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Events

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NOVAUCD COMMERCIALISATION DROP-IN CLINIC

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Wed 1 Nov 2006

Location: Reception Office, UCD Conway Institute
Organiser: NovaUCD

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NOVAUCD COMMERCIALISATION DROP-IN CLINIC

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Wed 8 Nov 2006

Location: Reception Office, UCD Conway Institute
Organiser: NovaUCD

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SEX AND THE ARCHBISHOP: JOHN CHARLES MCQUAID AND SOCIAL CHANGE IN IRELAND IN THE 1960S

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Fri 3 Nov 2006

Location: Room H204 UCD Humanities Institute
Organiser: UCD Humanities Institute

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CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING AT UCD

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Thurs 9 Nov 2006

Location: O'Reilly Hall
Organiser: School of Chemical and Bioprocess Engineering

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UCD RUBY & SILVER JUBILEE

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Sat 4 Nov 2006

Location: O'Reilly Hall
Organiser: UCD University Relations

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ENGINEERING INFORMATION EVENING

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Thurs 9 Nov 2006

Location: Newpark Hotel, Kilkenny
Organiser: UCD Engineering & Architecture Programme Office

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OUR GALAXY IN 3D

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Mon 6 Nov 2006

Location: RDS Concert Hall
Organiser: UCD School of Physics & RDS

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PROBLEMS VERSUS METHODS IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES. WHICH COME FIRST?

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Thurs 9 Nov 2006

Location: UCD Clinton Auditorium
Organiser: College of Human Sciences

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NOVAUCD "ENTREPRENEURS LIVE!" SEMINAR

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Tues 7 Nov 2006

Location: William Jefferson Clinton Auditorium
Organiser: NovaUCD

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COMMEMORATING THE EASTER RISING IN NORTHERN IRELAND IN 1966

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Fri 10 Nov 2006

Location: Room H204, UCD Humanities Institute
Organiser: UCD Humanities Institute

◆ For more information see www.ucd.ie/events



Vacancies

UNIT	JOB TITLE	APPLICANTS	CLOSING DATE
UCD College of Life Sciences UCD Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine Programme Office	Marketing Manager Ref: 002600	Internal applicants only	7 November 2006
UCD College of Life Sciences UCD Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine Programme Office	Programme Administrator (SEA) Ref: 002612	Internal applicants only	1 November 2006
UCD College of Life Sciences UCD School of Medicine and Medical Sciences	Executive Assistant Ref: 002578	External and internal applicants welcome	13 November 2006
UCD College of Life Sciences UCD School of Physiotherapy and Performance Science	Executive Assistant Ref: 002599	External and internal applicants welcome	7 November 2006
Commercial Office Conference and Events Office	Conference & Events Co-ordinator (EA) Ref: 002615	External and internal applicants welcome	14 November 2006
Registrar's Office Assessment & Logistics Office	Assessment & Logistics Officer X 2 (AO1) Ref: 002614	External and internal applicants welcome	14 November 2006
Registrar's Office Assessment & Logistics Office	Senior Executive Assistant Ref: 002611	Internal applicants only	8 November 2006
Procurement and Contracts Office	Procurement Specialist (SEA) Ref: 002610	Internal applicants only	13 November 2006
Urban Institute Ireland	Executive Assistant Ref: 002632	External and internal applicants welcome	See website for details
UCD College of Business and Law UCD Business and Law Programme Office	Director of Programme Office (SAOIV Grade) Ref: 002634	External and internal applicants welcome	20 November 2006

For a complete list of vacancies and information on the application process please refer to www.ucd.ie/vacancies or alternatively contact UCD Personnel on 01 7161412.



Notices

SIPTU - INVITATION TO ALL STAFF

If you work for UCD either as an academic, on the administrative staff, in the library or any other area, temporary or permanent, part or full-time, and are not yet a member of a trade union, we'd like you to consider joining SIPTU, Ireland's largest trade union. You may need us sooner or later. For further information, or an application form, contact Linda Vines at Linda.Vines@ucd.ie

UCD STAFF CREDIT UNION

UCD staff credit union
www.ucd.ie/cu. Our offices are based in Woodview.

To join tel: 716 2840/2830 or download an application form from our website. Interest rate on all loans now 8%.

Opening Hours:

Mon: 1.15 to 2.00pm

Wed: 1.15 to 2.00pm

Fri: 1.15 to 2.00pm



FOR SALE

Peugeot Man's bike with carrier (blue) Dynamo included EUR90.00. Also Ladies bike (seldom used) with carrier (pink). Dynamo included €100.00. Contact Mairead at 7167625 or 087-0550545

Car for sale: Renault 19 (1390cc), 1989, 50K, NCT till June 2008, one owner, good Condition, €1000 ono. Contact Brendan.Dixon@ucd.ie, 716 2008

1997 Suzuki Baleno, Silver, Central Locking, Air Bags, NCT 08, Spirited 1.3, Good Condition, €2200 ono. Phone Sandra at 716 6459 or 086 3342390

A totally new mountain bike for only €100. Just bought no more than two week. Bought it for €250 including the lock, backseat and mudguards. Contact Roger 086 227 2820

UCD STAFF TENNIS CLUB MEMBERSHIP AVAILABLE

The UCD Staff tennis club is currently open to new members who are staff or postgraduates in the university. We are a social tennis club and cater for all standards of players. The annual membership is €40. Our Club night is Thursday evenings 5.30 to 8.30pm and we operate year round. If you would like to find out more information or download an application form please check out our website: www.ucd.ie/stennis. If you want to drop down to the courts on club night please alert a committee member in advance so there will definitely be someone there to meet you!

INFANT MASSAGE CLASSES

4 week infant massage course & private classes (Greystones, Co. Dublin & South Dublin). Benefits for baby include relief from colic, teething & sleeping disorders. Improves all over body systems and enhances the bonding process. Truly wonderful experience! Recognised by Bupa, Vhi & Vivas. Contact Yasmina. Certified Infant Massage Instructor (IAIM) & massage therapist (ITEC). Dip. Anatomy & Physiology. Ph : 086 6031719. For further details see www.resourceireland.com. For further information see 'events' www.resourceireland.com

LOOKING FOR A LOVING HOME

Two twelve-week old kittens looking for a loving indoor home together. Kittens will be vaccinated and wormed before adopted. For further information please contact Sarah at sarah.holt@ucd.ie or 716 1612.

"ACT4"

ARTS, CULTURE, THEATRE 2004 THEATRE GOERS GROUP

Since 2004 a group of UCD staff have been getting together for theatre and other cultural events in Dublin. We are seeking new members and invite staff to join. There is a special focus on theatre, but operas, concerts, exhibitions, visits to museums or other cultural events are also organised. We attend 1/2 events each month, and members contribute to selecting events. If interested contact Carmel.Hensey@ucd.ie, or phone 01-716 6739 for information.

JAMES JOYCE LIBRARY TERM OPENING HOURS

Monday - Friday
Open: 8.30 to 23.00
Service: 9.00 to 21.45

Saturday
Open: 9.00 to 21.00
Service: 9.30 to 16.45

Sunday
Open: 9.00 to 21.00
Reading room only

DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN RENEW YOUR BOOKS BY TELEPHONE?

For further information, and to renew your books, call (01) 716 7639 during Service Hours

ACCESSING YOUR LIBRARY ACCOUNT ONLINE

You can access your account through your UCD Connect Account. Simply log in to Connect, click on the My Library tab, and click on the My Library Account link. Alternatively you can access your account through the Library catalogue using your PIN number. Your PIN is a four digit number that enables you to log into MyAccount where you can reserve books, renew loans and view your Library Account.

You can obtain your PIN at any of the desks on Level 1 of the Library

IT'S GOOD TO TALK!

UCD Library is leading the way by launching the first Irish university library chat service. For more information please see: www.ucd.ie/library

LIBRARY AT LUNCHTIME: AN INTRODUCTION TO ENDNOTE

The software application EndNote helps researchers store and manage references, and makes the creation of bibliographies easy. This autumn, UCD Library is offering lunchtime sessions introducing Endnote.

Dates: Every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday,
from 26 September - 30 November 2006

Time: 1-2 pm

Place: Information Skills Room, James Joyce Library

Each session can accommodate a maximum of 15 participants; places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis on the day.

*Please note there will be no session on November 2nd

The Library has developed a range of EndNote support pages



ARE YOU A POST-GRADUATE STUDENT? ARE YOU INTERESTED IN WORKING IN INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION? BE AN RA

An RA is a Residential Advisor. working for an American undergraduate study-abroad programme based in Dublin. Your job will be to live near our students in the Dublin city area and to act as a primary liaison on a variety of issues, i.e. housing maintenance, adapting to new culture, health/medical issues, local information.

Job Requirements:

Flexible work schedule, Availability to work approx. 8 hours per week, Willingness to work nights/weekends, Organisation of cultural events, assistance in programme orientation, Weekly visits to students apartments

Key Skills:

Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, Interest in working with American students, Patience and empathy in abundance, Organised and motivated with the ability to work on your own initiative, Excellent time manager, In-depth knowledge of Dublin Sense of humour!

Housing provided in Dublin City along with monthly stipend. For more information on our organisation see our website: www.iesabroad.org
Start date: 1 December 2006 (training); 2 January 2006 (job)
Closing date for applications: 3 November 2006
CV accompanied by 2 letters of recommendation (1 academic & 1 work related) should be sent to: rfitzpatrick21@iesdublin.ie or to: IES, 27-29 Rathmines Road Lower, Dublin 6.

UCD SMURFIT SCHOOL OPEN EVENING MONDAY NOVEMBER 6TH BLACKROCK CAMPUS, CARYSFORT AVENUE.

This evening will give attendees a unique opportunity to meet the Programme Managers for all of our full-time and part-time specialist postgraduate business and executive education programmes. Presentations on each programme will feature throughout the evening.

Current and past students will also be present to offer insights to the student life and career progression.

Registration commences at 4pm and presentations will run from 4.30pm.

For further information please visit our website:

<http://ucdbusiness.ucd.ie/re/openevening/>

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodaion Available

Glenard Residence beside UCD Belfield Campus offers full board accommodation (breakfast,lunch, dinner and supper)for 24 female students. Individual study bedrooms. Study Room. Sitting rooms. Wireless Broadband. Parking available. Two rooms are now available. Email glenard@indigo.ie or phone 01-2983902.

Sunny 3 bed house available to rent – Nutgrove Avenue, Dublin 4 (easy biking distance from Belfield, also good bus service). The house is newly decorated, and this is the first rent. House has 3 good sized bedrooms and gas central heating throughout. Available immediately. One year lease available. Rent: €1,400 per month. Contact Sarah at sarahbutler@iol.ie

Double room to let in 2 bed, 2nd floor apartment in Blackrock, close to Stillorgan village and just a few minutes walk to main bus routes, 10 mins to UCD. Apartment has all mod cons with private balcony and tenant will have own use of house bathroom. Apply by email to Joanna.Lowe@ucd.ie

House to let in Monkstown Valley. Close to DART, 2 double bedrooms, all mod cons. Suitable for a couple or two professional sharing. Non-smokers only. Rent: €1200 per month. Lease initially 6 months but can be extended. Contact Hetty: 01 2843261 (2pm to 6pm).

Accommodation Required

Two staff members at UCD require 2-3 bedrooms accommodation in South Dublin from January-February 2007. Walking/cycling distance of or with good public transport links to Belfield campus. Preferably south Belfield campus. Maximum rent €1300/month. Please contact Celia at Celia.CabaleiroLago@ucd.ie or 0857788749.



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Bulletin@ucd.ie

Please include the words "Information Bulletin" in the subject line.

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www.ucd.ie/bulletin.htm

We're interested in your feedback on the UCD Information Bulletin. Please email mark.simpson@ucd.ie