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Congratulations on getting a place in University College Dublin!

To help you get started, we have put together a checklist of things to do before you arrive and on arrival at UCD. Visit [www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents](http://www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents) for more details.

### CHECKLIST

#### BEFORE YOU ARRIVE

1. **Accept your offer before the reply date**
   - If you haven’t already done so!

2. **Get social!**
   - #helloucd
   - [www.ucd.ie/social-media](http://www.ucd.ie/social-media)

3. **Arrange your accommodation**
   - [www.ucd.ie/residences](http://www.ucd.ie/residences)

4. **Check out UCD's jargon buster**
   - [www.ucd.ie/students/jargon.html](http://www.ucd.ie/students/jargon.html)

5. **Go to UCD Connect**
   - [www.ucd.ie/connect](http://www.ucd.ie/connect)

6. **Begin Step 1 of registration**
   - Follow email instructions you will have received

7. **Print your Orientation timetable**
   - [www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents](http://www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents)

#### ON ARRIVAL AT UCD

8. **Attend orientation events from 1-9 September.** Check your Orientation timetable carefully.
   - [www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents](http://www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents)

9. **Finalise your module choices and complete your registration**
   - (by 23 September)
   - Follow email instructions you receive

10. **Check your timetable and start attending lectures from Monday, 12 September**
    - [www.ucd.ie/sisweb](http://www.ucd.ie/sisweb)

11. **Know where to go for support**
    - [www.ucd.ie/students](http://www.ucd.ie/students)

12. **Get to know your Students’ Union**
    - They’re here to help!
    - [www.ucdsu.ie](http://www.ucdsu.ie)

13. **Get involved in UCD life**
    - [www.ucd.ie/studentcentre](http://www.ucd.ie/studentcentre)

14. **Make sure you read...** The Student Charter, Student Code, Academic Regulations, Student Email Protocol and Smoke-free Campus Policy
    - [www.ucd.ie/students](http://www.ucd.ie/students)
BEFORE YOU ARRIVE

1. ACCEPT YOUR OFFER
   Follow your email instructions

2. GET SOCIAL!
   www.ucd.ie/social-media
   Use the hashtag #helloucd to connect with other students joining UCD this year. Check out the list of UCD-related social media sites (page 26) and keep up to date with the latest news and events from around the University.

3. ARRANGE YOUR ACCOMMODATION
   www.ucd.ie/residences
   www.ucdadaccommodationpad.ie
   If you have been offered a place in UCD accommodation, follow the instructions emailed to you by UCD Residences very carefully. If you don’t get a place on campus, check out the following links for accommodation off campus:
   www.housinganywhere.com
   www.ucd.ie/noticeboard
   www.ucdsu.ie
   www.findahome.ie
   www.daft.ie

4. BEGIN ONLINE REGISTRATION
   Make sure you upload your photo before before the 31 August deadline so that you can collect your UCD Student Card (UCARD) during Orientation Week.

5. GO TO UCD CONNECT
   www.ucd.ie/connect
   Three working days after you accept your offer, go to www.ucd.ie/connect
   This will give you access to a number of services including SISWeb and UCD email. Click on the relevant icon and enter your username and password when asked. Your username is your UCD student number.
   PASSWORD
   If you have already created a password for SISWeb, please use that. Otherwise, your default password is your date of birth (in the format ddmmyy).
   See page 8 for more details.

6. CHECK OUT UCD’S JARGON BUSTER
   www.ucd.ie/students/jargon.html
   Wondering what’s the difference between a core module and an elective module? The jargon buster will explain words and phrases you’ll hear used in UCD.
FINALISE YOUR MODULE CHOICES
Module registration closes at 5pm on Friday, 23 September so make sure you have registered to enough credits and that you have registered to any labs and tutorials by that date. You will have a chance to change your choice of modules for Semester 2 in early January. Keep an eye on www.ucd.ie/students/keydates for updates.

PLAN YOUR TIME CAREFULLY
The first few weeks of term will be a busy time for you, so make sure you plan your time carefully to make the most of everything that UCD has to offer.

PRINT YOUR ORIENTATION TIMETABLE
www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents
Make sure you print your personalised Orientation timetable which is available on the Current Students section of the UCD website. You’ll also find maps and information about transport.

ATTEND ORIENTATION
www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents
International Orientation runs from Thursday 1 September and is an essential part of your becoming a UCD student, so make sure you check your Orientation timetable carefully. Orientation includes the President’s Welcome, Programme Advisory sessions, UCD Student Card (UCARD) collection, Library Tour, IT induction and lots more activities to help you make friends and to find your way around UCD.

CHECK YOUR TIMETABLE
www.ucd.ie/sisweb
Important information on module content and assessments is presented at the first lecture of each module - don’t miss it!
There is much to enjoy at university, but it can also be difficult and stressful at times. If you have any problems while you’re here, there are people to help you. The different types of support are listed on page 15 and also available at www.ucd.ie/students (under Student Services Directory) or call in to see us in the International Office.

There are more than a hundred clubs and societies in UCD, covering activities from debating and creative writing to juggling and dancing, and everything in between. Find a club, society or group that interests you, and join it. And don’t miss out on the opportunity to get involved during Freshers’ Week (19 - 23 September).
Deadline for uploading photo for UCD Student Card (UCARD)

The International Orientation runs from Thursday, 1 September to Friday 9 September, so make sure you check your Orientation timetable carefully.

Semester 1 classes begin

Freshers’ Week

Module registration closes at 5pm

Semester 1 exam timetable published

End of Semester 1 classes

Revision week

Semester 1 exams begin (incl. Saturday, 17 December)

Semester 1 exams finish
SEMESTER 2

16 JAN  Orientation Week for incoming students
23 JAN  Semester 2 classes begin
25 JAN  Semester 1 provisional exam results
03 FEB  Module registration closes at 5pm
16 FEB  Semester 1 final exam results
13 MAR  Fieldwork/study period (2 weeks)
27 MAR  Semester 2 classes resume
30 MAR  Semester 2 exam timetable published
28 APR  Semester 2 classes end
29 APR  Revision week
08 MAY  Semester 2 exams begin (incl. Saturday, 13 May)
19 MAY  Semester 2 exams finish
09 JUN  Semester 2 provisional exam results
29 JUN  Semester 2 final exam results
Two of the most important things to do during Orientation Week are to say 'Hello' to other new students and to get involved in all the activities.

Your personalised Orientation Week timetable can be found at www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents

You will have received a social events schedule in your welcome pack. It is also available at www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents
WHAT HAPPENS DURING ORIENTATION?

- You have the opportunity to **make new friends** and get to know people.

- **UCD Orientation Guides** (dressed in blue t-shirts) will help you to familiarise yourself with the campus and UCD services.

- You will meet your lecturers, tutors and staff in the School and Programme Offices.

- As you will have begun your registration to your programme, Orientation Week gives you the opportunity to receive **academic advice** to help you finalise your choice of modules so you have your timetable in place before the first day of lectures.

- We introduce you to all the **student services** at UCD and what they offer you.

- You collect your **UCD Student Card** (UCARD) which is required for accessing the library and other on-campus services. You will be emailed instructions about where and when to collect your UCARD.

- You visit the **Students’ Union** tent to learn about its services and activities.

- You will attend the President’s Welcome ceremony for international students to mark the official start to your UCD career.

- There are also lots of **fun activities** during the week, including a comedy debate, a food fair, movie nights, sports tournaments, gigs, the Orientation Barbecue, Res Céilí and the International Student Welcome Reception.

- The best thing is that **Orientation doesn’t stop there**. There will be more events all through the first semester to help you settle into your programme.
IT SERVICES IN UCD

DISCOVER IT STUDENT EVENT

The Discover IT Student Event runs for the duration of Orientation Week and is held in the Daedalus Building on the Belfield campus. This interactive event will show you all of the IT services available at UCD and give you an opportunity to meet your IT Team.

Remember if you get stuck at any stage, check www.ucd.ie/it for help and information on our IT systems as well as useful hints and tips.

UCD CONNECT
ACCESS TO IMPORTANT SERVICES

Each student in UCD is provided with a UCD Connect account, so you have access to key online services from anywhere, whether you are on campus, at home or abroad. Through UCD Connect, you get unlimited combined Gmail and Google Drive storage plus a personal calendar with your student timetable in it.

Useful tip: Sync these to your smartphone, so you have easy access to information wherever you are!

You also have access to the University’s eLearning environment (Blackboard), where you can submit assignments, check announcements, and use wikis and blogs. Software applications are available to download or stream from Application Jukebox on UCD Connect.

Your initial login to applications in UCD Connect is your UCD student number and your default password* is your date of birth (ddmmyy).

(* If you have already created a SISWeb password, use that to log in.)

Ensure the Anti-Virus software on your laptop is up to date. Sophos Anti Virus is available free to all registered students.

Your personalised UCD email address will be used for official UCD correspondence including a fortnightly student e-zine and academic and exams information. Please make sure that you check it regularly.

! Your security is your own responsibility so make sure you change your password on first login and remember to use a strong password. There is a change password tool in UCD Connect. Never share your username or password.
Before arriving on campus you can download a free app called ‘UCD Mobile’ for both Apple and Android devices. It includes an interactive map of the campus, (with an augmented-reality view of locations for iPhone users), handy access to Blackboard content and announcements (Blackboard Mobile Learn) as well as a library catalogue search function, news updates, an events calendar, sports fixtures and much more!
Before you begin the academic year at UCD, you will need to fully register with the University. Registration allows you to obtain your UCD Student Card (UCARD) and gain access to the wide range of facilities available to our students.

As an incoming international student you will be able to go online from late August to confirm registration and complete Step 1 - Personal Information. Please follow the instructions that will be emailed to you.

**STEP 1
PERSONAL INFORMATION**

This is where you confirm your personal details, upload your photo for your UCD Student Card (UCARD) and pay your fees if applicable.

**STEP 2
MODULE REGISTRATION**

Follow email instructions
GETTING STARTED

1. **GO TO UCD CONNECT**

   Go to [www.ucd.ie/connect](http://www.ucd.ie/connect) and click on the SISWeb icon.

2. **LOG INTO SISWEB**

   If you have not already created a SISweb password, your default password is your date of birth (in the format ddmmyy). If your password is your date of birth, make sure you change it to something more secure on first login.

3. **AGREE TO THE UCD TERMS & CONDITIONS**

   When you enter the registration system for the first time you will be required to agree to the Terms & Conditions of the University. This is the start of becoming a registered student so make sure you read them carefully.
You are now in the Welcome to UCD page where you will see a brief explanation of what you need to do to complete your registration. Click on the CONTINUE button to begin Step 1 of your registration.

**STEP 1**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

**ENTER THE REGISTRATION PROCESS TO CONFIRM YOUR REGISTRATION**

On this page, click on the ENTER REGISTRATION PROCESS menu item.

This will confirm registration to your programme for 2016/17.

**CONFIRM YOUR DETAILS**

**ANSWER A SHORT SURVEY**

**PAY YOUR FEES** (IF APPLICABLE)

**UPLOAD YOUR UCARD PHOTO**

**VIEW YOUR SUMMARY**
THINGS TO WATCH OUT FOR

! Some information, such as name and date of birth, cannot be changed online. To change these details, go to the Student Desk (Tierney Building) with your passport or birth certificate and they will make the change.

! If the name on your passport/birth certificate does not match the one used on your application, then you may not be able to collect your UCD Student Card (UCARD) until after your name has been updated on your student record.

! If your term address and/or phone number is different to your home address, make sure to enter it.

! Enter your emergency contact details in the fields provided.

! In the fees section, check how much you are required to pay now and enter that amount (or the full amount if preferable) into the box provided. You can pay online using a credit or debit card.

! Make sure you upload your photo by the 31 August deadline so that you can collect your UCD Student Card (UCARD) during Orientation Week.

! Guidelines on how to upload your photo, as well as the correct size and format of the photo, are available at www.ucd.ie/ucard

! If you register late (i.e. from Monday, 5 September onwards), your UCARD will be available for collection one working day after you have completed Step 1 of online registration.

FEES INFORMATION

HOW TO PAY FEES IF APPLICABLE

You can pay online through online registration (SISWeb) using a debit/credit card

A third party (parent/sponsor) can pay on your behalf. Visit www.ucd.ie/fees and click on ‘Third Party Payment’

STEP 2

MODULE REGISTRATION

Instructions regarding your Module Registration will be emailed to you by your UCD coordinator.
When you become a UCD student, you join a community that values honesty, integrity, dignity and respect. The UCD Student Charter and Student Code outline the role you play and how you are expected to act while in UCD.

It is important that you familiarise yourself with the University Regulations before you begin your life here in UCD.

UCD STUDENT CHARTER
The Student Charter sets out the roles and responsibilities of the various groups within our University and outlines what you can expect from your University and what the University can expect from its student members.

UCD STUDENT CODE
The Student Code establishes the University’s expectations in respect of student behaviour and conduct.

UCD STUDENT EMAIL PROTOCOL
Remember to check your UCD email account frequently so that you don’t miss out on important information from the University. We use your UCD email address for all official communication with you. The full student email protocol can be found at the link below.

UCD ACADEMIC REGULATIONS
Your studies in UCD are governed by a set of overarching rules called Academic Regulations. These regulations are supported by academic policy, procedures and guidelines. For ease of use, there is also a quick reference user’s guide to the regulations available which allows you to search for topics in an FAQ format.

UCD EXAM REGULATIONS
UCD has examination procedures and regulations in place so make sure that you are aware of the rules.

UCD SMOKE-FREE CAMPUS POLICY
UCD is committed to working toward a smoke free campus. This is being implemented on a phased basis. From September 2016 all built-up areas of the campus are prescribed as smoke-free zones. Your cooperation not to smoke/vape in these areas is appreciated.

You will find a copy of these regulations in the Student Services Directory on the Current Students area of the website, under University Regulations.

www.ucd.ie/students
STUDENT SUPPORT

INTERNATIONAL OFFICE
www.ucd.ie/international
UCD International offers a wide range of support services to international students as well as to Irish students wishing to study abroad on exchange programmes.

SCHOOL OFFICES
www.ucd.ie/colleges
Each subject area belongs within a School. For example, any mathematical modules will belong to UCD School of Mathematics and Statistics. You should approach the administrative staff within the School Office if you have difficulties which are specific to those modules.

STUDENT DESK
www.ucd.ie/studentdesk
Call in to see us in the Tierney Building if you need some help. Module registration, SISWeb access, fees and form stamping are just some of the services we provide. You can also get official documents such as Certificates of Attendance, Statements, and Official Transcripts online via your SISWeb account, under the Registration, Fees & Assessment tab. You can also contact us through the Student Desk Connector (www.ucd.ie/studentdesk/contact) or call us on 01 716 1555. For opening hours, check www.ucd.ie/studentdesk

STUDENT ADVISERS
www.ucd.ie/studentadvisers
Student Advisers provide support for all students but particularly first years. They are here to help you make your time at UCD as fulfilling and enjoyable as possible. You can call to see them in relation to personal, social or practical issues. From simple requests for information to more confidential and serious matters, Student Advisers will give you the time and space to talk things through.

ACCESS CENTRE - DISABILITY SUPPORT
www.ucd.ie/openingworlds/disability
The UCD Access Centre provides a range of support for students with disabilities. Please email disability@ucd.ie for more information.

STUDENTS’ UNION
www.ucdsu.ie
As a UCD student you automatically become a member of the Students’ Union. See page 22 for more details.

UCD has many people available to help with your queries.
Here is a sample of the best places to go for different types of queries.

**I NEED ACADEMIC ADVICE/REGISTRATION GUIDANCE ABOUT MY MODULES**
Contact your UCD coordinator

**I HAVE A DISABILITY/LEARNING DIFFICULTY**
UCD Access Centre - Disability Support
www.ucd.ie/disability

**I’VE GOT A PERSONAL PROBLEM**
Student Adviser
www.ucd.ie/studentadvisers

**I’VE LOST MY UCD STUDENT CARD (UCARD)**
UCARD Bureau
www.ucd.ie/ucard

**I HAVE AN URGENT MEDICAL PROBLEM**
Student Health Service
www.ucd.ie/stuhealth

**I NEED A TRANSCRIPT/CERT OF ATTENDANCE**
Available online
www.ucd.ie/sisweb or
www.ucd.ie/studentdesk

**I WANT TO REPORT AN EMERGENCY ON CAMPUS**
Ext. 7999 or (01) 716 7999
www.ucd.ie/estates

**I’M AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT WITH VISA PROBLEMS**
UCD International
www.ucd.ie/international
I HAVE A PROBLEM WITH MY UCD ACCOMMODATION
Student Residences (Resident Assistant)
www.ucd.ie/residences

I HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT MY FEES
Contact your UCD coordinator

I'VE BEEN SICK AND CAN'T DO ALL MY ASSESSMENTS
Contact your UCD co-ordinator

I WANT TO GET IN TOUCH WITH OTHER STUDENTS FROM MY COUNTRY
UCD International
www.ucd.ie/international

I'M IN FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES
Student Adviser
www.ucd.ie/studentadvisers

I WANT TO JOIN A SOCIETY TO MEET NEW PEOPLE
UCD Societies
www.ucdsocieties.com

I WANT TO LEAVE UCD
Contact your UCD coordinator

FOR ADVICE ON ALL OF THE ABOVE
Student Adviser
www.ucd.ie/studentadvisers
UCD has a population of around 30,000 people and is home to all of the facilities you’d expect to find in a small town. You’ll find almost everything you need on campus, including shops, cafés, a post office, a bank, a bicycle shop, a barber, a medical centre, a pharmacy and much more. Of course, life at university is not just about lectures and study; there is so much more to being at UCD.

UCD STUDENT CENTRE

You will find that sports, societies and social life are vital ingredients of your university experience. The Student Centre, UCD Sport and the UCD Sport & Fitness complex are the home of student life on campus. This recently completed development provides our students with the most diverse student facility of any university in Ireland. Facilities in the Student Centre include a state-of-the-art 3D cinema, a drama theatre, a debating chamber and a 600-seat auditorium. Visit www.ucd.ie/studentcentre for more information.

UCD SPORT AND FITNESS

UCD Students are entitled to free gym membership and discounted swim membership, to register for the gym and take your online induction, visit www.ucd.ie/sportandfitness

Campus Garda Office
www.ucd.ie/estates

Childcare
www.ucd.ie/creche

Campus Services
www.ucd.ie/estates

Bord na Gaeilge UCD
www.ucd.ie/bnag

Disability Support
www.ucd.ie/disability

Campus Bookshop
www.campusbookshopucd.com

Career Development Centre
www.ucd.ie/careers

Computer Facilities/IT Services
www.ucd.ie/itservices

Health Service
www.ucd.ie/stuhealth

Shops and Restaurants
www.ucd.ie/catering/facilities.html

Bank
AIB has a branch on campus
For many students at UCD, sport is an important part of life and we hope that you will continue this when you join us. With over 55 official sports clubs, excellent facilities and a huge programme of fitness classes, including the Get-in-Gear programme, there is something for everyone. Sporting facilities include 12 natural grass pitches, including the UCD Bowl - home ground to both the UCD RFC and the UCD AFC - a 50 metre swimming pool, three gyms, squash courts, three multi-purpose sports halls, five-a-side and full size synthetic pitches, as well as the National Hockey Stadium. To see the full list of clubs and facilities, visit the UCD Sport website www.ucd.ie/sport and Facebook page www.facebook.com/ucdsport. And don’t miss the Sports Expo which takes place during Freshers’ Week (19 - 23 September).

STUDENT LOCKERS
www.ucd.ie/estates
Lockers are available to rent for the academic year in the main teaching buildings. Lockers can be booked online through SISWeb using your UCD Student Card (UCARD).

LOST & FOUND
The lost and found office is located in Campus Services on the ground floor at the side of the Agriculture Building.

LIBRARY
www.ucd.ie/library/newstudents
UCD Library provides information resources, study space and friendly staff support for all UCD students. We have five libraries which feature staffed service desks as well as self-service loans and renewals, and a laptop loan service. A dedicated online guide for new students will help you become familiar with our website and our services and facilities, which include silent and social study spaces with full wireless connectivity. Your UCD Student Card (UCARD) is your library card – you’ll need this to enter and exit the library, borrow books or borrow a laptop. Be sure to enter our competition for new students too - see www.ucd.ie/library/competitions for details.

SOCIETIES
www.ucdsocieties.com
Meeting people and making friends is one of the most important parts of life, especially at university. UCD has over 70 societies that offer students opportunities in everything from public speaking to drama, juggling, event management, national and international cultures and volunteering. Societies run events throughout the year, so visit our website www.ucdsocieties.com, tweet us @UCDSocieties or follow us on Facebook.com/UCDSocieties and don’t miss out on your first opportunity to get involved during Freshers’ Week (19 - 23 September).

For a full list of facilities available to you in UCD, visit www.ucd.ie/students
The Belfield campus is located 4km from Dublin city centre on the N11. There are many travel options from various parts of the city, the local suburbs and indeed the whole country.

### PUBLIC TRANSPORT TO UCD

**DUBLIN BUS**
There are many bus routes servicing the Belfield campus. Check out the new students section of the UCD website which has links to bus routes in and out of the Belfield campus.

[www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents](http://www.ucd.ie/students/newstudents)  [www.dublinbus.ie](http://www.dublinbus.ie)

**IRISH RAIL**
The DART will take you north to Howth and Malahide and south to Greystones. A shuttle bus operates from Sydney Parade to UCD during term time.

[www.ucd.ie/commuting](http://www.ucd.ie/commuting)  [www.irishrail.ie](http://www.irishrail.ie)

**LUAS**
The Green LUAS line, at Windy Arbour and Milltown, is also within walking distance.

[www.luas.ie](http://www.luas.ie)

**AIRCOACH/DUBLIN AIRPORT**
Aircoach is a bus service from Dublin Airport to the city centre and UCD Campus. It passes by the main entrance to UCD on the Stillorgan Road.

[www.aircoach.ie](http://www.aircoach.ie)  [www.dublinairport.com](http://www.dublinairport.com)

**TAXI**
The Hailo App is available as a free download from the App Store and Google Play for both iOS and Android devices.

[www.hailoapp.com](http://www.hailoapp.com)

### CYCLE APPS

**CYCLE PLANNER**
Find the best route for you - choose a direct route, an easier route or to avoid hills!

[www.transportforireland.ie](http://www.transportforireland.ie)

**DUBLIN BIKES**
Find your nearest docking station and bike availability

[www.dublinbikes.ie](http://www.dublinbikes.ie)
COMMUTING TO UCD BY CAR:
Parking is limited on campus and available on a first come first served basis. Car parks are designated permit parking or hourly paid. Eligible UCD Community members (including students) may apply for a parking permit at a charge of €50 for the academic year 2016/17. For full details and to apply see www.ucd.ie/commuting

Traffic calming barriers are in place to prevent through traffic and operate from 7am to 10.30am and from 4pm to 7.30pm Monday to Friday.

Car sharing - join UCD’s free Car sharing group and save money by sharing journeys.
See www.carsharing.ie/ucd

GoCar - UCD provides a GoBase for GoCars and free parking for GoCars.

E-car - charging points are available on campus.

UCD strongly encourages the use of public transport where possible.

JOURNEYPLANNER
Use the National Transport Authority’s journey planner to plan your journey by train, bus, tram, taxi and by foot. You can change searching options and search how to get from point A to B anywhere in Dublin.
www.journeyplanner.transportforireland.ie

Remember to use your Leap Card to make savings on public transport! One card for bus, Luas and train. www.leapcard.ie

You can also save money on transport with a Student Travel Card. www.studenttravelcard.ie

REAL-TIME APPS

DUBLIN BUS
www.dublinbus.ie
Find out when the next bus is due

REAL TIME IRELAND
www.transportforireland.ie
Real time arrival information for bus, train and Luas
HOW YOUR STUDENTS' UNION WORKS FOR YOU

APPROX 30,000 STUDENT MEMBERS
(WHO REPRESENT YOU!)

OVER 200 CLASS REPS
MEETS WITH

CONSULTS
ELECT

8 COLLEGE OFFICERS
(ELECTED BY YOU)

8 COLLEGE OFFICERS
LIASES WITH

5 SABBATICAL OFFICERS
WORKS FOR

Co-ordinates
CLASS REPS ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT PART OF UCDSU.

Our main job is to make life easier for students and to make sure they’re having a bit of craic.

It’s up to us to sort out any problems between the class and our lecturers.

We speak on behalf of our class at SU Council, where decisions are made and free food is eaten.

We also run all types of events from protests to parties with the help of the SU staff.

IF YOU THINK THIS IS YOU, GRAB A FORM FROM YOUR SU!
Well! My name is Conor Viscardi, from the Kingdom (just putting it out there) and I am your Students’ Union President for the upcoming year. I’m a second year History and Geography student. I look forward to representing you, the UCD student body, by enabling us to reach our potential as a vibrant and engaged student community.

Call Conor on 01 7163110 or email president@ucdsu.ie

Hi there! I’m a HistPol student from Dublin and your Education Officer. I’m here to provide advice in academic affairs and to point you in the right direction if there are hiccups along the way. If you’re uncertain or worried about anything academic, pop in to me for a chat!

Call Lexi on 01 7163122 or email education@ucdsu.ie

As Graduate Officer, I deal with issues arising for postgrads in UCD, including: advice on modules, theses, obtaining much needed extensions and postgrad travel expenses. You will see me hovering around the Belfield campus and the usual appearance down in Smurfit.

Call Cian on 01 7163113 or email graduate@ucdsu.ie

I’m Róisín (Ró, Rois, RoRo etc) from Tipperary. I’ve just finished my degree in Midwifery so I’m well used to helping people out! University is a big transition to make, and I’m here to help so if you need a chat, some reassurance or advice pop into my office or make an appointment to see me.

Call Róisín on 01 7163112 or email welfare@ucdsu.ie

I’m loud, tall and usually known for wearing a snapback. I have recently finished the second year of my Arts Degree. If you see me bopping about, be sure to say hello. You’ll most likely see me galavanting on our Snapchat: UCDSU. p.s. I may look like a hipster but I promise I’m not...

Call Luke on 01 7163111 or email campaigns@ucdsu.ie
Here are some UCD-related social media sites that we recommend to our undergraduate students. Visit www.ucd.ie/social-media for a full list. Use the hashtag #helloUCD to connect with other students joining UCD this year.

/UNIVERSITYCOLLEGEDUBLIN
Keep up to date with news, events and updates via this Facebook home of the University, aimed at students, staff, community and prospective students.

/UCDREGISTRY
A wide range of support and services spanning the entire academic process: for updates on registration, exams, timetables this is worth a follow.

/STUDENTCENTRE
For updates, events and news about your hub for student sports, societies and fun on campus.

/UCDINTERNATIONAL
News, events and support for the international student community.

/UCDLIBRARY
Like our page and get news on Library events, collections and services.

@UCDUBLIN
The voice of UCD on Twitter: sharing news and relevant updates from around the University.

@UCDSTUDENTDESK
Updates and information on registration, fees, exams and Student Desk news.

@UCDINTERNAT
Updates and news for international students.

@UCDSTUDENTCENTR
News about sports, societies and events on campus.

@UCDLIBRARY
Follow us for updates on Library news and our collections and services.

FOLLOW YOUR COURSE
Many UCD Colleges (e.g. Science) and Schools (e.g. School of Archaeology) have a dedicated Facebook and/or Twitter presence. It’s a great way to find out what your lecturers, researchers and fellow students are up to. Have a look on www.ucd.ie/collegesandschools, go to your School page and look for their ‘find us on’ icons.

MYUCD
Guest lectures, college events, research discoveries and more are updated here. Check out the playlists for a great archive of past videos relating to your university.

UCDUBLIN
Check out Instagram for pictures of campus life. Why not tag #ucd #universitycollegedublin and #helloucd in your pictures too.
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