan, Alannah  
O'Reilly, Niamh

Ferragut I Lopez, Albert

(Celtic Civilisation and Modern Irish)

Delaney, Daniel

(Art History and Film Studies)

(Drama Studies and English)

Jordan, Sean  
Kiely, Rachel  
Kordacka, Wiktoria  
Whelan, Eamonn James

Clarence-Ray, Ishbel  
Coates, Susan Bridget  
Corrigan, Pól Seosamh  
Ellis, James Andrew  
Flanagan, Orlaigh Francedsca  
Fontanarosa, Asia

Gage, Meabh  
Mullen, Karly

(Art History and Geography)

Byrne, Ellen  
Cooney, Claire

(Drama Studies and Film Studies)

Kaczorowska, Justyna Hanna  
Li, Haining  
Mulvey, Jen  
Tobin, Colm Joseph

Campbell, Esther  
Fekete, Lili  
Foster, Philip  
Jacobs, Alex  
Kelly, Katie Ann  
Maqueto, John

Milbourne, Sonia  
Munnelly, Eamonn  
Murphy, Abbie  
Ngoie, Rebecca  
Pastor, Anamaria  
Pastor, Cristiana  
Thomas, Lena Tess  
Tormey, Nathan  
Whelan, Kevin

(Drama Studies and History)

Horgan, Niamh

(Drama Studies and Modern Irish)

McBride, Aoife

(Drama Studies and Music)

Cuffe, Jessica  
Smith-Kohler, Sarah

(Drama Studies and Spanish)

Houlihan, Edel

(Economics and History)

Byrne, Harry

(Economics and Politics)

Keane, Sophie Allene Dominique

(Economics and Statistics)

Treacy, Bobby

(English and Film Studies)

Baranyi, Adam  
Collins, Nathan  
Connolly, David  
Connolly, Kate  
Cooke, Emma-Jane  
Davis, Delilah  
Gallagher, Emma  
Grogan, Caitlin  
Kavanagh, Lauren  
Kelly, Oliver  
Lawler, Abby  
Longworth, Eve  
McCaughey, Ella  
Nolan, Megan

O'Sullivan, Abigail  
Ryan, Ethan  
Scanlan, Kayla  
Sheerin, Seanan  
Shortall, Emma  
Travers, Louise  
Weber, Zoe

(English and French)

Aljohmani, Rosaleen  
Kelly, Anna Margaret  
Mahrouk, Ayah

(English and Geography)

Cronin, Rachel  
Kelly, Libby  
Mahon, Conor  
McCarthy, Lauren  
Pepiq, Melinda  
Rice, Sophie  
Towell, Saoirse

(English and Greek & Roman Civilisation)

Anderson, Ethan  
Barry, Katie  
Birmingham, Sophie  
Hennessy, Sarah  
Kalnina, Damayanti  
Neary, Conor

(English and History)

Beale, Maria  
Brady, Dearbhla  
Chiciudean Nolan, Isabelle Anne  
Connell, Benjamin  
Crowley, Liam  
Dunne, Rachel  
Gibney, Jennifer  
Goldfarb, Ava  
Groarke, Leah  
Henry, Conor  
Hickey, Luke  
Hunt, Isabel  
Leacy, Adam  
Narcauskas, Matas  
Moran, Erin  
O'Brien, John  
Weakley, Cora  
White, Karen



(English and Information & Communications Studies)

Boyce, Shay  
Boyle, Eabha  
Eagar, Sara  
Eftimie, Aniela-Maria  
Heaney, Alannah  
Nash, Dylan  
O'Driscoll-Downes, James John  
Power, Charlie  
Timmons, Michael  
Tucker, Nikayla  
Verdon, Adam  
Zajac, Emilia Janina

(English and Irish)

Byrne, Mia  
Kenny, Bo  
Murphy, Grace Rita Theresa  
Myers, Chroidhia  
Power, Caragh  
Roche, Jade Christina  
Whelan, Max

(English and Irish Folklore)

Mac Murchadha, Diarmuid

(English and Irish Studies)

Roche, Cathy  
Talerico, Hallelujah

(English and Linguistics)

Ahmad, Zainab Sajjad  
Farrell, Laura

(English and Music)

Byrne, Tadhg  
Quinn, Calum

(English and Philosophy)

Cullinan, Ruby  
Duncan, Clara  
Edward, Noreen  
Hodkinson, Luke Murray  
Kelly, Clodagh  
Windsor, Sophie

(English and Sociology)

Behan, Gemma  
Dobbs, Elizabeth  
Evans, Megan  
Foley, Jessica  
Hayes, Sarah  
Lambe, Roisin  
McSweeney, Mia  
Moriarty, Grace  
Tadjine, Maliya  
Tobin, Emily Jane  
Watson, Joshua  
Young, Shauna Mae

(English and Spanish)

Curran, Sophie  
Heaton, Ibrahim Marcus  
O'Brien, Bebhinn

(English with Drama)

Gough, Anthony Dermot

(Film Studies and Greek & Roman Civilisation)

Barry, Brandon  
O'Neill, Juliet

(Film Studies and History)

Burke Kennedy, Ed  
O'Carroll, Dara Liberte  
O'Connell, Rory Francis  
O'Sullivan Mcauley, Daniel Noel  
Shanley, Ronan  
Wray, Matthew Thomas

(Film Studies and Linguistics)

Benrabah, Yussra

(Film Studies and Music)

Doran, Jenny  
Dunne, Cian  
Marsan, Sophie  
Martin, Bethany Hope  
McKenna, Lauren  
Rooney Bryan, Harry

(Film Studies and Spanish)

Fry, Kerri Anna

(French and Greek & Roman Civilisation)

Morel, David Patrick

(French and Linguistics)

Abubaker, Reem  
O'Nuallain, Orla

(French and Mathematics)

Cunningham, Kiara  
Olajitan, Anuoluwa

(French and Music)

Leaw, Verona Nian Zhi

(French and Spanish)

Collum, Amanda Mary Clare  
Hickey, Kate Anne  
O'Brien, Orlaith  
O'Kennedy, Rory  
Oliveira, Deborah D Nime Chaves D

(Geography and History)

Bailey, Lisa  
Byrne, Luke  
Collins, Ciaran  
Doyle, Mark Joseph  
Etherington, Cameron  
Fitzpatrick, Lucy  
McArdle, Patrick  
Molloy, Gary  
Murphy, Jordan Lee  
O'Reilly Howell, Lauren

(Geography and Irish)

Boyle, Ailbhe  
Doyle, Callum Christopher  
Kinsella, Eoghan  
Lyons Hughes, Lorcan Darren  
McMahon, Kevin  
Reid Masterson, Cameron  
Ryan, Noah  
Sherry, Daire

(Geography and Music)

O'Rourke, Ellen  
Rolland, Clodagh  
Watchorn, Harry Andrew

(German and History)

Kaehren, Kristina

(German and Irish)

Cunningham, Patrick

(German and Italian Studies)

Arpac, Reuben

(German and Linguistics)

Babiracka, Daria Joanna

(German and Spanish)

Pitts, Ella Pei Zhi

(Greek and Greek & Roman Civilisation)

O'Reilly, Erin Maria

(Greek & Roman Civilisation and History)

Flynn, Hannah Mae  
Henderson, Oscar Aloysius  
Hodgins, Eoin  
Lahitte, Julia  
MacDermot, Calum  
Power, Holly

(Greek & Roman Civilisation and History)  
(International)

O'Neill, Emer

(Greek & Roman Civilisation and Irish)

Robinson, Chloe

(Greek & Roman Civilisation and Mathematics)

Kerr, Cameron

(History and Irish)

Byrne, Corrie Lee  
Deegan, Cathal  
Hyland, Eva  
Quinn, Conall  
Smith Cronin, Alex

(History and Irish Folklore)

Casey, Alan  
Frunza, Zsolt  
Kinch, Karl

(History and Irish Studies)

Burke, Alan  
Ó Raghallaigh, Seán

(History and Italian Studies)

Ward, Luke

(History and Linguistics)

Donlon, Jack  
Kcomt, Michelle

(History and Philosophy)

Bride, John  
Collum, Jack  
Dyer, Tomas  
Foley, David  
Hedigan, Leo  
Kelley, Joseph  
Maguire, Andrew  
Ryan, John

(History and Sociology)

Davies Johannesson, Emilia  
Maher, Freya  
McSorley, Niamh  
Melia, Terri  
Tynan, Caden Thomas  
Wallace, Andrew  
Whittaker, Finn

(History and Spanish)

Byng, Stella

(Information & Communication Studies and  
Linguistics)

Andersson, Unn Elisabeth  
Brown, Lindsey  
Marnell, Ben  
Nolan, Sean  
Ogodo, Orevaoghene  
Patten, Bella-Lou  
Ryan, Tara

Solidum, Mary Angeline

(Irish and Irish Studies)

Ní Chonchubhair, Ciara

(Irish and Music)

Flood Hayes, Dean  
Lynch, Ava  
Whelan, Johannah

(Irish and Spanish)

Casey, Conor

(Italian Studies and Linguistics)

Brennan, Daniel  
Gerpe Bastón, Manuel  
Roche Grehan, Kayleigh

(Italian Studies and Spanish)

Clarke, Eoin  
Holmes, Lorcan  
Kelly, Lucy  
Lima, Marluce Oreste  
Little Parisi, Mia  
Radu, Dion  
Stan, Gabriella

(Linguistics and Music)

Ponturo, Celine Khadija  
Power, Juliet Mariana

(Linguistics and Sociology)

Howe, Alex

(Linguistics and Spanish)

Durkin, Sean

(Mathematics and Music)

Nigon, Wisit  
O'Brien, Nathan



(Mathematics and Statistics)

Fabila, Trisha Mei  
Ijdema, Dolores Maria Francisca  
Price, Killian  
Quinn, Cian

(Music and Philosophy)

Whyte, Millie

(Music and Spanish)

Cicai, Florin  
Kirwan, Rhoslyn  
Monahan, Kai David  
O'Dwyer, Ellie

(Politics and Sociology)

Grant, Georgia

Ceol leis an Ceathairéad Teaghrán Astral  
MUSIC BY THE ASTRAL STRING QUARTET

Handel	Water Music – Hornpipe
Charpentier	Te Deum (Prelude)
Handel	Firework Music 'La Rejouissance'

This list is for information only and is not an official record.  
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## *Laoi na hÁilleachta*

I gcoill Fómhair faoi chiúnas clabhstrach na gcrann  
Tháinig duille feoite ag foluain anuas go mall  
Trí cholúin na beithe, trí áirsí na dara,  
Trí stuanna míne na beithe, trí stuanna cama cumhdachta na dara,  
Ó uaine go haraile,  
Duille fáin faoi chiúnas clabhstrach na gcrann  
Is spreagadh an fear chun filíochta leis an áilleacht a chonaic sé ann.

In an Autumn wood under the cloistered quiet of the trees  
A withered leaf floated slowly down  
Through the columns of birch, through the arches of oak,  
Through the smooth arcs of birch, through the bent covering arcs of oak,  
From one green to another,  
A stray leaf under the cloistered quiet of the trees  
And the man was moved to poetry by the beauty he saw there.

By Eoghan Ó Tuairisc.

These are the opening lines from *Laoi na hÁilleachta*, a poem on the beauty of the world, published in Ó Tuairisc's first collection of poetry, *Lux Aeterna* (1964). Poet, Novelist and Dramatist, Eoghan Ó Tuairisc wrote in both Irish and English. He received a BA and MA from UCD in the 1940s.

