

UCD Register of Subjects & School Sections

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College of Agriculture, Food Science & Veterinary Medicine

S142 - School of Agriculture and Food Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject	Section	Head of Section
Food Science	BAgrSc Food Science, Food Science (BSc)	Food Science	Professor Dolores O'Riordan	Food Science & Nutrition	Prof Frank Monahan
Human Nutrition	BSc Human Nutrition	Human Nutrition	Dr Eileen Gibney		
Crop Science	BAgrSc Animal and Crop Production	Animal and Crop Production	Professor James Burke	Animal & Crop Science	Prof Pat Lonergan
Animal Science	BAgrSc Animal Science	Animal Science	Professor Pat Lonergan		
Equine Science	BAgrSc Equine Science	Animal Science - Equine Science	Dr Barbara Murphy		
Food and Agribusiness Management	BAgrSc Food and Agribusiness Management	Food and Agribusiness Management	Dr Michael Wallace	Agri-business & Rural Development	Dr Jim Kinsella
Rural Development	BSc Rural Development, Dip in Rural Development (PT)	Rural Development	Dr Pdraig Wims		
Agri-Environmental Sciences	BAgrSc Agri-Environmental Sciences	Agri-Environmental Science	Dr Gordon Purvis	Environment & Sustainable Resource Management	Dr Gordon Purvis
Forestry	BAgrSc	Forestry	Professor Maarten Nieuwenhuis		
Horticulture, Sportsturf and Landscape Management	BAgrSc	Horticulture Sportsturf and Landscape Management	Dr Owen Doyle		

S148 - School of Veterinary Medicine

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject	Section	Head of Section
Animal Husbandry, Health and Welfare	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Professor Mark Crowe	Animal Husbandry & Herd VPH	Professor Michael Doherty
Veterinary Public Health	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Professor Séamus Fanning		
Farm Animal Clinical Studies	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Professor Michael Doherty		
Veterinary Biosciences	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Rotation every 3yrs: Professor Alan Baird until 31/12/14 [next rotation Professor Stephen Carrington]	Veterinary Sciences	Professor Stephen Carrington
Veterinary Pathobiology	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Professor Sean Callanan		

Veterinary Nursing	DipVN	Diploma in Veterinary Nursing	Ms Andrea Dwane	Veterinary Surgery and Companion Animals	Professor Pieter Brama
Small Animal Clinical Studies	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Dr Rory Breathnach		
Veterinary Surgery and Equine Medicine	MVB	Veterinary Medicine	Professor Pieter Brama		

College of Arts & Celtic Studies

S003 - School of Archaeology

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Archaeology	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BSc Intl BSc in Archaeology & Geology	Archaeology	Prof Tadhg O'Keeffe

S005 - School of Art History and Cultural Policy

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Art History	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Art History	Dr John Loughman
Cultural Policy		No major at undergraduate level	Mr Pat Cooke

S011 - School of Classics

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Greek	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Greek Mode A, Greek Mode B	Dr Philip de Souza
Greek and Roman Civilisation	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Greek and Roman Civilisation	Dr Philip de Souza
Latin	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Latin Mode A, Latin Mode B	Dr Philip de Souza

S016 - School of English, Drama and Film

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Drama Studies	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Drama Studies	Dr Eamonn Jordan
English	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	English	Professor Nicholas Daly
Film Studies	BA	Film Studies (Minor)	Professor Diane Negra

S019 - School of History and Archives

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Archivistics		No major at undergraduate level	Dr Elizabeth Mullins
History	BA, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCL with History	History, History Politics and International Relations, Irish Studies	Dr John McCafferty

S021 - School of Irish, Celtic Studies, Irish Folklore and Linguistics

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Early Irish		No major at undergraduate level	Professor Patricia Kelly
Irish	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl	Irish	Prof Máire Ní Annracháin
Irish Folklore	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Irish Folklore	Professor Patricia Lysaght
Celtic Civilisation	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Celtic Civilisation	Dr Jenny Rowland
Linguistics	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Linguistics	Dr Máire Ní Chiosáin
Welsh	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal	Welsh	Dr Jenny Rowland

S022 - School of Languages and Literatures

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
French	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl, BA Intl Modern Languages	French	Dr Douglas Smith
German	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl, BA Intl Modern Languages	German	Dr Georg Grote
Spanish	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl, BA Intl Modern Languages	Spanish Major, Spanish Minor, Spanish with Portuguese Minor	Dr Jeremy Squires
Portuguese	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl, BA Intl Modern Languages	Portuguese Minor	Dr Jeremy Squires
Italian	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCommIntl, BA Intl Modern Languages	Italian	Dr Eric Haywood

S026 - School of Music

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Music	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intl, BA Intl French, BA Intl German, BA Intl Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BMus	Music	Prof Julian Horton

College of Business & Law

S008 - School of Business

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Accountancy	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	Accountancy	Dr Gerardine Doyle
Banking and Finance	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	Banking and Finance	Professor Philip Bourke
Human Resources and Industrial Relations	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	Human Resource Management	Professor William Roche
Management	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	General Management	Professor Brian Fynes
Management Information Systems	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	Management Information Systems	Dr Peter Keenan
Marketing	BComm, BComm Int, BSc Economics & Finance, BComm (Business with Chinese Studies), BBLS, BBL, BBL European, BBL Inter	Marketing	Prof Mary Lambkin

S023 - School of Law

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Law	BCL, BCL with French Law, BCL Maitrise, BCL European, BCL Int, BCL with History, BCL with Politics, BCL with Economics, BCL with Philosophy, BBL, BBL European, BBL Int	Law, Law with French Law, BBL Law, Law with History, Law with Politics, Law with Economics, Law with Philosophy	Prof Colin Scott

College of Engineering and Architecture

S143 - School of Architecture

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Architecture	BSc (Architectural Science), BArch (Architectural Science), BSc (Architectural Science) (Cesuga), BArch (Cesuga)	Architecture, Architectural Science	Professor Hugh Campbell
Landscape Architecture	BSc Landscape Architecture	Landscape	Ms Karen Foley

S144 - School of Biosystems Engineering

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Biosystems Engineering	BE Biosystems Engineering	Biosystems Engineering	Professor Francis Butler
Agricultural Systems Technology	BAgrSc Engineering Technology	Engineering Technology	Professor Nick Holden

S009 - School of Chemical and Bioprocess Engineering

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Chemical & Bioprocess Engineering	BE Chemical Engineering and Bioprocess Engineering	Chemical Engineering and Bioprocess Engineering	Prof Don MacElroy

S145 - School of Civil, Structural and Environmental Engineering

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Civil Engineering	BE Civil Engineering, BSc (Structural Engineering with Architecture)	Civil Engineering, Structural Engineering with Architecture	Professor Eugene O'Brien

S146 - School of Electrical, Electronic and Communications Engineering

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Electrical Engineering	BE Electronic Engineering or Electrical Engineering	Electrical Engineering	Professor Mark O'Malley
Electronic Engineering	BE Electronic Engineering or Electrical Engineering	Electronic Engineering	Prof Orla Feely

S147 - School of Mechanical and Materials Engineering

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Mechanical Engineering	BE Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	Professor Alojz Ivankovic

College of Health Sciences

S025 - School of Medicine and Medical Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject	Section	Head of Section
Medical Informatics	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Dr Patrick Felle	Biomedical Sciences	Professor Paul McLoughlin
Human Anatomy	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Dr Jennifer Thompson		
Physiology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO), BSc Science	Physiology	Professor Paul McLoughlin		
Pathology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Dr Jane Dolan		
Forensic and Legal Medicine	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Denis Cusack	Community and Forensic Medicine	Professor Gerard Bury
General Practice	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Gerard Bury		
Clinical Pharmacology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Patrick Murray	Medicine and Medical Specialties	Professor Michael Keane
Medicine and Therapeutics	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Michael Keane		
Psychiatry	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Kevin Malone		
Radiography	BSc Radiography	Radiography	Dr Louise Rainford	Diagnostic Imaging	Dr Louise Rainford
Ophthalmology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Colm O'Brien	Surgery and Surgical Specialities	Professor Ronan O'Connell
Otorhinolaryngology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Aongus Curran		
Surgery	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Ronan O'Connell		
Obstetrics and Gynecology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor Colm O'Herlihy	Women's and Children's Health	Professor Colm O'Herlihy
Paediatrics	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Prof Ronan O'Sullivan		
Medical Microbiology	Medicine (MB BCh BAO)	Medicine	Professor William Hall	assignment to section yet to be decided	

S027 - School of Nursing, Midwifery and Health Systems

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Midwifery	BSc Midwifery, Higher Diploma in Midwifery	Midwifery	Mrs Denise O'Brien
Children's Nursing	BSc Nursing (Children's and General), Higher Diploma in Children's Nursing	Children's Nursing	Ms Maria Brenner
Primary, Community and Public Health Nursing	BSc Nursing (Psychiatric Nursing); BSc Nursing (General Nursing)	Psychiatric Nursing; Public Health Nursing	TBC
Older Persons Nursing	BSc Nursing (Psychiatric Nursing); BSc Nursing (General Nursing)	General Nursing; Psychiatric Nursing; Care of Older Persons Nursing	TBC
Chronic Care Nursing	BSc Nursing (General Nursing); BSc Nursing (Psychiatric Nursing)	General Nursing; Psychiatric Nursing; Cancer Nursing; Palliative Care Nursing	TBC
Acute and Critical Care Nursing	BSc Nursing (General Nursing); BSc Nursing (Psychiatric Nursing)	General Nursing; Psychiatric Nursing; Critical Care Nursing	TBC

S137 - School of Public Health, Physiotherapy and Performance Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Physiotherapy	BSc Physiotherapy	Physiotherapy	Dr Deirdre Hurley O'sing
Performance Science	BSc Health & Performance Science	Health and Performance Science	Professor Giuseppe DeVito
Public Health	Medicine (MB BCh BAO) (contribute to)	Medicine	Professor Cecily Kelleher
Sports Management	BSc Sports Management, BSc Sports and Exercise Management, Diploma in Sports Management	Single majors only	Dr John Shuttleworth

Occupational Safety and Health	BSc in Occupational Safety and Health Management, Higher Diploma in Safety, Health and Welfare at Work, Certificate in Safety and Health at Work and Certificate in Safety and Health at Work (IBEC)	Single majors only	Dr Anne Drummond
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College of Human Sciences

S002 - School of Applied Social Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Social Policy	BSoc, BSoc Intern	Social Policy, Housing and Community Services	Prof Bryan Fanning
Social Work		No major at undergraduate level	Prof Colette McAuley

S013 - School of Economics

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Economics	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BSoc Intern, BCL with Economics, BComm, BComm Int, BBLs, BAFS, BSc Economics & Finance	Economics	Professor David Madden

S014 - School of Education

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Education		No major at undergraduate level	Prof Ciaran Sugrue

S017 - School of Geography, Planning and Environmental Policy

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Geography	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BSoc Intern	Geography	Dr Gerald Mills
Planning	BA Geography, Planning and Environmental Policy	Geography, Planning and Environmental Policy (Major)	Professor Zorica Nedovic-Budic
Environmental Policy	BA Geography, Planning & Environmental Policy	Geography, Planning and Environmental Policy (Major)	Dr Mark Scott

S020 - School of Information and Library Studies

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Library and Information Studies	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BSoc Intern	Information Studies, Information and Library Studies	Prof Diane Sonnenwald

S028 - School of Philosophy

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Philosophy	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BCL with Philosophy	Philosophy	Prof Maria Baghramian

S031 - School of Politics and International Relations

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Development Studies		No major at undergraduate level	Dr Andy Storey
International Relations		No major at undergraduate level	Dr Derek Hutcheson
Politics	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BCL with Politics	Politics	Prof David Farrell

S032 - School of Psychology

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Psychology	BA, BA Psychology, BA Psychology (Int)	Psychology	Dr Barbara Dooley

S034 - School of Social Justice

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Equality Studies		No major at undergraduate level	Professor John Baker
Women's Studies		No major at undergraduate level	Dr Ursula Barry

S035 - School of Sociology

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Sociology	BA, BA Comp Sci, BA Intern, BA Intern French, BA Intern German, BA Intern Spanish, BA/MA Liberal, BSoc, BSoc Int	Sociology	Prof Sinisa Malesevic

College of Science

S006 - School of Biology and Environmental Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Biology	BSc Science	No major at undergraduate level	Professor Thomas Hayden
Botany	BSc Science	Plant Biology	Dr Paul McCabe
Cell and Molecular Biology	BSc Science	Cell and Molecular Biology	Prof Jeremy Simpson
Environmental Biology	BSc Science	Environmental Biology	Dr Jan-Robert Baars
Plant Genetic Engineering	BSc Science	Plant Genetic Engineering	Dr Thomas Gallagher
Zoology	BSc Science	Zoology	Prof Tom Bolger

S007 - School of Biomolecular and Biomedical Science

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Biochemistry	BSc Science, BSc Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Biochemistry, Biochemistry and Biomolecular Science	Dr Margaret Worrall
Genetics	BSc Science	Genetics	Professor Geraldine Butler
Microbiology	BSc Science	Microbiology	Professor Wim Meijer
Neuroscience	BSc Science, BSc Neuroscience	Neuroscience	Dr John O'Connor
Pharmacology	BSc Science, BSc Pharmacology	Pharmacology	Dr Breandán Kennedy

S010 - School of Chemistry and Chemical Biology

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Chemistry	BSc Science	Chemistry	Professor Patrick Guiry
Medicinal Chemistry and Chemical Biology	BSc Science	Medicinal Chemistry & Chemical Biology	Professor Stefan Oscarson

S012 - School of Computer Science and Informatics

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Computer Science	BA Comp Sci, BA Comp Sci Int, BSc Mathematical Sciences, BSc Comp Sci, BSc Comp Sci Fudan	Computer Science	Mr John Dunnion

S018 - School of Geological Sciences

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Geology	BSc Science; BSc Archaeology and Geology; BSc Landscape Architecture; BE Civil Engineering	Geology; Climate and Earth System Science	Professor Pat Shannon

S024 - School of Mathematical Sciences

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Applied and Computational Mathematics	Arts: BA (Computer Science), BA International French, BA International German, BA International Spanish, BAMA Liberal Arts, BA International, Arts (P/T), Engineering: Engineering Science, Structural Eng with Arch, Science: Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma, Higher Diploma, Master of Science	Applied Mathematics, Mathematical Physics and Meteorology, Climate and Earth Sciences	Prof Adrian Ottewill

Mathematics	<p>Arts: BA (Computer Science), BA International French, BA International German, BA International Spanish, BAMA Liberal Arts, BA International, BA Psychology Arts (P/T), BA Evening (P/T), Agricultural Science: BAgSc Animal&CropProd ITT Tfr, BAgSc Animal&CropProd WIT Tfr, BAgSc Animal Science ITT Tfr, BAgSc Animal Sci WIT Tfr, BAgSc Eng Tech WIT/IT Tfr, BAgSc Forestry WIT/GMIT Tfr, BAgSc HLSM WIT Tfr, BAgSc HLSM WIT/ITB Tfr,</p> <p>Commerce: BComm (Bus with Chinese St), BComm International,Economics & Finance, Engineering: Engineering Science, Structural Eng with Arch, Business & Law, Law with Econ,BSc Human Nutrition, Science: BAFS, BSc Archaeology & Geology</p>	Mathematical Studies, Mathematical Sciences, Mathematics, Applied and Computational Mathematics	Dr Kevin Hutchinson
Statistics and Actuarial Science	<p>Arts: BA (Computer Science), BA International French, BA International German, BA International Spanish, BAMA Liberal Arts, BA International, BA Psychology, BA Geog, Planning & Env Policy, Arts (P/T), Agricultural Science: BAgSc HLSM WIT Tfr, Economics & Finance, Engineering: Engineering Science, Structural Eng with Arch, BSc Biomed, Health & Life Sci Science: BAFS, BSc Archaeology & Geology, Social Science, Social Science International</p>	Statistics, Actuarial and Financial Studies	Prof Nial Friel

S029 - School of Physics

Subjects	Programme(s)	Majors/Minors	Head of Subject
Physics	BSc Science, BSc Physics with Astronomy and Space Science, BSc Theoretical Physics	Physics, Physics with Astronomy & Space Science, Theoretical Physics	Professor Gerry O'Sullivan