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Global Engagement Master's Partnership Pathway Programme

The Global Engagement Master's Partnership Pathway (GEMPP) Programmes offer students the best way to prepare for their world class UCD master's degree through a combination of academic, language, cultural and study skills modules.

PROGRAMME SUMMARY

The GEMPP Programmes offer the flexibility of a one trimester programme starting in January (3+0.5+1) or a two trimester (3+1+1) programme beginning in September. Students will attend English for Academic Purposes classes and modules relevant to their academic subject area. Students will also have the opportunity to take thesis preparation, cultural, and creative thinking modules while acclimatising to life in UCD before commencing their master's studies.

GEMPP students must meet the academic entry requirements of their chosen master's. GEMPP students achieving the progression requirements will automatically receive a full offer for their master's. Progression requirements for different UCD master's programmes may vary. All necessary credits will be transferred to students' home universities after completing the programme.

For further information on progression requirements and for a list of master's available through our GEMPP Programme, please visit www.ucd.ie/cegl/programmes/pathways/ge%20pmp/

WHY STUDY AT UCD?

Tradition



Established 1854, with over 160 years of teaching & research excellence

Global Profile



UCD is ranked in the top 1% of higher education institutions worldwide

Global Community



Over 8,400 international students from over 140 countries study at UCD

Global careers



Degrees with high employability; dedicated careers support; two-year stay-back visa (for non-EU students)

Safety



Modern parkland campus with 24-hour security, minutes from Dublin city centre

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Programme	Length	English Language Requirements*	Date	Tuition Fees
3+1+1	2 trimesters	IELTS 5.5 (with no band less than 5.0)	September - May	€ 13,650
3+0.5+1	1 trimesters	IELTS 6.0 (with no band less than 5.5)	January - May	€ 8,820

*Please Note: Some GEMPP Programmes require higher English language scores. For further information contact premasters@ucd.ie





COURSE CONTENT

Core Modules	Credits	Option Modules	Credits
Trimester 1		Trimester 1 (choose 1)	
Academic Listening & Speaking I	10	Modern Ireland: Culture and Society	5
Academic Reading & Writing I	10	Creative Thinking & Innovation	5
1 academic module (related to chosen master's)	5		
Trimester 2*		Trimester 2* (choose 1)	
Academic Listening & Speaking II	7.5	Modern Ireland: Culture and Society	5
Academic Reading & Writing II	7.5	Creative Thinking & Innovation	5
1 or 2 academic modules (related to chosen master's)	5/10	Thesis Planning, Writing & Presentation	5

***Please Note:** Students on the 3+0.5+1 programme start in trimester 2 and take trimester 2 modules only.



Graduate Profile

**Weihao Meng, GEMPP UCD-BUCT
Progressed to MEngSc Biopharmaceutical
Engineering and PhD**

I am a master student majoring in Biopharmaceutical Engineering. I joined premaster in 2018 by UCD-BUCT program. This year's English for academic purposes (EAP) education has significant influence on my future career development.

This project enabled me to perform better in my master's courses, including communication with teachers and group discussions. Moreover, I have also made great progress in academic writing which means a lot for a master student. At present,

I am applying for PhD position. The education in premaster is the cornerstone of my future academic career.

In 2022/23, **100%** of GEMPP students met the progression requirements for their master's

APPLY NOW Start your application at www.ucd.ie/apply

OPPORTUNITIES:

In addition to their classes, GEMPP students have unique opportunities to connect with the UCD community and explore Ireland, including:

- Meeting with academics or representatives from their master's
- 10% scholarship awarded towards master's tuition upon successful completion
- Career and Industry talks
- Day trips exploring Ireland's breathtaking scenery
- Option to change your masters during the GEMPP

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