

# SSRA KEY DATES – 2026

Date	Event	Time/Location
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Deadline for new project submissions – <b>SUPERVISORS ONLY</b>	-
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2026	Ethics Workshop	3pm - 4pm B004 Health Science Centre
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	Introduction to SSRA & Research Master Class (registration details, communication skills and research methodology session)	9.15am - 12.30pm C004 Health Science Centre
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2026	Last Date for Commencement of SSRA 2026 Projects	12.00pm   Brightspace
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026	Submission of Ethics Declaration Form in Brightspace	
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2026	Mid-SSRA Review	1.00pm - 2.00pm   Brightspace
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> August 2026	Submission: Abstract: Assignment 1 in Brightspace (All students) Research Report: Assignment 2 in Brightspace (Credit students only)	12.00pm Brightspace Assignment 1 & 2
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> August 2026	Submission: 1) letter and 2) presentation heroes	12.00pm   Brightspace
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026	Submission: Poster PDF: Assignment 3 in Brightspace (All students) <b>Supervisors Report:</b> emailed by supervisors to <a href="mailto:ssra@ucd.ie">ssra@ucd.ie</a> (Credit students only)	12.00pm   Brightspace Assignment 3
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2026	Communication workshop	12.00pm - 2pm Charles Seminar Room – Charles Institute
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2026	3-minute pitch of research (no visual aids or slides)	12.00pm - 2pm Charles Seminar Room – Charles Institute
<b><u>SSRA STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PRINTING / PAYMENT OF A0 POSTER</u></b>		
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2026	All Students to display posters	Time TBC O'Brien Centre for Science
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> September 2026	SSRA 2025 Poster Adjudication / Presentation   <b>All SSRA STUDENTS</b>	5.30pm - 9.00pm O'Brien Centre for Science
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> September 2026	SSRA Gold Medal Finalists - communication preparation	12.00pm - 2pm Charles Seminar Room – Charles Institute
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026	All Students to display posters	Time TBC - O'Brien Centre for Science
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September 2026	SSRA Gold Medal Final Reception and Presentations   <b>All SSRA STUDENTS</b>	5:30 pm - 9pm   O'Brien Centre for Science