



YOUR UCD STUDENT UPDATE

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UCD Smurfit School Virtual Open Evening



Wednesday, 17 April from 2.30pm: Our Business Masters and MBA Virtual Open Evening will showcase the range of programmes on offer to both business and non-business graduates. Meet virtually with lecturers, our admissions team, alumni, students and our careers team. Register via our [website](#).



What's your Opinion on how UCD Communicates with you?

We want to hear what you think about how UCD communicates what's happening in the University with students. Join us for a focus group where you can share your thoughts and shape how UCD will communicate with students in the future.

Refreshments will be provided [Sign up today!](#)

Volunteer at Hope Fest



We are looking for volunteers for this year's Hope Fest, UCD in the Community's annual event for those experiencing homelessness. Hope Fest will take place in the Iveagh Gardens on **Saturday, 11 May from 12pm to 3pm**. Sign up to volunteer via our [form](#).



UCD Relay for Life Survivors lap

The opening of [Relay for Life](#) is marked by the Survivor's lap at **12pm on Wednesday, 10 April** in the Student Quad and we are inviting any cancer survivors/ anyone living with cancer and their carers to come along and participate.



UCD Student Feedback Surveys - NOW OPEN!

Do you have an opinion on your modules and teaching this trimester? Share your opinion through your Student Feedback Surveys! Surveys are available in Brightspace, email invitation or by going to ucd.surveys.evasysplus.ie. [Have your say today!](#)



Free film screening of Blade Runner (1982): Thursday, 11 April, C215 Newman, 5.30pm

Free popcorn and refreshments from 5pm! Join us for this special screening as part of AI Awareness Week.



Summer volunteering at UCD Festival

Looking to connect with new faces while giving back to the UCD community? Sign up to volunteer at the UCD Festival on **Saturday, 8 June** and help to make the day a vibrant, fun, and exciting experience! Sign up [here](#).

Secure your ticket for the UCD Community Concert today - LAST CHANCE TO BUY ONLINE



Join a host of staff and students performing in O'Reilly Hall on **Tuesday, 9 April, 7:00pm** in a musical extravaganza! UCD Dance & Musical Societies, UCD Community Choir and Teach na Gaeilge performances along with special guests. In aid of the UCD Volunteers Overseas programme and work of UCD Centre for Emergency Medicine in Ukraine. Tickets €20 including tea and coffee. [Book today!](#)



AI Student Forum, Red Room, UCD Student Centre: Wednesday, 10 April, 10am-4pm

Questions on Generative AI? Come to our student forum for talks, live demos and free food! Talks: **10am-12pm**, repeated **2pm-4pm**. All welcome – drop in anytime throughout the day.



Online talk for AI Awareness Week: Tuesday, 9 April, 1pm

'Exploring GenAI's Role in Education and Research: A Progressive Step or a Double-Edged Sword?'. Dr Polat Goktas, Senior AI Researcher, UCD School of Computer Science. All welcome!



Round table: Gender discrimination in the age of AI, Tuesday 16 April

Tuesday 16 April: Learn more about the gender equality implications of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in the hybrid round table: "Gender discrimination in the age of AI: An interdisciplinary assessment". Find out more via [this link](#).



Guest lecture: From UCD Engineering to Visual Investigations at the NY Times, Thursday 11 April

Pulitzer Prize-winning engineering graduate Malachy Browne explores innovative reporting practices he employs in his accountability journalism. Malachy co-directed documentaries such as "Day of Rage: How Trump Supporters Took the US Capitol".

UCD PLAN'EAT Living Lab Spring Festival!



Come along for exciting talks, workshops and refreshments in the UCD Village on **Wednesday, 10 April from 12-4pm**. Sign up to hear award winning author, Eoghan Dalton, tell his story about rewilding the Irish countryside from **1pm-2.30pm**. Don't miss out!

UCD VentureLaunch Accelerator Programme 2024 Showcase and Award Evening



VentureLaunch is UCD's annual showcase event where we celebrate UCD innovation and we welcome a new cohort of UCD start-up companies on **Tuesday, 16 April from 5:00pm - 8:00pm** in Moore Auditorium, UCD O'Brien Centre for Science

Need help with your writing assignments? Come to the Writing Centre!



Our Writing Centre tutors can help you with planning, structure, flow, analytical writing, academic phrasing, referencing and more. We are open five days a week, located in the James Joyce Library. Drop in to us or book an appointment on our [website](#).

UCD Teaching and Learning Awards - nominate now



Submit your nomination now for the UCD Teaching and Learning Awards, recognising UCD academics and staff who help students develop and reach their potential. Nominations are anonymous, and you can nominate more than one person.

UCD College of Social Sciences & Law Taught Graduate Webinars 2024



Monday 15 - Thursday 18 April. Find out about studying Social Sciences and Law at graduate level at UCD. Hear about career opportunities in Ireland and abroad. Ask questions to students, alumni and academic staff. Register [NOW](#) to secure your place!

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