



ACCE

Summary of meeting of 25 February 2021

1. ACCE approved the minutes of the meeting of 28 January 2021.
2. ACCE approved the Summary Notes from the meeting on 28 January 2021.
3. ACCE received advance notice and gave comments on the Spring Trimester Assessment plans.
4. ACCE noted potential conflicts of interest or perceived conflicts of interest.
5. ACCE noted the appointment of a Research Degree Examination Committee previously on hold from the meeting held on 28 January 2021 (Research Degree Examination Committee approved by ACCE Chair on behalf of ACCE on 3.2.2021).
6. ACCE noted that AAC did not uphold an appeal.
7. ACCE noted the response to degree report queries from the meeting held on 28 January 2021.
8. ACCE noted an Emergency Change of Chair request approved by ACCE Chair on behalf of ACCE 16.2.2021.
9. ACCE noted Exceptional Change of Grades approved by ACCE sub-committee (*no. of changes approved by ACCE sub-committee :109*).
10. ACCE members shared experience of student assessment misconduct. ACCE will notify the Registrar, UMT and UCD Legal of this.
11. ACCE was updated on a Supplemental Subject Extern document by ACCE to assist in alignment with Subject Register to bring to ACEC in March.
12. ACCE received an overview of the eThesis Exam System Masterclass held on 16.2.2021
13. ACCE noted the data on degree processing by ACCE available in Committee files.
14. ACCE reviewed PhD reports and approved awards of research degrees in the College of Science (*no. of candidates approved: 1*); and College of Social Sciences and Law (*no. of candidates approved: 1*).
15. ACCE reviewed a Research Masters report and approved award of the research degree in the College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no. of candidates approved: 1*).
16. ACCE reviewed eThesis PhD reports and approved awards of research degrees in the College of Engineering and Architecture (*no. of candidates approved: 7*); College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no.of candidates approved: 4*); College of Science (*no. of*

candidates approved: 6); and College of Social Sciences and Law (*no. of candidates approved: 3*).

17. ACCE reviewed eThesis Research Masters reports and approved awards of research degrees in the College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no. of candidates approved: 1*) and College of Science (*no. of candidates approved: 3*).
18. ACCE reviewed an eThesis DVMS report and approved award of the research degree in the College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no. of candidates approved: 1*).
19. ACCE did not receive any late submission reports.
20. ACCE approved the appointment of Intern Examiners, Taught Modules (*no. of Intern Examiners approved: 187*).
21. ACCE approved the appointment of Research Degree Examination Committees (*no. of Research Degree Examination Committees approved: 39*).
22. ACCE declined one Research Degree Examination Committee appointment.
23. ACCE noted two Change of Chairs of Research Degree Examination Committees.
24. ACCE approved the appointment of Subject Extern Examiners (*no. of Subject Extern Examiners approved: 4*).
25. ACCE approved the appointment of Subject Extern Examiners (*no. of Subject Extern Examiners approved: 4*).
26. ACCE approved the appointment of NCAD Subject Extern Examiners (*no. of NCAD Subject Extern Examiners approved: 2*).
27. ACCE was updated on Online Assessment Workgroup activities.
28. ACCE approved Exceptional Change of Grades (*no. of changes approved: 8*).

NOTE: This is an informal summary of an ACCE meeting. It does not in any way prejudice the official minutes of the meeting, which will be presented to the next ordinary meeting of the ACCE and which are the sole authoritative record of ACCE business.