


YOUR UCD STUDENT UPDATE

Find out what's happening in your community

25K+	80+	150	50+
STUDENTS	SOCIETIES	EVENTS EACH WEEK	SPORTS CLUBS

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Smarter Travel Campus - Reminder of New Bus Services

Reminder that the new south city [BusConnects orbital routes](#) serving campus; the S4 and S6 are now in operation. Two additional bus stops for the S4 are currently under construction at the Sports Centre and will be available in the coming weeks.



Scheduled SISWeb Downtime

We are updating our Student Information System over the weekend of **15 -16 March 2024**. SISWeb will be unavailable during this period. Brightspace and Library Online Services will still be available. Keep an eye on the [key dates](#) page for details.



Invigilation Application Form - Spring Trimester 2023/24

Applications to work as an Invigilator for the Spring Trimester (May) Examinations are now being accepted. The closing date for receipt of applications is **15 March, 2024**. Further info is available on the Assessment, UCD Registry website [here](#).



UCD Communications Survey - Have your say today!

We would like to know your views on how you like to receive communications from the University. By sharing your opinions with us, you can help the University determine how we connect with students in future. Let us know what you think by completing this [short survey](#) today.



UCD Rugby Daffodil Day - Thursday 7 March

UCD Rugby will host its annual Daffodil Day collection in aid of the Irish Cancer Society on **Thursday 7 March** across the UCD Campus as well as online. To date this annual event has raised over €90,000 of vital funds for Cancer Research. [Donate Now](#).



Sign up to be a Peer Mentor for 2024-25. Applications closing 8 March!

Peer mentors are really important in helping new students settle into university life. As a mentor you'll share your experiences of being a student, connect your mentees with each other, and gain great CV skills. Apply at: [SISweb>Programme Services](#)



Work Life Balance Key at Exam Time

Now that the exam timetable is out, exams are on everyone's mind. Remember to balance your study and work with time for relaxation, friends, exercise and hobbies. If you are feeling overwhelmed, please contact your [Student Adviser](#) or see our [website](#).



Essential Career Skills workshops - open to all students!

[Book](#) into one of our 45-minute careers workshops (offered online or in-person) covering the essential career skills of CVs, Interviews and LinkedIn.



Thursday, 7 March 2024: UCD LGBTQIA+ Community Get-Together

Members of the UCD LGBTQIA+ community and their allies are invited to meet on the **first Thursday of each month** at 5.30pm in the UCD Clubhouse. Join us for chats, laughs and maybe even a dance or two. Everyone is welcome. [Get in touch](#) to find out more.



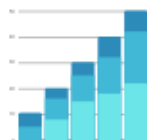
Skillful Transitions: Insights from Graduate Research Alumni

UCD Careers Network are hosting a graduate researcher alumni panel on **Thursday, 7 March** from **5.00-7.00pm** in Ardmore House, with alumni working across sectors. Focus of panel discussions will be on transferable skills and career journey from PhD. [Book a place now](#).



UCD Student Health Service Offers Free MMR Vaccination as Measles Threat Looms

Amid rising measles concerns, a nationwide campaign urges increased MMR vaccine uptake, especially for the unvaccinated or partially vaccinated. UCD Student Health is offering free MMR appointments by calling 01-7163134. More information available [here](#).



Complete the University for All survey now!

We're looking for all students' views on how UCD can be more inclusive. Complete this [survey](#) today and share your thoughts and experiences and be entered into a draw for an iPad/Tablet!



Final call for UCD Alumni Awards Nominations!

The nominations deadline for the UCD Alumni Awards is this **Wednesday, 6 March**, so don't miss your chance to tell us who inspires you by submitting a nomination for a deserving alumnus in one of nine award categories. [Learn More](#)



Exam and Classroom supports available for students with disabilities

If you are a student with a disability and wish to arrange exam and/or classroom supports, please contact disability@ucd.ie by **Friday 12th April 2024**



Have Your Say on Campus Food, Health & Sustainability

Calling all 1st and 2nd year undergraduate students! Join our pioneering Living Lab study-Let's create a healthy and sustainable campus together! Click [here](#) to sign up and learn more about the study and the benefits of being a part of our community!



Newman Centre Annual Lecture 2023/24: Causing the Cosmos | Professor Dean Zimmerman

On **Thursday 7 March at 4:30pm** in D520, School of Philosophy, Newman (Arts) Building a lecture given by Prof. Dean W. Zimmerman (Distinguished Professor, Rutgers University): Causing the Cosmos. Information and Zoom link available [here](#).



Your voice fuels change - take this climate survey

We want to hear from you! We are a student research team who are developing a Sustainability Toolkit to teach students about climate change and sustainability. Your thoughts on these issues matter, so please fill in the [survey](#)!



2024 Africa Business Conference: Connecting with Digital Africa - Wednesday, 6 March

Join the [Proudly Made in Africa ABC2024](#) at UCD Quinn School of Business (6-8pm) for a lively conversation on Digital Africa with a super panel of entrepreneurs & experts from across the continent, followed by African cuisine - All Welcome!



Volunteers Needed: Shape the Future of Type 1 Diabetes Management

We are seeking VOLUNTEERS diagnosed with Type 1 Diabetes for a study on exercise and glucose management. Help advance diabetes care by participating in our research. Your contribution is vital. [Contact us](#) to join and make a difference!

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