



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



*Searmanas Bronnta*  
*Conferring Ceremony*

*5 September 2024*  
*5.30 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 5.30 pm

Honours Degree of Bachelor of Arts

BA Art Studies

Goggin, Conor  
Ó Dubhlaing, Cathal

BA Humanities

(Celtic Studies, Art History & History)

McDonnell, Anya

(Classics, Art History & Archaeology)

Abraham Long, Gabrielle  
Bertolino, Sonia  
Callan, Finn  
Conlan, Amie  
Kane, Regan  
Myers, Daniela  
Pike, Gabriella

(Classics, English & History)

Devaney, Amy  
Doyle, Conor  
Ennis, Cian  
Forde, David  
Gahan Phelan, Max  
Herbert, Alexander  
Holland, Aoife Siobhan  
Jackson O'Toole, Coilin  
Kavanagh, Mary Bernadette  
Kenny, Ailbhe  
Lattimore, Jane  
O'Neill, Ben  
Rickerby, Annabell  
Smith, Luke John

(English, Drama & Film)

Downes, Alice  
Estevam da Silva, Heloisa  
Geraghty, Thomas  
Kellaghan, Rachel Mary  
Marinchenko, Vasilisa  
McLoughlin, Clare  
McNutt, Joshua

Mitchell, Shannon  
Murphy, Luke  
Power, Robert  
Reade, Niamh  
Rice, Aimee Laura  
Spierin, Beth  
Spillane, Corey

(English Literature)

Berry-Walshe, Charlotte  
Byrne, Leah  
Chapman, Andrew  
Convy, Róisín Edith  
Duggan, Ellen Whyte  
Mazzoni, Matteo  
McComish, Conor  
Rusan, Natalie  
Shaw Clynes, Victoria  
Toms, Tesna Margaret

(English with Creative Writing)

Ahmed, Fadumo  
Badmus, Sinatalahi Edith  
Barabanchuk, Olivia  
Boyle, Thomas Emmet  
Brady, Eve  
Cheevers, Peter  
Cumming, Isabelle  
Doyle, Morgan  
Duran, Hana  
Farrell, Katie  
Farrell, Katie  
Gahan, Chloe  
Harrison, Anna  
Hartigan, Marcus  
Johnson, Madison  
Johnston, Wayne  
Jordan, Catherine  
Keegan, Jack  
Kelly, David  
Kennedy, Kylah  
Kiely, Laura  
King, Chloe  
King Oner, Olivia  
Mahon, Laura  
McLoughlin, Aoife  
Murphy, Tara

Nolan, Féidhlim Ruairi  
O'Shea, Colm  
O'Sullivan, Rachel  
Peat, Isabella  
Shotunde, Rachael O  
Slevin, Heather  
Smith, Eimear Elizabeth  
Smyth, Aedin Jane  
Tsuda Pillsbury, Sky  
Walsh, Casey  
Wieczorek, Wiktorja  
Wolfe, Sebastian  
Wood, Carole

(History)

Delaney, Heather  
Gaffey, Oisín  
Gowran, Cathal  
Kavanagh, Thomas Joseph  
MacConville, Rowan  
McCracken, Kathleen Angela  
Patterson, Harry  
Reid, Nicole  
Roche, Mark  
Scheepers, Emily Anne  
Sweeney, Daragh

(History and Politics)

Armstrong, Ella  
Bailey, Conor  
Bell Curran, Joshua  
Boland, Edward John  
Bolger, Nicole  
Bolger Moloney, Reece  
Cawley, Aoife  
Cunningham, Hazel  
Daniel, Ibitola  
David, Benjamin  
Dooley, Alison  
Doyle, Caoimhe  
Dunne, Isabel  
Earls, Moya  
Eid, Alessio  
Fanca, Larisa Beatrix  
Farren, Sarah  
Flynn, Keeley  
Fox, Emma Marie  
Giles, Steven  
Gilmore, Greg Patrick  
Gray-Byrne, Fionn  
Griffiths, Kevin  
Hastings Rafferty, James  
Haughton, Aislinn

Horan, Molly Kate  
Humphreys, Daniel Joseph  
Johnston, Oisín William  
Jones, Harry  
Keenan, Hugh Edward Neil  
Kildea, Robbie  
Laird, Dylan  
Lawlor, Ronán  
Lynch, Clodagh  
McDermott, Sadhbh  
McLoughlin, Rosemary  
Monaghan, Sorcha  
Muthi, Joshua  
O'Daly, Michael Arthur Kevin  
O'Loughlin, Abbie  
O'Neill, Aine  
Pierce, Christian  
Ritchie, Emily  
Ross, Grace  
Sheridan, Niamh Therese  
Smith-Naughton, Dara  
Stewart, Medbh  
Tempany, James  
Windle, Sam

(Languages, Linguistics & Cultures)

Celada, Alanna  
Corbett, Louise  
Corrigan, Shauna  
Cummins, Grainne Lillian  
Gibbons, Conor  
Norris, Jade  
Pramod, Mrinalini  
Teca, Ashley

(Music, Film & Drama)

Arnold, Charlotte  
Donnelly, Kellie  
English, Grace  
Harrington, Tadhg  
Johnston, Gráinne  
Lacy, William  
Mehigan, Milo  
Meinert, Elliot Martin  
Nagle, Laura  
O'Grady Murphy, Nina  
Parsons, Liem  
Powell, Kaileigh  
Starbuck, Alexandra  
Whelan, Aisling Margaret  
Young, Eli



BA Interim Arts

Nolan, John Vincent

(English and Spanish)

Hudson Maguire, Abby

BA International

(Art History and Film Studies)

(Film Studies and German)

Adebambo, Florence

Mercier, Mia

(Film Studies and Greek & Roman Civilisation)

(Drama Studies and English)

Kieran, Alice

Cleere, Lucy

(French and History)

(Drama Studies and Film Studies)

Lynch, Lughaidh

Murphy, Kiara

(French and Irish)

(Drama Studies and History)

McDermott, Lucy

Farren, Will

(French and Linguistics)

(English and Film Studies)

Kienge, Linda

Baldwin, Ronan

(French and Spanish)

Larkin, Katie

Shiel, Ella

Yeates, Emma

Wallace, Dylan Jack

(German and Irish)

(English and French)

O'Brien, Alahna Skye

McHugh, Cara

(German and Linguistics)

(English and History)

Marcinkiewicz, Damian

Browne, Jamie Patrick

(Greek & Roman Civilisation and History)

Cantwell, Aaron Gordon James

Fields, Kelvyn Dean

(History and Irish)

Lalor, Mollie

Long, Dinah

O'Toole, Alannah

(English and Italian Studies)

(History and Philosophy)

Leane, Dara Michael

Richardson, Niamh

Ó Tuile, Eoghan

(English and Philosophy)

(History and Sociology)

Fitzgerald, Tara

Farrelly, Ellen

Tierney, Joseph

(English and Sociology)

(History and Spanish)

Golding, Kayla

Kennedy, Amy

O'Reilly, Ella

(Information & Communication Studies and Linguistics)

Goggin, Zoe

(Irish and Spanish)

Fitzsimmons, Zoe  
Johnston, Jonathon

(Linguistics and Spanish)

Whelan, Emer

BA (International - Modern Languages)

(French and German)

Campbell, Ciara  
Kelly, Ciana  
McGrane, Sean  
Sarwar, Mohona  
Shanley, Mia Elizabeth

(French and Italian Studies)

Curley, Robert  
Gibney, Emmett  
Stephenson, Georgina

(French and Spanish)

Desmond, Lucile  
Foulds, Natalie  
Saunders, Nancy  
Sobocinska, Karolina  
Szarlej-Lentz, Hanna

(German and Italian Studies)

Healy, Cait

(German and Spanish)

Del Balio, Andrea  
Irvine, Neveah

(Italian Studies and Spanish)

Langan, Colm  
Sweeney, Aisling  
Tamani, Sara  
Vremea, Nicoleta-Letitia

## Honours Degree of Bachelor of Music

Jennings, Isobel  
Morris, Brianna Ruth  
Ter, Fionn Yu Yen  
Williams, Melanie

## Degree of Master of Arts

(Archives & Record Management)

Jordan, Niamh

(Classics)

O'Sullivan, Gillian

(Cultural Policy & Arts Management)

Kebbe, Sorcha  
Mahamid, Manal

(European History (UNICA))

Mazet, Paul  
Salvadori, Vittoria  
Ul Abdin, Zain

(Gender Sexuality & Culture)

Boyle-Darby, Keeva  
Murray, Savannah

(Medieval Studies)

Suttle, Simon John

## Degree of Master of Literature

Casserly, Maeve

## Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Allen, Jaclyn Marie  
Fly Phoenix!: the conception of the poet in English and Irish women poets 1930-1950

Healy, Rachel  
Portraits of Giorgio Cornaro and his Heirs:  
Resolving issues of Identity Authorship and Patronage in Renaissance Venice and Beyond

Michels, Kelly  
American Anthem: Poems and Essays

O'Shea, Owen Gerard James  
Electioneering party organisation and political  
discourse in post-Civil War County Kerry 1923-  
1933

Raynal, Lucille  
Eighteenth-Century Women at Work: Writing her  
Space/ Femmes au travail du XVIIIe siècle: Écrire  
son espace

Wethered, Christian  
Harbour: Poems and Essays

**Honorary Degree of Arts *honoris causa***

Bairéad, Colm  
Ní Chrualaoi, Cleona

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.

